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Subject: Billabong Creek EWR (SSI-50831979) Work Hours Variation Request for Extended Hours (E30)

Dear Mr Ball

I refer to the Application for Extended Work Hours (dated 5 June 2026) submitted in accordance with Condition E30 (the application) of the approval for the Billabong Creek EWR (SSI-50831979).

The application proposes to extend standard work hours to include between 7am and 6pm on Saturday and on Sunday. Work expected to be undertaken during the extend hours includes regulator construction, power supply work and construction of the flood bypass channel.

Accordingly, as nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the Application for Extended Work Hours (dated 5 June 2026), submitted in accordance with Condition E30, subject to the following:

- Work must be undertaken during the following hours:
 - 7:00am to 6:00pm Monday to Friday;
 - 7:00am to 6:00pm Saturday and Sunday; and
 - at no time on Public Holidays.
- An initial one-month trial (Trial 1) must be undertaken subject to the following:
 - If there are any noise complaints in the extended working hour period during the one-month trial, use of the extend hours must cease and the community is to be re-engaged on the extended working hours. The one-month trial must be restarted upon completion of the community re-engagement.
- A three-month trial (Trial 2) must be undertaken subject to the following:
 - If there are any noise complaints in the extended working hour period within the three-month trial, use of the extend hours must cease and community must be re-engaged on the extended working hours. The three-month trial must be restarted upon completion of the community re-engagement.
- Written notice of the extended hours being provided to affected residents and sensitive receivers at least seven days before the commencement of each trial (Trial 1 and Trial 2) and at least every 28 days for extended works that continue for more than 28 calendar days.

- No piling is to occur outside the hours specified in Condition E29, except where required/permitted by condition E30 (a) and (b).

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

Please ensure you make the relevant OOHW documents publicly available on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Sam Kelly on 02 9995 5733.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Cox'.

Principal Planning Officer
As nominee of the Planning Secretary