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Dear Ingrid,

In reference to Parramatta Light Rail Stage 2 (SSI-10035)

Ausgrid would like to thank you for seeking input and feedback regarding the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). Ausgrid has undertaken a review of the EIS and associated information in relation to potential impacts or interfaces with Ausgrid's electricity infrastructure.

Ausgrid requires that due consideration be given to the compatibility of proposed development with existing Ausgrid infrastructure, particularly in relation to risks of electrocution, fire risks, Electric & Magnetic Fields (EMFs), noise, visual amenity and other matters that may impact on Ausgrid or the development.

Prior to any construction being carried out, plans must be submitted to Ausgrid for approval to determine whether the development will affect Ausgrid's network or easements. The developer must identify any potential impacts of the proposed construction and operation on the existing utility infrastructure and service provider assets and demonstrate how these will be protected or impacts mitigated.

Ausgrid notes that in Chapter 7 "Project description – construction" the proponent has commenced consultation with Ausgrid regarding impacts to existing overhead and underground assets located within the project site.

We encourage the proponent to continue to discuss their requirements including any new supply connections to the Ausgrid electricity network directly with Ausgrid as needed.

Please do not hesitate to contact me for further information. Regards,

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