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Introduction

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5 Preferred option for decision by the EPA

Assess - Public environmental review

6 What are the reasons for your preferred option for decision of the EPA?

Reasons:

The Society believes this project should be subject to a Public Environmental Review as it:

1. Requires an extensive area to be cleared in an area where extensive land clearing is common and the flora and habitat value of the vegetation is not well understood.
2. Listed Vulnerable and Threatened species of flora and fauna are likely to occur.
3. The construction and operational aspects of the project are potentially likely to give rise to pollution of air, water, and soil without proper controls.
4. The works are likely to have a significant impact on the visual amenity of the project area.
5. The cultural heritage impact on the area is not well understood.
6. The social impact on local communities and existing land uses needs to be considered.

By checking this box you are consenting to your comments being used to inform the EPA's decision on whether to assess this proposal and, if so, the level of assessment, and understand that your comments and / or any part of your submission may be made public. If you wish your comments and / or any part of your submission (i.e. name and contact details) to be treated as confidential, please make a specific request in your submission. It is important to note that a request for confidentiality does not make your submission automatically exempt from disclosure. While the department will use its best endeavours to comply with your request, your submission (or part thereof) may still be disclosed if required under the Freedom of Information Act 1992, for procedural fairness purposes or under any other applicable law. :

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