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Jeremy Roberts
Major Project Delivery Director
NSW Electricity Network Operations Pty Limited (t/a Transgrid)
Via Email

24 June 2026

Subject: HumeLink – HumeLink West Addendum 3 Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report

Dear Mr Roberts

I refer to the HumeLink West Addendum 3 Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report (Rev. Final, dated 22 June 2026) (AACHAR 3) submitted under Condition B31 of the approval for the HumeLink Project (SSI-36656827; Approval). I also acknowledge your response to the Department's review comments and requests for additional information.

I note the AACHAR 3:

- addresses specific properties along Line 2 and Line 3 of the HumeLink West stage of the Project only;
- has been prepared in consultation with Registered Aboriginal Parties and Heritage NSW;
- has been reviewed by Transgrid and no issues have been raised with the Department;
- will be the final HumeLink West Addendum ACHAR and no further surveys are required; and
- contains the information required by Condition B31 of the Approval.

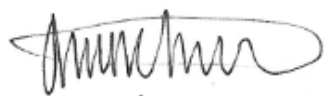
Accordingly, as nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the HumeLink West Addendum 3 Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report (Rev. Final, dated 22 June 2026) in accordance with Condition B31 of the Approval.

Please note for future reference that Condition B31 requires that the additional heritage surveys inform final detailed design to avoid impact to heritage items, where possible.

You are reminded that if there are any inconsistencies between the AACHAR and the conditions of Approval, the conditions prevail.

Please ensure you make the document publicly available on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact me.



Thomas Minchin
Team Leader Transmission Post Approval
As nominee of the Planning Secretary