



21 December 2020

Richard Brown
Managing Director
Hydro Aluminium Kurri Kurri Pty Ltd
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Dear Mr Brown,

**Scoping Study for the Kurri Kurri Gas Fired Power Station and associated infrastructure,
Critical State Significant Infrastructure under the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* (NSW)**

I refer to previous exchanges regarding the preparation and lodgement of a Scoping Study with respect to the proposed Gas Fired Power Station at the former Kurri Kurri aluminium smelter site owned by Hydro Aluminium Kurri Kurri Pty Ltd.

You may be aware that the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces has made an order declaring that the proposed Gas Fired Power Station to be State significant Infrastructure and critical State significant infrastructure. The Minister's order was published on 16 December 2020 and came into effect on that day.

On 17 December 2020, Snowy Hydro made an application in relation to the Power Station by lodging the attached Scoping Study through the NSW planning portal. The purpose of this letter is to formally notify you, as owner of the site, that Snowy Hydro has made the application. This notice is required by Regulation 193 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000* (NSW).

Please contact Andrew Nolan on 0417 794 321 or andrew.nolan@snowyhydro.com.au if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

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