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## ADVERTISED PLAN

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Dear Stephen,

### **Letter of Advice Nhill Renewable Energy Facility, Ervins Road NHILL**

The documentation below, provided to CFA, has been reviewed by an officer of this Authority:

- **Nhill Renewable Energy Facility, General Equipment Layout Sheet 1 of 4, Drawing No. 3718-321-0001 Rev. C, dated 17/12/2019;**
- **Nhill Renewable Energy Facility, General Equipment Layout Sheet 2 of 4, Drawing No. 3718-321-0002 Rev. C, dated 17/12/2019;**
- **Nhill Renewable Energy Facility, General Equipment Layout Sheet 3 of 4, Drawing No. 3718-321-0003 Rev. C, dated 17/12/2019; and**
- **Nhill Renewable Energy Facility, General Equipment Layout Sheet 4 of 4, Drawing No. 3718-321-0004 Rev. C, dated 17/12/2019.**
- **Email from Stephen Bussenschutt ([stephen@vibeenergy.com.au](mailto:stephen@vibeenergy.com.au)) 'RE: Nhill Renewable Energy Facility CFA Consultation', 7/2/2020 12.24pm, to Jennifer Blyth ([j.blyth@cfa.vic.gov.au](mailto:j.blyth@cfa.vic.gov.au)).**

CFA recommends adherence to CFA's Guidelines for Renewable Energy Installations 2019. These Guidelines represent the minimum fire safety requirements for solar facilities.

#### **Fire Protection System**

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The fire water tank is to be separated from the solar panels, inverters and any other high voltage electrical equipment by at least 10 metres.

#### **Emergency Management Planning**

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CFA recommends that an Emergency Management Plan is prepared to the satisfaction of CFA's State Infrastructure and Dangerous Goods Unit ([sidgu@cfa.vic.gov.au](mailto:sidgu@cfa.vic.gov.au)), for both the construction and operational phases of the renewable energy facility.

The Emergency Management Plan, and the provision of on-site emergency information is to be as per CFA's Guidelines for Renewable Energy Installations, Part 2: Emergency Management, dated February 2019.

***Closing Comments***

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For clarification on any matter within this letter or if any further information is required in this matter please contact Jennifer Blyth on 9262 8865.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jennifer Blyth', written in a cursive style.

**Jennifer Blyth**  
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