



5 December 2022

Re: Department of Planning & Environment

Re: Request for Advice on Draft Sears

Dinawan Wind Farm SSD-50725708

Please find below Edward Rivers Councils comments in relation to the Draft Sears for the Dinawan development;

Impact on Road Infrastructure

Provide specific detail on the source location of the construction materials, noting that this would impact on the haulage routes through all affected Local Government Areas (LGAs).

Construction Compound and Accommodation Camp

Provide information regarding the commissioning and decommissioning of the Construction Compound and Accommodation Camp sites. Additional information is required to understand the scale of the sites, servicing arrangements and the proposed actions for returning the sites back to pre-development conditions, at the completion of works.

Bushfire

Bushfire risks associated with the construction and operation of the development need to be carefully considered in the EIS. Of specific concern is the Bushfire Prone Land areas consisting of large expanses of grassland and the remoteness of these areas. Adequate resources would be required to protect these areas in the event of fire outbreak as there are extended response times and access to adequate resources for fire defence are limited

Biodiversity and cultural heritage

A detailed assessment of the likely biodiversity impacts and cultural heritage items of the project particularly relating to proposed earthworks, construction and roadworks

Yours sincerely

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