

**Proforma for Submission of Objection
to the Development of
Jindera Solar Farm – SSD 9549**

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Rural ☒ **Rural Residential** ☐ **Residential** ☐
(please tick the appropriate land class)

Property Size: 790 ha

Reason for Objection:
(please tick all that apply to yourself)

Adverse Environmental Affects

- ☐ Dust
- ☐ Noise
- ☒ Glare
- ☒ Loss of Flora and Fauna habitat

Adverse Social Affects

- ☐ Loss of cultural heritage sites
- ☒ Dividing the district and neighbourhood
- ☒ Over 60 landholders immediately affected

Adverse Economic Affects

- ☒ Loss of prime agricultural land
- ☒ Loss of important agricultural land
- ☒ Loss of agricultural production
- ☒ Solar companies all foreign owned
- ☒ Devaluing of prime agricultural land and lifetime investments

Jindera Township

- ☐ Restricts future growth
- ☐ Proposal doesn't give adequate detail of the proximity to township
- ☐ Changing climatic conditions for the township and surrounds
- ☒ Bushfire Risk
- ☒ Insurance issues
- ☐ Traffic management
- ☐ Work hours disturbing the tranquillity

Additional Comments: please see next page

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- I have made no political donations in the past five years

Signed: 

To Whom It May Concern
NSW Department of planning

Im a 5 generation farmer who farms next door to

One of these proposed projects, over the last 18months when NSW has been in what's called the worst drought in memory, we have managed to produce a crop, lamb, beef and wool without the help of irrigation water, with out drought relief and all be it be financial stable without needing government handouts. This year we have a harvest, which will be profitable, which a lot of NSW won't.

The money we make off it will go back into the local area, stock agents, grain traders, machinery dealers, rural supplies, local manufacturing , car dealers the list goes on, it won't just go to an overseas company that has popped up to get a cash grab from the government to to put one of these projects in. We DON'T need irrigation water here to produce a crop which is reliant on farms west of us and were land values are not so high, and the way the current dam levels are they will go into this coming season with 0% water allocation again.

I'm not against these projects going ahead, but I think there could be a better way to do it, not be such a cost to the tax payer, when some of the figures getting thrown around are in the vicinity of \$2000/ha pa why wouldn't you as land owner do it, we had the opportunity and choose not to.... but let's look at that figure over a 30 year period = \$60000/ha plus a CPI increase over the time of the project, which is 1350 ha which over the time of the project equates to \$81000000 that's just the lease cost not the cost of the panels and at the end of the project the government is left with nothing. This is just the rough figures from one project, add them all together and see what you come up with, your probably buy half of western NSW!!

My question is could this money be better spent?? Rather than a quick fix like they are trying to do by putting the projects in along already existing high voltage power lines, should the government do an infrastructure spend and purchase land to our west when the might have a one off payment of \$4000ha or less and try and stimulate the economies of these struggling country towns to our west??

They can't put these projects out there because the don't have the piles and wire infrastructure to transmit the electricity but when they don't have that ongoing lease payment they would have a good amount of money to start a project which I think this country really needs at the moment.

Without the money going to these overseas companies.

I think its important to review this project with an open mind.

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