BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION REGULATION 2017

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENTER INTO A STRATEGIC OFFSET DELIVERY AGREEMENT – CENTRAL WEST ORANA RENEWABLE ENERGY ZONE TRANSMISSION PROJECT

I, Anthony Lean, Secretary of the Department of Climate Change, Energy, Environment and Water, in my capacity as the Environment Agency Head, under clause 6.3A(7)(a) of the *Biodiversity Conservation Regulation 2017* (the **Regulation**), give notice of my intention to enter into a strategic offset delivery agreement (as defined in the Regulation) with the Energy Corporation of New South Wales (ABN 13 495 767 706) (EnergyCo) in relation to the Central West Orana Renewable Energy Zone Transmission project.

Under clause 6.2(6)(a) of the Regulation, the Central West Orana Renewable Energy Zone Transmission project is classified as a major project development (as defined in the Regulation), as it is a REZ network infrastructure project within the meaning of the *Electricity Infrastructure Investment Act 2020*.

09 May 2025

Date

Anthony Lean

Secretary

Department of Climate Change, Energy, Environment and Water