Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Madeleine Cicchelli Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	30/09/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Access Track Untitled Track (possibly 5116-5116A)
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area informed by previous in field visual inspections (across multiple dates) by ecologists for the proposed disturbance area(s).
Work Package ID	L5 Ecology – Pre-clearance surveys

Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint			ntreline		
Break and Winch Site	🗆 Pa		king Areas		
Access Track (existing)		Aco	cess Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Oth	her		
Details of Other:					
Protected Matters					
Item	Presence	Identified		Comments	
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)		
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland ¹²					
Grey Box (<i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i>) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia ¹²					
Weeping Myall Woodlands ¹²		\boxtimes			
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains ¹²		\boxtimes			
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions ²					
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion ²					
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions ²					
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains ²					
Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa metatoris</i>) ²		\boxtimes			



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

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 managed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees

Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Comments:
Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Comments:
Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Comments: Brush rat den identified within the impact area.
Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Details:
	Yes □ Yes □ Yes □ Yes □ Yes □ Yes □	Yes No ⊠ Yes No ⊠ Yes ⊠ No ⊠ Yes □ No ⊠

Additional Comments

- Ecologist to be present for clearing activities.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with the Biosecurity Management Plan.
- Additional weeds: Witchgrass (*Panicum capillare*). *Clover* sp., Dock (*Rumex* sp.), Galvanised Burr (*Sclerolaena birchii*), African Lovegrass (*Eragrostis curvula*), Wild Oat (*Avena* sp.).

Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Madeleine Cicchelli
Signature	
Date	30/09/2023
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Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	07.10.2023



Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Madeleine Cicchelli Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	06/09/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Access Track 5027-5028
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area informed by previous in field visual inspections (across multiple dates) by ecologists for the proposed disturbance area(s).
Work Package ID	L5 Ecology – Pre-clearance surveys

Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed		
Tower Footprint	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site	Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)	Access Track (new)	\boxtimes
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 ¹²				
Grey Box (<i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i>) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia ¹²			0.02HA	Grey Box (E. microcarpa) Grassy Woodlands and derived native grasslands of South- eastern Australia
Weeping Myall Woodlands ¹²		\boxtimes		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains ¹²		\boxtimes		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions ²		\boxtimes		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion ²		\boxtimes		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions ²		\boxtimes		



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

- Total of 0.05 ha of the critically endangered BC Act TEC 'White Box Yellow Box Blakely's Red Gum grassy woodland and derived native grassland' to be removed.
- Total of 0.02 ha of the endangered BC Act TEC 'Inland Grey Box Woodland in the Riverina, NSW South Western Slopes, Cobar Peneplain, Nandewar and Brigalow Belt South Bioregions' to be removed.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be managed in accordance with the approved Biodiversity Management Plan.

Hollow Bearing / Habitat Trees			
Habitat trees and habitat features identified & marked?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Comments: Habitat identified. Hollow bearing trees.
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Comments: Waypoint ID 354B and 73
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:
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			
- Ecologist to be present for clearing activities			

- Weeds to be managed in accordance with the Biosecurity Management Plan.
- Additional weeds: Additional weed species: Flaxleaf Fleabane (Erigeron bonariensis), Spear Thistle (Cirsium vulgare), Sow Thistle (Sonchus oleraceus), Small-flowered Mallow (Malva parviflora), Small Nettle (Urtica urens), Bathurst Burr (Xanthium spinosum), Barley Grass (Hordeum sp.), Paterson's Curse (Echium plantagineum), Capeweed (Arctotheca calendula), Rye-grass (Lolium sp.), Wild Oat (Avena sp.), Curled Dock (Rumex crispus), Paddy Melon (Cucumis myriocarpus), Drain Flat-sedge (Cyperus eragrostis), Paspalum (Paspalum dilatatum), Galvanised Burr (Sclerolaena birchii), Onion grass (Romulea rosea), Burr medic (Medicago polymorpha), Black Nightshade (Solanum nigrum).

Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Madeleine Cicchelli
Signature	
Date	30/09/2023
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Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	07.10.2023

Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Andrew Taylor, Madeleine Cicchelli Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	06/09/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Access Track 5038-5039
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area informed by previous in field visual inspections (across multiple dates) by ecologists for the proposed disturbance area(s).
Work Package ID	L5 Ecology – Pre-clearance surveys

Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed		
Tower Footprint	Centreline	
Break and Winch Site	Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)	Access Track (new)	\boxtimes
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 ¹²	×		0.15 Ha	EPBC Act Threatened Ecological Community Quantum does not include areas that intersect with Tower Footprints.
Grey Box (<i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i>) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia ¹²			0.03 Ha	EPBC Act Threatened Ecological Community Quantum does not include areas that intersect with Tower Footprints.
Weeping Myall Woodlands ¹²		\boxtimes		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains ¹²				
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions ²		\boxtimes		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion ²		\boxtimes		



Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions ²	\boxtimes	
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains ²		
Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa metatoris</i>) ²		
Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa wakoolica</i>) ²		
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for A burr-daisy ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross ¹	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer ¹²		
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) ¹²		
Habitat for Superb Parrot ¹²	\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:

- Total of 0.15 ha of critically endangered BC Act-listed TEC '*White Box Yellow Box Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland*' identified within the impact area.
- Total of 0.23 ha of endangered BC Act-listed TEC 'Inland Grey Box Woodland in the Riverina, NSW South Western Slopes, Cobar Peneplain, Nandewar and Brigalow Belt South Bioregions' identified within the impact area.
- Exclusion Zones to be installed to restrict access to protected matters outside the construction footprint.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be managed 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: Squirrel Glider habitat mapped within the impact area.
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						
- Ecologist to be present for clearing activities.						

- Ecologist to be present for clearing activities.
- Squirrel Glider (Petaurus norfolcensis) habitat identified within impact area.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with the Biosecurity Management Plan.
- Additional weed species: Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Erigeron bonariensis*), Spear Thistle (*Cirsium vulgare*), Sow Thistle (*Sonchus oleraceus*), Small-flowered Mallow (*Malva parviflora*), Small Nettle (*Urtica urens*), Paterson's Curse (*Echium plantagineum*), Capeweed (*Arctotheca calendula*), Rye-grass (*Lolium sp.*), *Brassica sp.*, Onion Weed (*Asphodelus fistulosus*), Wild Oat (*Avena sp.*), Dock (*Rumex sp.*), Paspalum (*Paspalum dilataum*), Wild Sage (*Salvia verbenaca*), Hare's-foot clover (*Trifolium arvense*), Drain Flatsedge (*Cyperus eragrostis*), Black Nightshade (*Solanum nigrum*), Horehound (*Marrubium vulgare*), Prairie Grass (*Bromus catharticus*), Barley Grass (*Hordeum sp.*), Soursob (*Oxalis pes-caprae*), Paddy Melon (*Cucumis myriocarpus*), Canadian Fleabane (*Erigeron canadensis*), Witchgrass (*Panicum capillare*), Lepidium sp.

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Madeleine Cicchelli
Signature	
Date	06/09/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	07.10.2023

Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Madeleine Cicchelli, Max Wang Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	17/08/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Access Track 5055B - 5056
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed disturbance area.
Work Package ID	L5 Ecology – Pre-clearance surveys

Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed			
Tower Footprint		Centreline	
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas	
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	\boxtimes
Disturbance Area B		Other	
Details of Other:			
Protected Matters	1		

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



Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa metatoris</i>) ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa wakoolica</i>) ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for A burr-daisy ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross ¹	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Superb Parrot ¹²	\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 identified. Stick nests.
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Comments: Waypoint ID 452B, 453B
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:
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:

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If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					
 Ecologist required during clearing activities. Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management Plan. Additional weed species: Paterson's Curse (<i>Echium plantagineum</i>), Flaxleaf Fleabane (<i>Erigeron bonariensis</i>), Wild Oat (<i>Avena</i> sp.), Spear Thistle (<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>), Capeweed (<i>Arctotheca calendula</i>) Brassica sp., Curled Dock (<i>Rumex crispus</i>), Sow Thistle (<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i>), Hare's-foot Clover (<i>Trifolium arvense</i>), Small-flowered Mallow (<i>Malva parviflora</i>), Barley Grass (<i>Hordeum</i> sp.), Rye-grass (<i>Lolium</i> sp.), <i>Lepidium</i> sp., Paddy Melon (<i>Cucumis myriocarpus</i>), Wild Sage (<i>Salvia verbenaca</i>). 					

Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Madeleine Cicchelli
Signature	
Date	30/09/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	07.10.2023

Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Madeleine Cicchelli, Estelle Kayler-Thomson, Scott Rolph, Max Wang
	Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	16/08/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Access Track 5057 - 5058
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area
	In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed disturbance area
Work Package ID	L5 Ecology – Pre-clearance surveys

Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint		Centreline			
Break and Winch Site		Parking Areas			
Access Track (existing)		Access Track (new)	\boxtimes		
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 ¹²			0.05 Ha	EPBC Act Threatened Ecological Community (Quantum calculated for Access Track only, does not include areas which intersect with Tower Footprints or Access Points)
Grey Box (<i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i>) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia ¹²		\boxtimes		
Weeping Myall Woodlands ¹²		\boxtimes		
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains ¹²		\boxtimes	0.98 Ha	EPBC Act Threatened Ecological Community
				(Quantum calculated for Access Track only, does not include areas which intersect with Tower Footprints or Access Points)



Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions ²		\boxtimes			
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion ²		\boxtimes			
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions ²					
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains ²		\boxtimes			
Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa metatoris</i>) ²		\boxtimes			
Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa wakoolica</i>) ²					
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy ¹²					
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid ²		\boxtimes			
Habitat for A burr-daisy ²					
Habitat for Winged Peppercross ¹		\boxtimes			
Habitat for Chariot Wheels ¹²					
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea ¹²		\boxtimes			
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea ²		\boxtimes			
Habitat for Plains Wanderer ¹²		\boxtimes			
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) ¹²					
Habitat for Superb Parrot ¹²	\boxtimes		0.02	2 Ha	
Notes: 1 Protected matter listed within the Notification of 2 Protected matter listed within the Revised Biod					
Management measures required to avo	oid or mini	mise imp	acts f	to Protect	ed Matters:
 Total of 0.18Ha of critically endangered BC Act TEC <i>White Box Yellow Box Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland</i> identified within the impact area. Exclusion zones to be installed to restrict access to protected matters outside the construction footprint. 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		-	ts: Habitat identified. Hollow- rees and stick nests.
GPS coordinates and habitat trees recorded?	Yes 🛛] No		Commen	ts: Waypoint ID 133-135
Nest boxes required?	Yes 🗵] No		Commen	ts:
Fauna spotter required to be present during clearing activities?	Yes 🛛] No		Commen	ts:
Weeds					

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Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental Exclusion Zones					
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Details: EPBC and BC Act Threatened Ecological Communities, and Squirrel Glider habitat.		
Unexpected Finds					
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:		
Additional Comments					
 Ecologist to be present for clearing activities. Squirrel Glider (<i>Petaurus norfolcensis</i>) habitat mapped within the impact area. Weeds to be managed in accordance with the Biosecurity Management Plan. Additional weed species: Flaxleaf Fleabane (<i>Erigeron bonariensis</i>), Spear Thistle (<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>), Sow Thistle (<i>Sonchus</i>) 					

Additional weed species: Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Erigeron bonariensis*), Spear Thistle (*Cirsium vulgare*), Sow Thistle (*Sonchus oleraceus*), Soursob (*Oxalis pes-caprae*), Bathurst Burr (*Xanthium spinosum*), Barley Grass (*Hordeum* sp.), Paterson's Curse (*Echium plantagineum*), Capeweed (*Arctotheca calendula*), Variegated Thistle (*Silybum marianum*) Rye-grass (*Lolium sp.*), Shepherd's Purse (*Capsella bursa-pastoris*), Horehound (*Marrubium vulgare*), Onion Weed (*Asphodelus fistulosus*), Wild Oat (*Avena* sp.), *Lepidium* sp., Burr Medic (*Medicago polymorpha*), Witchgrass (*Panicum capillare*), Paddy Melon (*Cucumis myriocarpus*), Common Thorn-apple (*Datura stramonium*), St Barnaby's Thistle (*Centaurea solstitialis*), Knotweed (*Polygonum aviculare*), Galvanized Burr (*Sclerolaena birchii*), Wall Barley (*Hordeum leporinum*).

Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Madeleine Cicchelli
Signature	
Date	30/09/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	07.10.2023

Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Madeleine Cicchelli, Max Wang Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	17/08/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Access Track 5057A
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed disturbance area
Work Package ID	L5 Ecology – Pre-clearance surveys

Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint	C		treline		
Break and Winch Site		Par	king Areas		
Access Track (existing)	\boxtimes	Acc	ess Track (new)	
Disturbance Area B		Oth	er		
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 ¹²					
Grey Box (<i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i>) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia ¹²					
Weeping Myall Woodlands ¹²		\boxtimes			
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains ¹²					
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions ²					
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray		\boxtimes			

 Darling Depression Bioregion 2
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 Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains 2
 Image: Constraint of the pression Bioregion 2



Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa metatoris</i>) ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa wakoolica</i>) ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Mossgiel Daisy ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Sand-hill Spider Orchid ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for A burr-daisy ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Winged Peppercross ¹	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Chariot Wheels ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Slender Darling Pea ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Yellow Swainson-pea ²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Plains Wanderer ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Regent Parrot (eastern subspecies) ¹²	\boxtimes	
Habitat for Superb Parrot ¹²	\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:
Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds			

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Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Additional Comments			
 actively foraging in trees adjacent t Weeds to be managed in accordan Additional weed species: Paterson bonariensis), Wild Oat (Avena sp.), Curled Dock (Rumex crispus), Sow 	omatostomi o Access Tr ice with app 's Curse (<i>Ec</i> Spear This v Thistle (<i>So</i>	us temporal ack. roved Biose chium planta tle (Cirsium nchus olera	is) (vulnerable under the BC Act) observed ecurity Management Plan. <i>agineum</i>), Flaxleaf Fleabane (<i>Erigeron</i> <i>vulgare</i>), Capeweed (<i>Arctotheca calendula</i>), <i>ceus</i>), Hare's-foot Clover (<i>Trifolium arvense</i>), <i>ordeum</i> sp.), Rye-grass (<i>Lolium</i> sp.),

Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Madeleine Cicchelli
Signature	
Date	17/08/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	07.10.2023

Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Andrew Taylor and Dan Paje Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	07/06/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower Access Track 5082
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 Ecology – Pre-clearance surveys

Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint		Ce	Centreline		
Break and Winch Site		Pa	king Areas		
Access Track (existing)		Aco	cess Track (new)	\boxtimes
Disturbance Area B		Oth	ner		
Details of Other:					
Protected Matters					
Item	Presence	Identified		Comments	
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)		
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland ¹²					
Grey Box (<i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i>) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia ¹²					
Weeping Myall Woodlands ¹²		\boxtimes			
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains ¹²		\boxtimes			
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions ²					
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion ²					
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions ²					
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains ²					
Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa metatoris</i>) ²					



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

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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:
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					
 Ecologist not required for clearing a Weeds to be managed in accordan Additional weed species: Flaxleaf F 	ce with app		curity Management Plan <i>riensis),</i> Horseweed (<i>Erigeron canadensis</i>)		

Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Andrew Taylor, Madeleine Cicchelli
Signature	Andrew aufor.
Date	30/09/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	07.10.2023

Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Andrew Taylor and Dan Paje Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	07/06/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower Access Track 5083
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 Ecology – Pre-clearance surveys

Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint			ntreline	eline	
Break and Winch Site		Pa	king Areas		
Access Track (existing)		Ac	cess Track (new)	\boxtimes
Disturbance Area B		Oth	ner		
Details of Other:					
Protected Matters					
Item	Presence	Identified		Comments	
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)		
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland ¹²					
Grey Box (<i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i>) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia ¹²					
Weeping Myall Woodlands ¹²		\boxtimes			
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains ¹²					
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions ²					
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion ²					
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions ²					
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains ²					
Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa metatoris</i>) ²					



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

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:
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

- Ecologist not required for clearing activities.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management Plan.
- Additional weed species: Wild Oat (*Avena fatua*), Spear Thistle (*Cirsium vulgare*), Flaxleaf Fleabane (*Conzya bonariensis*), Paterson's Curse (*Echium plantagineum*), Horseweed (*Erigeron canadensis*), Witchgrass (*Panicum capillare*).

Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Andrew Taylor, Madeleine Cicchelli
Signature	Indrew aufor.
Date	30/09/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	07.10.2023

Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Andrew Taylor and Dan Paje Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	07/06/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower Access Track 5084
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 Ecology – Pre-clearance surveys

Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint			ntreline		
Break and Winch Site	🗆 Pa		rking Areas		
Access Track (existing)		Ac	cess Track (new)	\boxtimes
Disturbance Area B		Ot	ner	r	
Details of Other:					
Protected Matters					
Item	Presence	Identified		Comments	
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)		
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland ¹²					
Grey Box (<i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i>) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia ¹²					
Weeping Myall Woodlands ¹²		\boxtimes			
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains ¹²					
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions ²					
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion ²					
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions ²					
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains ²					
Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa metatoris</i>) ²		\boxtimes			



