

Modification Application on public exhibition

An application to modify the development consent for the New England Solar and Battery Project has now been approved for public exhibition by the NSW Department of Planning and Environment.

The modification application is proposing to make a number of changes to the project development consents that were approved in 2020.

This includes the use of additional land from existing landholders and an upgrade to the battery energy storage system capacity.

This means that the upper limit of the project's battery storage capacity would increase from 200 MW to 1400 MW so that it would be capable of supplying 700 MW of energy over four hours – enough energy to supply about 250,000 homes with on-demand energy.

The application is also requesting an extension to work hours and an increase in allowable daily heavy vehicles during the construction phase of the project.

*The application is on exhibition until
Thursday 17 November.*

*To read our full project update go to
our website:*

www.newenglandsolar.com.au



Working towards solar farm connection

The installation of solar panels and electrical cabling across our work zones is reaching full swing on the solar and battery project.

With the substation and switching station works substantially complete, we will soon be working to connect to the electricity transmission network – an important step in sending power into the main grid.

In the meantime, we will be continuing with solar panel and electrical infrastructure installations across other parts of the site.

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