

Planning and Development (Environmental Impact Statement – Williamsdale Solar Facility) Exemption 2013*

Notifiable Instrument NI2013-26

Made under the

Planning and Development Act 2007, s211 (EIS not required if development application exempted)

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Planning and Development (Environmental Impact Statement – Williamsdale Solar Facility) Exemption 2013*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on the day after notification.

3 EIS not required if development application exempted

In accordance with section 211 of the *Planning and Development Act 2007*, the Minister has decided that the Williamsdale Solar Facility development will not require further environmental assessment.

A copy of the Minister's exemption is shown at Annexure A.

A copy of the exemption report may be obtained from ESDD's website:

http://www.actpla.act.gov.au/topics/design_build/da_assessment/eis/exemptions_from_an_environmental_impact_statement

4 Completion

The s211 exemption expires 18 months after the day the notice is notified.

Ben Ponton
Environment and Sustainable Development Directorate
15 January 2013

*Name amended under Legislation Act, s 60



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Dear Ms O'Hara

Williamsdale Solar Facility s211 exemption from the requirement to complete an Environmental Impact Statement

I have reviewed the information provided in your application under Section 211 of the *Planning and Development Act 2007* (the Act) for an exemption from the requirement to complete an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS).

Having considered the information submitted in support of your request, I consider that the expected environmental impact of the proposal has been sufficiently addressed.

As Minister responsible for the Act, I advise that the proposed development of Williamsdale Solar Facility will not require any further environmental assessment. You are now able to lodge an impact track development application for actions described in your application with the Environment and Sustainable Development Directorate. Please ensure that you include a copy of this letter with your development application.

Yours sincerely

Simon Corbell MLA
Minister for the Environment and Sustainable Development

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