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Dear Natasha

Chance Find Protocol - Gunnedah Solar Project

As per our discussion dated 16 January 2020 regarding the proposed Chance Find Protocols (December 2019 version) prepared by Canadian Solar, the Biodiversity and Conservation Division (BCD) of the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment has no issues to raise.

The document adequately describes the method of Aboriginal consultation undertaken, consistent with previous BCD advice.

If you have any questions about this issue please contact Phil Purcell, Archaeologist, on phil.purcell@environment.nsw.gov.au or 6883 5341.

Yours sincerely

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