## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage Qualification: Ecologist
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	03/05/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 12
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence Identified		Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>				
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Ecologist required on site during clearing activities.

Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees			
Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗵	No 🗆	Comments: Habitat identified
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Comments: WP23
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🖂	No 🗆	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Details: Bathurst Burr, Spear Thistle, Patersons Curse

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Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
Unexpected Finds					
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with the Biosecurity Management Plan.					

- Ecologist required on-site for tree removal adjacent to tower footprint.
- Additional weeds: Yellow Star Thistle
- Approximately 20 galah's observed in Yellow Box.

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 Months
Name	Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage
Signature	Andere
Date	03/05/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	E l
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage Qualification: Ecologist
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	03/05/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 25
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Identified	Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>				
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa</i> <i>metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees			
Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes ⊠	No 🗆	Details: Bathurst Burr

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Environmental Exclusion Zones							
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:				
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:				
Unexpected Finds							
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:				
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:				
Additional Comments							
<ul> <li>Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.</li> <li>Native species observed – Wallaby Grass was observed (approx. 5% coverage)</li> <li>Open pasture dominated by exotic annuals (Wild Oats, Ryegrass)</li> <li>No ecologist required on-site.</li> </ul>							

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage
Signature	Allente
Date	03/05/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage Qualification: Ecologist
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	03/05/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 26
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Identified	Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>				
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa</i> <i>wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes ⊠	No 🗆	Details: Bathurst Burr

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- Weeds to be managed in accordance with the Biosecurity Management Plan.
- Open pasture dominated by exotics. Species identified include: Wild Oat, Ryegrass, Subterranean Clover, Red-Leg Grass, Panicum sp.

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage
Signature	Anteme
Date	03/05/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	14/07/2023

## 2Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Andrew Taylor and Estelle Kaylor-Thomson Qualification: Ecologist
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	02-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 27
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
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Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa</i> <i>metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
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Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
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Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
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Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works be to be conducted in accordance with the Biodiversity Management Plan.

Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees			
Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes ⊠	No 🗆	Details: Spear Thistle, Horehound
Environmental Exclusion Zones			

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Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:	
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:	
Unexpected Finds				
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:	
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:	
Additional Comments				
<ul> <li>No ecologist required.</li> <li>Weeds to be managed in accordance with the Biosecurity Management Plan.</li> <li>Additional weeds: Fleabane and Yellow Star Thistle observed</li> </ul>				

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Andrew Taylor
Signature	Andrew aufor.
Date	02-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Andrew Taylor and Estelle Kayler-Thomson Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	02-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 28
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
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Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
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Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

• No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional Weeds: Fleabane, Horseweed

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Estelle Kayler-Thomson
Signature	E ALE
Date	2/05/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Andrew Taylor and Estelle Kayler-Thomson Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	2/05/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 29
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline			
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas			
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)			
Disturbance Area B		Other			
Details of Other:					

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
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Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
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Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

• No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
Unexpected Finds					
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional Weeds: Fleabane, Horseweed

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Estelle Kayler-Thomson
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Date	2/05/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Andrew Taylor and Estelle Kayler-Thomson Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	2/05/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 30
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline			
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas			
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)			
Disturbance Area B		Other			
Details of Other:					

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

• No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
Unexpected Finds					
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional Weeds: Fleabane, Horseweed

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Estelle Kayler-Thomson
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Date	2/05/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage Qualification: Ecologist
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	04/05/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 33
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item			Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa</i> <i>metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

• No mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

Hollow Bearing /	Habitat Trees
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Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones						
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:			
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:			
Unexpected Finds						
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:			
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:			
Additional Comments						
<ul> <li>Weeds to be managed in accordance with the Biosecurity Management Plan.</li> <li>Land use predominately used for cropping purposes.</li> </ul>						

- Grass present in pockets. However, land use unlikely to change.

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months.
Name	Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage
Signature	Antenne
Date	04/05/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage Qualification: Ecologist
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	04/05/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 34
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence Identified		Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa</i> <i>wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

• No mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes ⊠	No 🗆	Details: Spear Thistle

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Environmental Exclusion Zones						
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:			
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:			
Unexpected Finds						
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:			
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:			
Additional Comments						
<ul> <li>Weeds to be managed in accordance with the Biosecurity Management Plan.</li> <li>Unimproved pasture but dominated by exotic perennials.</li> </ul>						

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months.
Name	Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage
Signature	Antenne
Date	04/05/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage Qualification: Ecologist
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	04/05/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 35
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>				
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa</i> <i>metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

• No mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

Hollow Bearing /	Habitat Trees
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Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Unexpected Finds					
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with the Biosecurity Management Plan.					

