

Major Projects application



NSW GOVERNMENT
Department of Planning

Duly Made
Date received: 21 / 10 / 2010

Project Application No. M9 10-0187

1. Before you lodge

Under section 75E of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979* (the Act) this form is required to apply for the approval of the Minister to carry out a Project to which Part 3A of the Act applies.

Before lodging this application, it is recommended that you first consult with the Department of Planning (the Department) concerning your Project.

Please be aware that you may need to conduct a Planning Focus Meeting before lodging this application involving the Department, relevant agencies, Council or other groups identified by the Department. If you are required to conduct a Planning Focus Meeting, you will need to provide details and outcomes arising from the meeting.

To ensure that your application is accepted as being duly made, you must

- complete ALL parts of this form, and
- submit all relevant information required by this form.

All applications must be lodged with the Director-General, by courier or mail.

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2. Details of the proponent

Company/organisation/agency

AGL Energy Limited

ABN

74 115 061 375

☒ Mr ☐ Ms ☐ Mrs ☐ Dr ☐ Other

First name

Doug

Family name

Landfear

STREET ADDRESS

Unit/street no.

Level 22, 101

Street name

Miller Street

Suburb or town

North Sydney

State

NSW

Postcode

2060

POSTAL ADDRESS (or mark 'as above')

Locked Bag 1837

Suburb or town

St Leonards

State

NSW

Postcode

2065

Daytime telephone

02 9921 2201

Fax

02 9921 2401

Mobile

Email

dlandfear@agl.com.au

3. Identify the land you propose to develop

STREET ADDRESS

Unit/street no.

Street or property name

Suburb, town or locality

Nyngan

Postcode

2825

Local government area

Bogan Shire

REAL PROPERTY DESCRIPTION

Lot 36 in DP752891, Lots 2, 3, and 24 in DP 751328

OR: detailed description of land attached:

The real property description is found on a map of the land or on the title documents for the land. If you are unsure of the real property description, you should contact the Department of Lands.

Please ensure that you place a slash (/) to distinguish between the lot, section, DP and strata numbers. If the Major Project applies to more than one piece of land, please use a comma to distinguish between each real property description.

Where the Major Project is subject to Clause 8F of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000* and in lieu of completing the above, a description or detailed plan of the land affected must be included with the documents required with Part 4 below.

4. Proposed Major Project – Description and other Requirements

Provide a brief title for your Project that includes all significant components. If the application relates to only part of a Project, include a clear title that describes the relevant part.

Nyngan Solar Photovoltaic Power Project

Is the application related only to a part of a Project?

☐ Yes ☒ No

You are also required to provide a Project Description Report and address any matters required by the Director-General in accordance with 75E of the Act. Failure to do so may lead to your application being rejected.

Is a Preliminary Assessment attached:

Hard copy:

☒ Yes ☐ No

Electronic version:

☒ Yes ☐ No

(NB: An electronic copy is required as all applications must be provided on the Department's website. You should contact the Department on the correct electronic format).

Is the Preliminary Assessment consistent with the requirements of any Guideline produced by the Department (including any draft)?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Does the Preliminary Assessment include additional matters required by the Director-General, such as evidence of a Planning Focus Meeting and consultation?

☐ Yes ☒ No

CONCEPT APPROVAL

If you are applying for a **concept approval**, the Department's *Concept Approval Guideline* should be consulted and the matters identified therein must be addressed as part of your application.

Does the Preliminary Assessment address these guidelines?

☐ Yes ☐ No

FULL TIME EQUIVALENT JOBS

Please indicate the number of jobs created by the proposed Major Project. This should be expressed as a proportion of full time jobs over a full year.

