Hi Jack,

From an ongoing environmental aspect management issue, the proposed connection is devoid of vegetation and will not likely harm any Aboriginal objects.

As for draft conditions, please word those appropriately in order to avoid the capturing of the powerline and any other part of the connection arrangement that will be gifted to Essential Energy from the ongoing management conditions in the approvals. Current wording of conditions can create longer term compliance issues as the powerline forms part of the 'project'. Meaning any condition referencing the 'project' inadvertently is capturing the connecting powerline.

I have flagged the need to be careful in how the conditions are drafted with your colleagues Michael Themis and Iwan Davies. Please discuss with them to ensure a consistent approach is taken in the assessment.

Regards, Brett Hayward Environmental Services Manager