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

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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:
Environmental Exclusion Zones			
Threatened Species Identified within Disturbance Area B?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Environmental exclusion zones required?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
Unexpected Finds	1		
Were any Unexpected Finds identified?	Yes 🗆	No 🖂	Details:
If yes, has the Environmental Manager been notified?	Yes 🗆	No 🛛	Details:

Additional Comments

- No ecologist required for clearing activities.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management Plan.
- Additional weed species: Flaxleaf Fleabane (Conzya bonariensis), Horseweed (Erigeron canadensis)

Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Andrew Taylor, Madeleine Cicchelli
Signature	Andrew aufor.
Date	30/09/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	07.10.2023

Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Andrew Taylor and Dan Paje Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	07/06/2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	L5 Tower Access Track 5085
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 Ecology – Pre-clearance surveys

Table 2 – Pre-Clearance Survey Details

Infrastructure Surveyed					
Tower Footprint			ntreline		
Break and Winch Site	D Parki		king Areas		
Access Track (existing)		Aco	cess Track (new)	\boxtimes
Disturbance Area B		Oth	ner		
Details of Other:					
Protected Matters					
Item	Presence	Identified		Comments	
	Yes	No	Clear (Ha)		
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland ¹²					
Grey Box (<i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i>) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia ¹²					
Weeping Myall Woodlands ¹²		\boxtimes			
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains ¹²		\boxtimes			
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions ²					
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion ²		\boxtimes			
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions ²					
Seasonal Herbaceous Wetlands (Freshwater) of the Temperate Lowland Plains ²					
Habitat for A spear-grass (<i>austrostipa metatoris</i>) ²					



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

- Ecologist not required for clearing activities.
- Weeds to be managed in accordance with approved Biosecurity Management Plan
- Additional weed species: Flaxleaf Fleabane (Conzya bonariensis), Horseweed (Erigeron canadensis)

Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Andrew Taylor, Madeleine Cicchelli
Signature	Andrew aufor.
Date	30/09/2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	R
Date	07.10.2023

Table 1 - Information

Item	Detail
Ecologist / Fauna Spotter(s) Completing Pre-Clearance Survey	Name: Estelle Kayler-Thomson, Justine On, Madeleine Cicchelli, Dinithi Koswatta Gamage, Scott Rolph, Willem Magney Qualification: Ecologists
Date of Pre-Clearance Survey	15-07-2023 – 17-07-2023
Specific Pre-Clearance Survey Location (Line No./ Tower / Span No.)	Access Track 5118 – 5119 (excluding track within Dinawan Substation boundary)
Scope Methodology	Desktop review of vegetation mapping for nominated area
	In field visual inspection by ecologists of the proposed disturbance area
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)	\boxtimes
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 ¹²				
Grey Box (<i>Eucalyptus microcarpa</i>) Grassy Woodlands and Derived Native Grasslands of South-eastern Australia ¹²				
Weeping Myall Woodlands ¹²				
Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains ¹²		\boxtimes		
Buloke Woodlands of the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions ²		\boxtimes		
Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion ²		\boxtimes		
Plains mallee box woodland of the Murray Darling Depression, Riverina and Naracoorte Coastal Plains bioregions ²		\boxtimes		



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

- Exclusion zones to be installed to restrict access to protected matters outside the construction footprint.
- No additional mitigation measures required. Clearing works to be 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: Pre-inspection of grassland also recommended before any ground disturbance
Weeds			
Were any Weeds of National Significance or Priority Weeds identified?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆	Details: African Boxthorn (<i>Lycium ferocissimum</i>)
			Silver-leaved Nightshade (<i>Solanum</i> elaeagnifolium)
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			
(Panicum capillare), Stinging Nettle	ce with the anthium spir (<i>Urtica dioi</i>	Biosecurity nosum), Spe ica), Flaxlea	- ,

(Sclerolaena birchii), Curled Dock (Rumex crispus), Capeweed (Arctotheca calendula).

Table 3 – Pre-Clearance Approval

Ecologist	
Pre-clearance Assessment Timeframe for Nominated Works	3 months
Name	Estelle Kayler-Thomson, Madeleine Cicchelli, Scott Rolph
Signature	Sutter-
Date	17-07-2023
SecureEnergy	
Name	Glenn Hayden
Position	Senior Environmental Advisor
Signature	£
Date	07.10.2023