

Ms Michelle O'Hare Senior Environmental Approvals Officer TransGrid 180 Thomas Street HAYMARKET NSW 2000

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Dear Ms O'Hare

Project EnergyConnect (NSW - Western Section) (SSI-10040) Response to Submissions

The exhibition of the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for Project EnergyConnect (NSW - Wester Section) concluded on 10 December 2020.

The Department received five submissions on the project, including two from the general public and three from special interest groups.

Advice was also received from 13 government agencies, including Wentworth Shire Council. Please note that advice from Transport for NSW will be forwarded to you once received.

All submissions, agency advice and comments received by the Department can be viewed on the Department's website at: <u>https://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/project/25821</u>.

The Department requires that you provide a response to the full range of matters and recommendations raised in all submissions,

Please provide your response to the issues raised in these submissions by **Friday 5 February 2021**. Following your consideration of the submissions, please contact the Department if you consider that this timeframe is not achievable.

If you have any questions, please contact lwan Davies, who can be contacted on 02 9274 6296 or at iwan.davies@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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as delegate for the Planning Secretary