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Dear Mr Greenaway

**New England Solar Farm (SSD-9255)
Retirement of Biodiversity Credits**

I refer to your letter dated 25 May 2021, and accompanying statement from the Biodiversity Conservation Trust (BCT), confirming payment into the Biodiversity Conservation Fund and the retirement of biodiversity credits for the New England Solar Farm (SSD 9255).

The Department notes that the Biodiversity Conservation and Science Directorate (BCS) has reviewed the BCT statement and that BCS is satisfied that the correct number and type of biodiversity offset credits have been retired in accordance with the requirements of condition 10 of Schedule 3 of the development consent.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Lander Robinson on (02) 9264 6052 or at Lander.Robinson@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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