

23rd August 2021

Hugh Sangster

Senior Development Manager ib vogt GmbH Level 6, 201 Kent Street SYDNEY NSW 2000 Australia

Re: Dunedoo Solar Farm Mitigation

Dear Hugh,

The purpose of this letter is to address an additional Request for Further Information (RFI) in relation to the Vegetation Screening proposed for Dunedoo Solar Farm dated 19th August 2021.

Our team are qualified Landscape Architects, registered by AILA. We have extensive experience in preparing landscape plans and vegetation management plans with successful outcomes. Moir LA have made recommendations for mitigation measures to be implemented for Dunedoo Solar Farm based on our experience and an assessment of the existing landscape. **Image 1** provides an examples of wind break and screen planting that has successfully established in the area.



Image 1. Example of existing vegetation screening within the Study Area on All Weather Road

It is anticipated the proposed mitigation measures will successfully establish and function to reduce the potential visual impacts within the required timeframes given the following considerations:

- Species selected are native and will reflect local conditions (ie. soil types, climate).
- Mix of species to ensure longevity and success and tie in with the existing landscape character.
- Planting will be undertaken at the commencement of the construction phase of the Project.
- Planting is to be undertaken by a qualified landscape contractor using correct planting practises, soil testing and remediation prior to undertaking planting, plant protection to prevent animals.
- Maintenance and management period will be in place to ensure successful establishment (replacement of loss to vegetation where density requirements are not achieved, weed control, routine watering etc.)

Kind Regards,

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