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Attention: Ms. Anna Johnston

Dear Mr. File,

Sub: Request for DGRs for North Ryde Station Precinct - Ryde LGA (SSD-5093)

I refer to your letter on 22 December 2011 requesting comments regarding the key issues and assessment requirements concerning the proposed North Ryde Station Precinct.

Ausgrid owns and operates Macquarie Park zone substation on Waterloo Rd in close proximity to the M2 site of North Ryde Station Precinct and would envisage that supply to the Precinct would be provided from this substation.

It is also envisaged that most of the loads will be supplied via 11kV/415V customer substations. It will be necessary to establish an 11kV network from Macquarie Park substation to the Precinct and also within the Precinct. This will require that provision be made for cable systems in the proposed bridges and roads in the development.

Ausgrid requests early advice of development timeframe and associated demand projection for each site to assist us with medium to long term planning of electricity infrastructure in the North Ryde/Macquarie area.

Based on the information provided regarding the North Ryde Station Precinct area and also the level of other development in the Macquarie area, it is advised that the installation of additional zone substation capacity may be required to supply the development load.

The Ausgrid contact in relation to future electricity supply to the development in North Ryde Station Precinct is John Hartman, Manager – Subtransmission Planning on telephone 9269 4641

Yours Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Neil Gordon", written over a light blue horizontal line.

Neil Gordon
Executive Manager – System Planning