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The Manager  
Resource Assessments  
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**Attention: Neville Osbourne**

Dear Mr Osbourne

**MP08\_0022 MOD 3: Silvertown Wind Farm**

Thank you for your email on 29 May 2016 referring MP08\_0022 MOD 3 to Roads and Maritime Services for comment.

I note the modification application is for the Silvertown Wind Farm project and includes the following:

- Reducing the number of wind turbines from 282 to 172.
- Deletion of the Stage 2 concept approval that involved the erection of an additional 316 wind turbines.
- Increase the maximum turbine height from 155 metres to 180 metres.
- Increase the maximum rotor diameter from 107 metres to 140 metres.
- Increase the maximum capacity of the turbines from 3.6 megawatts to 5 megawatts.
- Stage and separate the construction of turbines and electrical transmission infrastructure.

Conditions 2.46, 2.47, 2.48 and 5.3 of MP08\_0022 require the applicant to accept certain road related responsibilities, manage haulage operations and consult with Roads and Maritime to determine necessary road upgrades to facilitate the transportation of turbine and transmission infrastructure to the site. I note the applicant has recently contacted Roads and Maritime to identify and scope these works.

The proposed modification will, overall, generate less traffic; however, the modification will necessitate longer oversize vehicle movements on the public road network to deliver turbine components to the site. Roads and Maritime does not object to the proposed modification, subject to conditions 2.46, 2.47, 2.48 and 5.3 of MP08\_0022 remaining on any modified consent issued by the Department of Planning and Environment.

**Roads and Maritime Services**

Please forward a copy of the Department's determination of the modification application to Roads and Maritime at the same time it is sent to the applicant. If you have any further queries or wish to discuss this matter further, please contact Andrew McIntyre, Manager Land Use Assessment, on 02 6861 1453.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Susie Mackay', with a large, sweeping underline.

Susie Mackay  
Network & Safety Manager  
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