

Jason Snape Environmental Business Partner Snowy 2.0 Transmission Connection

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Subject: Snowy 2.0 - Transmission Connection (SSI-9717) - Soil and Water Management Plan

Dear Mr Snape

I refer to your request for review and approval of the Soil and Water Management Plan for Snowy 2.0 - Transmission Connection (SSI-9717), as part of the Stage 2 Management Plan revisions. Stage 2 includes the construction and operation of infrastructure related to the 500 kV component of the substation.

The Department has carefully reviewed the document and is satisfied that it generally meets the requirements of the relevant conditions of approval (SSI-9717). Accordingly, as nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the Soil and Water Management Plan (Rev 0.10, dated 24 October 2024) under Schedule 2, Condition B8 and Condition B16.

You are reminded that if there are any inconsistencies between the Soil and Water Management Plan and the conditions of approval, the conditions prevail. Please ensure you make the document publicly available on the project website at the earliest convenience. If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Scotney Moore, on 02 9274 6342.

Yours sincerely

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As nominee of the Planning Secretary