## Department of Planning and Environment



Kimberly Wilson Environmental Advisor AGL Macquarie 200 George Street Sydney, NSW, 2000

05/08/2022

Subject: Request to stage management plans and other matters for the Bayswater Power Station Upgrade (SSD 9697)

## Dear Kimberly

I refer to your letter dated 3 August 2022, requesting:

- approval for the staging of management plans and for the project under Condition A10(a);
- request to prepare Water Management Plan to meet applicable conditions only under Condition A12; and
- endorsement of suitably qualified and experienced person(s)to prepare the water management plan under condition B7(a).

The letter also notes that construction and occupation certificates under the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* are not required for the Ravensworth ash line.

I note the letter:

- outlines two stages for the preparation of management plans, with Stage 1 comprising the Ravensworth ash line and Stage 2 comprising the other elements of the project;
- outlines the Water Management requirements relevant to Stage 1 and provides a justification for the requirements that are not relevant; and
- describes the relevant qualifications and experience of the members of project team from AECOM Australia Pty Ltd responsible for the preparation of the Water Management Plan for Stage 1 of the development;

As nominee of the Planning Secretary, I:

- approve the staging of the management plans outlined in the letter;
- agree that the Water Management Plan may be staged without addressing the requirements not relevant to Stage 1 as outlined in the letter; and
- endorse the members of project team from AECOM Australia Pty Ltd as suitably qualified and experienced to prepare the Water Management for Stage 1 of the development.

I note that as required by Condition A5, you must obtain further approval from the Planning Secretary for the ash dam augmentation and seepage collection infrastructure upgrade components of the application.

Please ensure that the approved plan is placed on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Jack Turner on 9995 5387.

Yours sincerely

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Wayne Jones Team Leader - Post Approval Resource Assessments

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