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To whom it may concern

**RE: VICKERY EXTENSION PROJECT
PROPERTY ID 322**

I am the landowner of the above property and have now had an opportunity to review the Enviromental Impact Statement (EIS) in relation to the above project.

I have particular concerns in relation to the flood assessment.

My property is located adjacent to the existing rail line, with the proposed line to meet the existing line at an estimated 1.25 kilometres from my house.

My experience of flood waters across my property are that they run in an easterly to north easterly direction.


Should the proposed line have insufficient bridges and culverts the water will not be able to follow its natural path and will bank along the existing rail line.

Should that water lie for extended periods of time, which will inevitably happen if there is insufficient drainage through the proposed line, it will have an extremely detrimental impact on my farming operation.

Unfortunately there is insufficient information in the EIS to ascertain whether or not the proposed bridges and culverts will allow the flood water to follow its existing path, as there is no design plan, or even a proposed design plan, attached to the EIS.

I would appreciate the opportunity to discuss the EIS at greater length with one of your representatives.

Yours sincerely



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