

Ms Megan Richardson
Development Manager
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By email

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Dear Ms Richardson

**Flyers Creek Wind (MP08_0252)
Biodiversity Offset Mapping and Credits (MP08_0252-PA-19)**

I refer to the Biodiversity Offset Report, and evidence of consultation with BCS, which was submitted in accordance with condition D5 of the approval for Flyers Creek Wind (MP08_0252).

The Department notes that Biodiversity Offset Report provides updated mapping and offset credit calculations for the Flyers Creek wind farm development site and footprint (including access tracks and support sites and infrastructure), excluding the 132kV transmission line area. The Department accepts that the Biodiversity Offset Report presents the revised mapping and biodiversity offset requirements for the wind farm site for the purposes of condition D5, because the 132kV transmission line impact mapping and offset liabilities were provided, assessed and recently approved as part of MP08_0252-Mod-5.

As a result, the Department has carefully reviewed the Biodiversity Offset Report and is satisfied that it updates the baseline mapping of the vegetation and key habitat within the final disturbance area, and calculates the biodiversity offset credit liabilities, for the wind farm site, in consultation with BCS.

Accordingly, I can advise you that the Biodiversity Offset Report: Flyers Creek Wind Farm (prepared by NGH Consulting, dated October 2021) has been prepared to the satisfaction of the Planning Secretary for the wind farm site (being the development footprint and development site defined in this document). Please ensure that the approved plan is placed on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Dominic Crinnion on (02) 9274 6495.

Yours sincerely



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As nominee of the Secretary