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Dear Chris

**Snowy 2.0 Segment Factory (SSI-10034)
Out of hours work application – Concrete Pour**

I refer to the letter dated 3 September 2020, requesting the Secretary's approval to vary the out of hours works (OOHW) approval granted on 13 July 2020 for the Snowy 2.0 Segment Factory project.

Under the existing approval, concrete pours may be undertaken from 0600 until 2400 on weekdays from July until September 2020, provided there are no consecutive days with OOHW. Snowy Hydro is now seeking approval to:

- extend the construction hours for one particular concrete slab, with preparation works starting at 0330 and the concrete pour from 0400 until 2400; and
- start preparation works at 0600 and concrete pours from 0700 until 2400 on consecutive weekdays ending in October.

The Department notes that the extended hours are required for the larger concrete slab to meet *BCA Australia* requirements and the OOHW schedule will need to extend into October because of rain events. No complaints regarding the OOHW have been received and the attended noise monitoring undertaken to date during the OOHW has recorded no exceedances of noise management levels at sensitive receiver locations.

In accordance with condition 6, Schedule 2 of the Infrastructure Approval, the request to extend the construction hours in the following manner is approved for:

- one concrete pour to occur between 0330 to 2400; and
- remaining concrete pours from 0600 until 2400 may occur on consecutive weekdays.

This is on the condition that Snowy Hydro:

- notifies Snowy Monaro Regional Council 5 working days before the start of OOHW;
- notifies the Department within 24 hours of any complaints received about these OOHW; and
- complies with the requirements in Environment Protection Licence 21419.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Anthony Ko on 8217 2022.

Yours sincerely

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Nicole Brewer
Director
Energy Assessments

As nominee of the Planning Secretary