



6 December 2019

Ms Lauren Barnaby
Manager - Environment and Community
Origin Energy

Via email: [REDACTED]

Dear Ms Barnaby

Ering Power Station Ash Dam Expansion (07_0084 MOD 1)

I write in relation to the Eraring Power Station Ash Dam Expansion modification application, which is currently before the Independent Planning Commission NSW for determination.

On Thursday 5 December 2019, the Commission conducted a second site inspection at the Eraring Power Station to assist in its understanding of supplementary dam works occurring separately to the modification.

Following that visit, the Commission is now seeking an update from Origin Energy regarding its ash dam stability project, including:

- the proposed timeframe
- the legislative authority, and
- how environmental impacts are being managed

The Commission would be grateful if Origin Energy could provide its response to this matter by 5pm AEDT on Friday 13 December 2019.

If you have any questions, I have asked Mr Brad James, Senior Project Officer, [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] to liaise directly with you.

Yours sincerely

Troy Deighton
Acting Executive Director - Secretariat