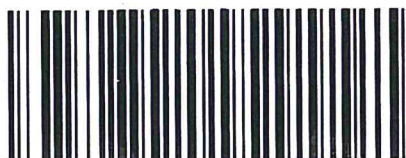




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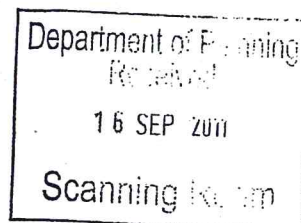


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Dear Mr Snow

Thank you for your letter of 10 August 2011 regarding public exhibition of the Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Dalton Power Project and your request for submission on the project including advice on recommended conditions of approval.

The Department raises no issues in relation to forests, minerals and fisheries. With regard to agricultural issues the Department has developed guidelines for relevant environmental matters to be considered for infrastructure developments. These guidelines can be accessed at

[http://www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/data/assets/pdf\\_file/0020/359030/infrastructure-proposals-on-rural-lands.pdf](http://www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0020/359030/infrastructure-proposals-on-rural-lands.pdf).

The Department notes the EA indicates that a licence under the *Pipelines Act 1967* would be required for the new gas pipeline branch from the existing Moomba to Sydney Pipeline. It is understood that a variation of the existing Moomba to Sydney Pipeline Licence is likely to be sought under the Act to include the proposed 3km long new branch of the existing pipeline.

For further information, please contact Andrew Lewis, A/Executive Director Energy on (02) 8281 7403 or email [andrew.lewis@industry.nsw.gov.au](mailto:andrew.lewis@industry.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely

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