Crookwell 2 and 3 Windfarm Community Consultative Committee

Minutes of the meeting of the CCC

Time 4.00PM Wednesday 16 August 2023

Venue Crookwell 3 Wind Farm Site Office

The meeting was preceded by a site visit.

Attendance: Peter Gordon (Independent Chair), Katrina Nixon, Steve Ward, Councillor Paul Culhane, Haridan Fuentes Cabrera, David Santo, Graham Young, Kirsty Lemings and Marco Romero representing Global Power Generation and Crookwell Development Pty Ltd

Apologies: John Carter

No new pecuniary or other interests were declared.

Minutes of previous meeting: The minutes of meeting were accepted as an accurate record of that meeting.

Members noted that the minutes and other CCC records are to be now easily accessed through the company website

www.globalpower-generation.com.au/projects/NSW/Crookwell 3

Business arising from previous minutes — response to issues raised or provision of additional information requested

Correspondence – Nil.

Technical issues. Covered under the company report below.

Company reports and overview of activities:

GPG provided a comprehensive brief for the CCC. Major issues regarding Crookwell 2 showed that the 2022 servicing was nearing completion with one blade to be replaced.

Discussion also focussed on the Upper Lachlan Foundation and whether the renewable energy industry in the district can help the foundation in any way.

No complaints have been received.

Operational Report Crookwell 2

The wind farm is working well. And after new maintenance contractors were engaged the turbines are working efficiently.

The C2 environment and production reports are accessible on the website. A bird and bat study has been completed and is available.

DPIE has approved management plans which are available on the Wind Farm website.

Crookwell 3

It is expected that installation of the turbines can be expected by September 2023.

Issues identified by the community or local government representatives

All relevant matters covering the meeting

Community complaints and response to complaints

GPG tabled a complaints register at the meeting as is required under the CCC guidelines. No complains in this period.

The company currently has a free call number (1800 457 181) for all community enquiries, this number will be used for the community complaints process once the next phase of construction in early 2021 has commenced. The company website also has an enquiry form that will be used for the community complaints process.

Next meeting

The next meeting will pe programmed in March of 2023 at a time suitable for a short meeting with the Gullen Range and possibly Biala CCCs.

The venue is the CWA Hall in Crookwell unless otherwise agreed and the meetings will commence at 4.00pm. The meeting schedule, venue and time may be changed subject to availability, and will be notified in advance of the scheduled event.

Peter Gordon

Independent Chair

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