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months.
Name	Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage
Signature	Antenne
Date	04/05/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage Qualification: Ecologist
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	04/05/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 36
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Identified	Quantum to Clear (Ha)	Comments
	Yes	No		
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

• No mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes ⊠	No 🗆	Details: Yellow Star Thistle, Skeleton Weed

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			
<ul> <li>Additional Weeds: Citrullus Sp., Pa</li> <li>Weeds to be managed in accordan</li> </ul>		Biosecurity	Management Plan

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months.
Name	Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage
Signature	Antenne
Date	04/05/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage Qualification: Ecologist
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	04/05/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 37
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Identified	Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa</i> <i>wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

• No mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

Hollow Bearing / Ha	abitat Trees
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Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes ⊠	No 🗆	Details: Yellow Star Thistle

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Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes □	No 🛛	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
Unexpected Finds					
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					
<ul> <li>Additional Weeds: Fleabane.</li> <li>Cropping land - no habitat of value.</li> <li>Evidence of partial stubble reduction burning.</li> <li>Weeds to be managed in accordance with the Biosecurity Management Plan</li> </ul>					

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months.
Name	Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Gamage
Signature	Anteme
Date	04/05/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	09-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 38
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed		
Tower Footprint	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site	Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)	Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B	Other	
Details of Other:		

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	

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Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
	Yes 🗆 Yes 🗆	Yes         No           Yes         No

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Open cropping land
- Additional weeds: Cape Weed (*Arctotheca calendula*), European Heliotrope (*Heliotropium europaeum*)

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	09-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	09-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 39
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🛛	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Open cropping land
- Additional weed: Cape Weed (Arctotheca calendula)

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	09-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Ð
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	09-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 40
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🛛	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Open cropping land
- Additional weeds: Stink-grass (Eragrostis cilianensis)

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	09-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Ð
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	10-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 41
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required.
- Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional weeds: Knotweed (Polygonum aviculare)

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	Southan
Date	09-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Ð
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	09-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 42
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed		
Tower Footprint	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site	Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)	Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B	Other	
Details of Other:		

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Open cropping land

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	09-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Andrew Taylor and Estelle Kayler-Thomson Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	09-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 43
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	

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Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
Unexpected Finds					
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Open cropping land

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	09-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	09-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 44
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area
	In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	

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Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
Unexpected Finds					
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Open cropping land

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Aname
Date	09-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	09-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 45
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area
	In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed		
Tower Footprint	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site	Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)	Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B	Other	
Details of Other:		

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🖂	No 🗆	Details: Silver Leaf Nightshade, Spear Thistle.

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Open cropping land
- Additional weeds: Fleabane

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	09-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Andrew Taylor and Estelle Kayler-Thomson Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	09-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 46
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Identified	Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🛛	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Open cropping land
- Additional weeds: Stink-grass (Eragrostis cillanensis).

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	09-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Ð
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	8/5/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 57
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes □	No 🛛	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- Cropping land, highly modified.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- No ecologist required during clearing activities.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Additional weeds: Bathurst Burr (Xanthium spinosum), Spear Thistle (Cirsium vulgare).

Table 3 – Pre-Clearance	Approval
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Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Allente
Date	8/5/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	8/5/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 58
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area
	In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline			
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas			
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)			
Disturbance Area B		Other			
Details of Other:					

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
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Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes □	No 🛛	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- Cropping land, highly modified.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- No ecologist required during clearing activities.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Anance
Date	8/5/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	8/5/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 59
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area
	In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

## Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline			
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas			
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)			
Disturbance Area B		Other			
Details of Other:					

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
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Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
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Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

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### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

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## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🛛	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	

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Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
Unexpected Finds					
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					

- Cropping land, highly modified.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- No ecologist required during clearing activities.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Additional weeds: Spear Thistle (Cirsium vulgare), Stinkgrass (Eragrostis cilianensis).

## Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Aneme
Date	8/5/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	8/5/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 60
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

#### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed		
Tower Footprint	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site	Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)	Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B	Other	
Details of Other:		

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- Cropping land, highly modified.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- No ecologist required during clearing activities.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	8/5/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	8/5/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 61
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area
	In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

#### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Identified	Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🛛	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- Cropping land, highly modified.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- No ecologist required during clearing activities.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	8/5/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	8/5/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 62
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area
	In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🛛	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- Cropping land, highly modified.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- No ecologist required during clearing activities.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Aname
Date	8/5/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	13-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 63
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

#### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required.
- Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes □	No 🛛	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional weeds: Spear thistle (*Cirsium vulgare*), Bromus spp, Paterson's Curse (*Echium plantagineum*), Drain Flat-sedge (*Cyperus eragrostis*), Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Erigeron bonariensis*), Couch (*Cynodon dactylon*), Sow Thistle (*Sonchus oleraceus*), Erodium spp.

