Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure



Our ref: SSI-36656827-PA-118

Jeremy Roberts
Major Project Delivery Director
NSW Electricity Network Operations Pty Limited (t/a Transgrid)
Via email

5 December 2025

Subject: HumeLink East - Addendum Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report

Dear Mr Roberts

I refer to the HumeLink East – Addendum Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report, rev 0.3, dated October 2025 (the AACHAR) submitted on 7 November 2025 along with supporting documents. I note that you seek approval of the AACHAR under Condition B31 of Schedule 2 of the approval for HumeLink SSI 36656827.

Thank you also for your response to our request(s) for additional information.

I note the AACHAR:

- contains the information required by Condition B31
- has been prepared in consultation with Registered Aboriginal Parties and Heritage NSW
- has been reviewed by Transgrid and no issues have been raised with the department

To ensure consistency between the AACHAR and the Heritage Management Plan required under condition B33, I issue the following requirement under Condition A3 as nominee of the Planning Secretary:

1: An amended Heritage Management Plan (HMP) in respect of HumeLink East (Stage 3a) must be submitted to the Planning Secretary for approval under Condition B33 by 23 December 2025. The amended HMP must incorporate the management and mitigation measures from Sections 11 and 12 in the Addendum ACHAR approved by the Planning Secretary (reference number SSI-36656827-PA-118).

Accordingly, I approve the AACHAR under Condition B31 of SSI 36656827 as nominee of the Planning Secretary.

If there are any inconsistencies between the AACHAR and the conditions of approval, the conditions prevail.

Please make the AACHAR and this letter publicly available on the project website as soon as possible. Please note that culturally sensitive information may be protected under the Government Information Public Access Act, 2009. Such information should be redacted from the publicly available version of the AACHAR.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Grant Rokobauer, Acting Team Leader Transmission Post Approval.

Yours sincerely

Rebecca Eddington

Director Transmission Post Approval

As nominee of the Planning Secretary