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Wellington NSW 2820

Major Projects Assessment
Department of Planning and Infrastructure
GPO Box 39
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Dear Sir/Madam

Re: Bodangora Wind Farm Environmental Assessment

As the owner of the property 'Meadowlands', one of the farms involved in hosting the proposed Bodangora Wind Farm, I'd like to express my support for this important environmental project.

Any form of renewable energy, be it wind, solar or other forms, will be a valuable contributor to the government's Renewable Energy Target and will have a great benefit in reducing greenhouse gas emissions and pollution of the environment by fossil fuel power stations.

The planned layout of the Bodangora Wind Farm includes two turbines on Meadowlands from which I will receive an annual recompense from the proponent/developer, Infigen Energy. My support for the Bodangora Wind Farm is shared by most of the people in the area with whom I have had discussions.

I believe that Infigen Energy has chosen this site wisely. The area has an abundance of wind, is located close to the main electricity lines from Wellington, which will facilitate connection and, yet, is quite sparsely populated with very few dwellings close to the development.

After closely studying Infigen Energy's Environmental Assessment Plan, I am confident that it meets all of the requirements of the Director General of Planning and Infrastructure under section 75F of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979.

I have had numerous open and detailed discussions with Infigen Energy through their project manager, Frank Boland, and attended the information session at Comobella Hall. I remain enthusiastic about this important environmental project and am very happy to lease my property to Infigen Energy for the purpose of constructing and operating the Bodangora Wind Farm.

As a community, whether it be local, national or global, we need to recognise the long-term benefits of adopting renewable energy sources like the Bodangora Wind Farm. My family is enthusiastic about being part of the Bodangora Wind Farm and believe that it will be an important part of our environmental heritage.

I look forward to the commencement of the project in the near future.

Yours faithfully

GT Whiteley

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