Hi James,

The Department of Primary Industries – Crown Lands Division (previously the Land & Property Management Authority) would like to thank you for the opportunity to comment on the Environment Assessment that is currently on exhibition for the White Rock Wind Farm.

The Department wishes to advise that it does not have any objections to the White Rock Wind Farm proposal. However, I do wish to bring it to your attention that the wind farm proponent will require a Crown Land Licence to authorise the use/occupation of the Crown land where the proposed turbine access tracks and underground cables insect Crown road reserves.

I have attached the necessary Licence application form that the proponent will need to complete and return to the Armidale office, along with the processing application fee of \$383.60. Upon receipt of an application the Department will assess your application which will include a determination of the annual rental payable. Similar applications granted by the Department have seen the rental set at \$65.00 per crossing. From the information contained in your EA it appears that currently there would be 6-7 Crown road crossings involved.

It is the proponents responsibility to ensure this licence is in place before any work commences at the site.

Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind Regards, Renee

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