



IRF19/427

Professor Mary O'Kane  
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Independent Planning Commission  
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Dear Professor O'Kane

*Mary*

I refer to your letter to the Secretary, dated 25 January 2019, seeking an extension of time for the Commission to submit the final report for the initial public hearing for the Vickery Extension Project from 30 January until 29 March 2019.

I would like to advise you that the Secretary has considered the reasons why the Commission decided to postpone the initial hearings for the project from 18 December 2018 to 4 February 2019 and agreed to the proposed extension under the terms of reference of the Minister's request to the Commission dated 6 September 2018.

Should the Commission have any further questions about this extension or the Vickery Extension Project, it should contact Stephen O'Donoghue, A/Director Resource and Energy Assessments on 0477 345 626 or [stephen.odonoghue@planning.nsw.gov.au](mailto:stephen.odonoghue@planning.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely

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As the Secretary's nominee

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