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	Southan
Date	09-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet & Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	07-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 64
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	(L5) Tower Footprint Pre-clearance

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🖂	No 🗆	Details: Patersons Curse (Echium plantagineum)

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Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
	Yes 🗆 Yes 🗆	Yes □ No ⊠ Yes □ No ⊠

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Open pasture of exotics bordered by drainage line with high percentage native cover (Carex sp., Juncus sp., Chloris truncata, Rumex tenax). Majority of footprint is within pasture.

#### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Anteme
Date	07-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet & Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	07-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 65
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	(L5) Tower Footprint Pre-clearance

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline			
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas			
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)			
Disturbance Area B		Other			
Details of Other:					

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes ⊠	No 🗆	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
Unexpected Finds					
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional Weeds: Cape Weed (Arctotheca calendula)
- Open cropping land with no significant habitat.

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	07-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet & Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	07-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 66
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	(L5) Tower Footprint Pre-clearance

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline			
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas			
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)			
Disturbance Area B		Other			
Details of Other:					

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🖂	No 🗆	Details: Patersons Curse (Echium plantagineum)

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional weeds: Cape Weed (Arctotheca calendula), Flaxleaf Fleabane (Erigeron bonariensis).
- Open pasture of exotics (Lolium sp, Trifolium sp.) with scattered Windmill Grass (Chloris truncata).

#### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Anoune
Date	07-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet & Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	07-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 67
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	(L5) Tower Footprint Pre-clearance

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence Identified		Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

Notes:

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Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

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Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes ⊠	No 🗆	Details: Patersons Curse (Echium plantagineum), Spear Thistle (Cirsium vulgare)
Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:

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Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			
<ul> <li>approved Biodiversity Management P</li> <li>Weeds to be managed in accordance</li> <li>Additional weeds: Cape Weed (Arctol Common Peppercress (Lepidium afric</li> </ul>	vlan. e with appro theca calen canum).	ved Biosec dula), Flaxl	

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Aname
Date	07-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet & Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	07-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 68
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area
	In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	(L5) Tower Footprint Pre-clearance

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence Identified		Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

Notes:

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Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

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Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:		
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:		
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:		
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:		
Weeds					
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Details: Patersons Curse (Echium plantagineum), Spear Thistle (Cirsium vulgare), Yellow Star Thistle (Centaurea solstitialis) and Bathurst Burr (Xanthium spinosum)		
Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		

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Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🖂	No 🖂	Details:			
Unexpected Finds						
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:			
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:			
Additional Comments						
<ul> <li>No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.</li> </ul>						

- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional weeds: Cape Weed (Arctotheca calendula), Flaxleaf Fleabane (Erigeron bonariensis), Common Peppercress (Lepidium africanum).
- Open pasture of exotics (Lolium sp, Trifolium sp.) with scattered Windmill Grass (Chloris truncata) and Rush (Juncus sp.).

#### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Aname
Date	07-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet & Dinithi Koswatta-Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	07-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 69
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area
	In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	(L5) Tower Footprint Pre-clearance

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence Identified		Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

Notes:

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Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

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Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:		
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:		
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:		
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:		
Weeds					
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes ⊠	No 🗆	Details: Patersons Curse (Echium plantagineum), Spear Thistle (Cirsium vulgare)		
Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		

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Unexpected Finds						
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:			
If yes, has the Environmental Manager Yes □ No ⊠ Details: been notified?						
Additional Comments						
<ul> <li>approved Biodiversity Management P</li> <li>Weeds to be managed in accordance</li> <li>Additional weeds: Cape Weed (Arctot Common Peppercress (Lepidium afric</li> <li>Open pasture of exotics (Lolium sp, T</li> </ul>	lan. with appro heca calen canum). rifolium sp. drainage lin	ved Biosec dula), Flaxl , Couch (Cy e present w				

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	07-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	13-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 70
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

#### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Identified	Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required.
- Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional weeds: Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Erigeron bonariensis*)

#### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	Southan
Date	13-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	14/07/2023

### Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	14-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 73
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

#### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

#### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Identified	Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional weeds: None identified

#### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	Screttagh
Date	14-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	14-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 77
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional weeds: *Euchiton japonicus*, Medicargo sp., Knotweed (Polygonum aviculare), Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Erigeron bonariensis*), Spear Thistle (*Cirsium vulgare*).

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	Scuttage
Date	14-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	14-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 78
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional weeds: None identified

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	Screttagh
Date	14-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	14-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 79
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
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Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Additional weeds: Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Erigeron bonariensis*), Stink-grass (*Eragrostis cilianensis*), Paddy Melon (*Cucumis myriocarpus*).

