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Planning – Renewables Development Approvals & Design Department of Environment, Land, Water & Planning 8 Nicholson Street MELBOURNE, VIC 3000

Dear Sir/Madam,

Planning Permit Application: Connection to Hill Road Solar Farm 489 Hill Road, Stanhope

Spiire acts on behalf of Powercor Australia Pty Ltd in regards to a planning permit application for the use and development of a utility installation in Stanhope, Victoria.

The proposed works form the connection from the 'ACEnergy' Hill Road Solar Farm to the existing electrical alignment. The Solar Farm was approved under Planning Permit PLN055/2019.

The land to which this application applies to include 489 Hill Road, Stanhope (Lots 16, 17 & 18 on TP302500) and the Hill Road road reserve.

To assist DELWP with the assessment of this application, please find attached the following:

- Town Planning Report, prepared by Spiire (dated May 2020), including the following:
 - Siting Plan, prepared by Spiire, (26 May 2020) Appendix A;
 - Construction Plan (PCA80 5120185 1), prepared by Powercor Australia Ltd Appendix B;
 - Biodiversity Report, prepared by EcoAerial (dated 3 June 2020) Appendix C; and
 - Hill Road 'Acenergy' Solar Farm Planning Permit, Campaspe Shire Appendix D.

The relevant application fee will be paid to DELWP as part of the lodgement process.

Should you have any questions about this application, please do not hesitate to contact me on 03 9993 7989 or at <u>keeley.martin@spiire.com.au</u>.

Yours sincerely

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