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Your Reference: SSD 8533  
Our Reference: OUT18/4114

Dear Mr Ko,

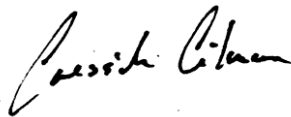
**Re: Vales Point Solar Project (SSD 8533) – Environmental Impact Statement  
Exhibition**

Thank you for the opportunity to provide advice on the subject proposal. This is a response from NSW Department of Planning & Environment – Division of Resources & Geoscience, Geological Survey of New South Wales (GSNSW).

GSNSW provided comments in June 2017 as response to the request for SEARs (our Ref OUT17/24225) for the Vales Point Solar Project. At the time GSNSW had no additional requirements (to the Draft SEARs) for inclusion in the EIS. GSNSW has reviewed the EIS for the project and has no resource sterilisation issues or concerns to raise at this stage.

Queries regarding the above information, and future requests for advice in relation to this matter, should be directed to the Division of Resources & Geoscience - Land Use team at [landuse.minerals@industry.nsw.gov.au](mailto:landuse.minerals@industry.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely



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