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Subject: Major Projects – Yarrabin (Phoenix) Pumped Hydro (SSD-59906734) (Dubbo Regional, Mid-Western Regional)

Thank you for the referral of the Yarrabin Pumped Hydro project's request for Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements (SEARs) to the NSW National Parks and Wildlife Service (NPWS) for input.

I advise that NPWS has no matters for addition to the SEARs.

As NPWS does not manage any lands within proximity to the proposal, we do not need a referral when the EIS is prepared and placed on exhibition.



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