

Zeina Jokadar
Environmental Advisor
Spicers Creek Wind Farm Pty Ltd
01/06/2026

Subject: Spicers Creek Wind Farm (SSD-41134610) - Road Upgrade Timing Request

Dear Ms. Jokadar,

I refer to your letters dated 1 December 2025 and 9 April 2026 requesting the Planning Secretary's approval to revise the timing requirement for the road upgrades in Condition B33 for Spicers Creek Wind Farm (SSD-41134610).

Schedule 2, condition B33 and Appendix 7 of the consent requires the upgrades of the relevant sections of Tallawonga Road, Sweeneys Lane and Ben Hoden Road prior to the commencement of construction. Squadron Energy requests to revise the timing requirement for all three road upgrades from '*prior to commencement of construction*' to '*prior to use of the relevant site access point*.'

I also acknowledge your response to the Department's request for additional information, consultation with affected landholders and that Dubbo Regional Council raised no issues with the request.

The Department has carefully reviewed the information supplied and accordingly, as nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the change to the timing requirement to be *prior to use of the relevant site access point* for all three of the following road upgrades:

- Tallawonga Road (chainage 0–10,010 m);
- Sweeneys Lane (0–3,300 m); and
- Ben Hoden Road (0–1,410 m).

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Scotney Moore, on 02 9274 6342.

Yours sincerely



Nicole Brewer
Director
Energy Assessments

As nominee of the Planning Secretary