

Our ref: Finley Battery Energy Storage System (SSD-72430958)

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Subject: Amendment of Finley Battery Energy Storage System (SSD-72430958)

Dear Mr Cook

I refer to the Amendment Report which was submitted on 9 February 2026 in accordance with the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2021* for the Finley Battery Energy Storage System (SSD-72430958).

The Amendment Report has requested the following changes:

- road upgrades at the Riverina Highway / Canalla Road intersection and Riverina Highway / Marantellis Road intersection to facilitate heavy vehicles and Oversize Overmass (OSOM) vehicle movements; and
- an increase in the development footprint from 10.45 ha to 12.28 ha to facilitate the road upgrade works.

The Department has carefully considered the information provided in the Amendment Report and notes the proposed amendments are in response to government agency advice (Transport for NSW) and submissions on the project and aim to reduce or maintain the impacts of the project as a whole. Accordingly, I, as delegate of the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces (noting the Independent Planning Commission's delegation), approve the application for the amendment.

If you have any questions, please contact Nicholas Kumar on 9995 5804 or via email at Nicholas.Kumar@dpie.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,



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