

New England Solar battery storage increase approved

The NSW Government has now approved our application to modify the development consent for our solar and battery project, including an increase in the battery capacity to 2,800 megawatt hours – or enough energy to power 175,000 homes.

The battery system would be able to be charged directly from the solar farm or the grid. It can store this energy and discharge it back into the electricity grid when required, providing on demand energy to homes and businesses and helping to maintain grid stability.

The modification also includes some changes to Stage 2 of the solar project area, helping to optimise the project, and move it another step towards construction.

It also increases the development footprint for the project by about 130 hectares of adjoining land from existing project landowners, and extra vehicle movements.

For more information go to:

www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/majorprojects

Construction work update



More than 200 crane lifts have been completed to position Power Conversion Units into the correct location on the solar farm site.

Over 750,000 solar panels have been installed and the project is now commissioned at over 50 per cent generation.

Work is continuing to install the remaining panels and complete commissioning.

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