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	Scuttage
Date	14-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	8/5/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 80
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- Cropping land, highly modified.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- No ecologist required during clearing activities.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Additional weeds: Spear Thistle (*Cirsium vulgare*), Toowoomba Canary Grass (*Phalaris aquatica*), Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Conzya bonariensis*).

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	8/5/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	8/5/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 81
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence Identified		Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- Cropping land, highly modified.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- No ecologist required during clearing activities.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Additional weeds: Toowoomba Canary Grass (Phalaris aquatica), Spear Thistle (Cirsium vulgare).

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Aname
Date	8/5/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Æ
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Arthur Nemet and Dinithi Koswatta Gamage Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	8/5/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 82
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Access Tracks (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline			
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas			
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)			
Disturbance Area B		Other			
Details of Other:					

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes □	No 🛛	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes □	No 🛛	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Spear Thistle, Bathurst Burr

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Environmental Exclusion Zones				
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:	
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:	
Unexpected Finds				
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:	
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:	
Additional Comments				

- Cropping land, highly modified.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- No ecologist required during clearing activities.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Additional weeds: Bathurst Burr (*Xanthium spinosum*), Toowoomba Canary Grass (*Phalaris aquatica*), Spear Thistle (*Cirsium vulgare*), Prickly Lettuce (*Lactuca serriola*), Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Conzya bonariensis*), Black Nightshade (*Solanum nigrum*)

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Arthur Nemet
Signature	Antenne
Date	8/5/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	10-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 83
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline			
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas			
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)			
Disturbance Area B		Other			
Details of Other:					

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>				

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required.
- Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
Unexpected Finds					
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:		
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Flat cropping land
- Additional weeds: Flaxleaf Fleabane (Erigeron bonariensis).

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	Southan
Date	10-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	Ð
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	10-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 84
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence Identified		Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required.
- Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes □	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Cropping land, heavily cleared
- Additional weeds: Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Erigeron bonariensis*), Oval Heron's-bill (*Erodium malacoides*), African Lovegrass (*Eragrostis curvula*), Cat's-ear (*Hypochaeris radicata*), Nettle spp., Sow Thistle (*Sonchus oleraceus*).

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	scuttle
Date	10-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	13-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 86
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence Identified		Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>				
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

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#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required.
- Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Grazing pasture
- Additional weeds: Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Erigeron bonariensis*), Knotweed (*Polygonum aviculare*), Rhodes-grass (*Chloris gayana*), Grassland Wood-sorrel (*Oxalis perennans*), Bathurst Burr (*Xanthium spinosum*), St Barnaby's Thistle (*Centaurea solstitialis*), Galvanized Burr (*Sclerolaena birchii*).

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	Southan
Date	10-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	11-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 94
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence	Presence Identified		Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A burr-daisy <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
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Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>		Assumed presence previously mapped, corridor of Grey Box provides possible foraging and movement habitat

Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required.
- Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

## Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Superb Parrot assumed presence mapping is possible, habitat suitable for foraging and movement (not breeding)
- Additional weeds: Rhodes-grass (*Chloris gayana*), Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Erigeron bonariensis*), Curled Dock (*Rumex crispus*), Couch (*Cynodon dactylon*), Sow Thistle (*Sonchus oleraceus*), Epilobium sp., Spear Thistle (*Cirsium vulgare*), Paterson's Curse (*Echium plantagineum*).

### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	Southan
Date	11-05-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	14/07/2023

## Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Scott Rolph and Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	11-05-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower 95
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed tower location
Work Package ID	Pre-clearance survey (L5)

### Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint	$\boxtimes$	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			

### **Protected Matters**

Item	Presence Identified		Quantum to	Comments
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland <sup>12</sup>				
Grey Box ( <i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i> ) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia <sup>12</sup>				
Weeping Myall Woodlands <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains <sup>12</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains <sup>2</sup>		$\boxtimes$		

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Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa metatoris</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for A spear-grass ( <i>austrostipa wakoolica</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
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Habitat for Chariot Wheels <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
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Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea <sup>2</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	
Habitat for Superb Parrot <sup>12</sup>	$\boxtimes$	

#### Notes:

1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of Approval EnergyConnect NSW – Eastern Section (EPBC 2020/8766) 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (August 2022)

#### Management measures required to avoid or minimise impacts to Protected Matters:

- No additional mitigation measures required.
- Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

#### Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Comments: Habitat tree outside of tower footprint on southern edge of easement
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes ⊠	No 🗆	Comments: WP47
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🖂	No 🗆	Comments:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Comments: Tree with hollows
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details: Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan

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Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes □	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			

- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be completed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management plan.
- Paddock recently sown, no vegetation
- Additional weeds: None

#### Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Scott Rolph
Signature	Suchtlagh_
Date	11-05-2023
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Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	
Date	14/07/2023