Construction jobs (full-time equivalent)

150

Operational jobs (full-time equivalent)

3

5. Approvals from State agencies

Does the proposed Major Project require any of the following: (tick all appropriate)

- ☐ an aquaculture permit under section 144 of the *Fisheries Management Act 1994*
- ☐ an approval under section 15 of the *Mine Subsidence Compensation Act 1961*
- ☐ a mining lease under the *Mining Act 1992*
- ☐ a production lease under the *Petroleum (Onshore) Act 1991*
- ☒ an environment protection licence under Chapter 3 of the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* (for any of the purposes referred to in section 43 of that Act)
- ☐ a consent under section 138 of the *Roads Act 1993*

6. Application fee

You are required to pay a fee for the assessment of a Major Project. This fee is based on the estimated cost of the Major Project.

The Department requires a proportion of the total fee to be paid with this application. You should consult with the Department before lodging this application to determine the proportion to be paid.

Estimated Project Cost

\$350,000,000

7. Owner's Consent

As the owner(s) of the above property, I/we consent to this application being made on our behalf by the Proponent:

NOT APPLICABLE.

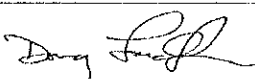
Note: The Department will not accept an application for a Major Project without having the signature of the owner of the land, **unless** the Major Project is subject to Clause 8F of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000*.

8. Proponent's Signatures

As the proponent(s) of the proposed Major Project and in signing below, I/we hereby:

- provide a description of the proposed Project and address all matters required by the Director-General pursuant to Section 75E of the Act, and
- apply, subject to satisfying Clause 8D of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000*, for the Director-General Environmental Assessment Requirements pursuant to Part 3A of the Act, and
- declare that all information contained within this application is accurate at the time of signing.

Signature



Name

Doug Landfear
Manager Solar Development

Date

15 October 2010

If not Proponent, in what capacity are you signing

Name, if you are not the proponent

Political Donations Disclosure Statement to Minister or the Director-General

If you are required under section 147(3) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 to disclose any political donations (see Page 1 for details), please fill in this form and sign below.

Disclosure statement details

Name of person making this disclosure

Sarah McNamara, Head of Govt Affairs

Planning application reference (e.g. DA number, planning application title or reference, property address or other description)

Your interest in the planning application (circle relevant option below)

You are the APPLICANT ☒ YES / ☐ NO

OR

You are a PERSON MAKING A SUBMISSION IN RELATION TO AN APPLICATION ☐ YES / ☐ NO

Reportable political donations made by person making this declaration or by other relevant persons

* State below any reportable political donations you have made over the 'relevant period' (see glossary on page 2). If the donation was made by an entity (and not by you as an individual) include the Australian Business Number (ABN).

* If you are the applicant of a relevant planning application state below any reportable political donations that you know, or ought reasonably to know, were made by any persons with a financial interest in the planning application. OR

* If you are a person making a submission in relation to an application, state below any reportable political donations that you know, or ought reasonably to know, were made by an associate.

Name of donor (or ABN if an entity)	Donor's residential address or other official office of the donor	Name of party or person for whose benefit the donation was made	Date donation made	Amount/ value of donation
AL Energy Ltd ABN 74 115 061 375	Level 22, 101 Miller Street North Sydney 2060	ALP (NSW Branch) Executive Bus Partner Membership	19/11/2008	\$12,500
"	"	Liberal Party (NSW Division) Millennium Forum Membership	25/2/2009	\$11,000
"	"	ALP (NSW Branch) Executive Bus Partner Membership	8/4/2009	\$13,750
"	"	Liberal Party (NSW Division) Millennium Forum Membership	10/3/2010	\$11,000

Please list all reportable political donations—additional space is provided overleaf if required.

By signing below, I/we hereby declare that all information contained within this statement is accurate at the time of signing.

Signature(s) and Date

12/10/2010

Name(s)

Sarah McNamara, Head of Government Affairs

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








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Project area and surrounds



LEGEND

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|  Study area |  Road |
|  Site boundary |  Railway |
|  Proposed transmission line |  Transmission line |
|  Proposed transmission line easement |  Watercourse |
| |  Water body |
| |  Cadastre |

GDA 1994 | MGA Zone 55
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