

APPENDIX A REVISED MITIGATION MEASURES

The complete set of updated mitigation measures are presented below. New measures from this additional assessment are in **Bold**. New and modified measures based on the Submissions Report (NGH, 2019d) are in *italics*.

PC: Pre-construction, C: Construction, PO: Pre-operation, O: Operation, D: Decommissioning

ID.	Mitigation measure	C	O	D
Biodiversity				
1	<p>Time works to avoid critical life cycle events:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hollow-bearing trees would not be removed during breeding season or hibernation period (Winter to early summer) to mitigate impacts on Southern Myotis. • If clearing outside of this period cannot be achieved, pre-clearing surveys would be undertaken to ensure no impacts to fauna would occur. 	C		
2	<p>Implement clearing protocols during tree clearing works, including pre-clearing surveys, daily surveys and staged clearing, the presence of a trained ecological or wildlife handler:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pre-clearing checklist. • Tree clearing procedure. 	C		
3	<p>Relocate habitat features (fallen timber, hollow logs) from within the Project site:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tree-clearing procedure including relocation of habitat features to adjacent area for habitat enhancement. 	C		
4	<p>Clearing protocols that identify vegetation to be retained, prevent inadvertent damage and reduce soil disturbance; for example, removal of native vegetation by chainsaw, rather than heavy machinery, is preferable in situations where partial clearing is proposed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approved clearing limits to be clearly delineated with temporary fencing or similar prior to construction commencing. 	C		