



Our reference: 2011/6228

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Dear Mr Johannesen

**EPBC 2011/6228 Mount Emerald Wind Farm Proposal, Queensland**

Thank you for your letter dated 16 December 2016 to the Department, for and on behalf of Mount Emerald Wind Farm Pty Ltd, requesting approval of the *Mount Emerald Wind Farm Offset Area Management Plan, December 2016 R76073/PR132974-1*.

Officers of the Department have reviewed and advised me on the *Mount Emerald Wind Farm Offset Area Management Plan, December 2016 R76073/PR132974-1*.

On this basis, and as a delegate of the Minister for the Environment and Energy, I have decided to approve the *Mount Emerald Wind Farm Offset Area Management Plan, December 2016 R76073/PR132974-1*. This plan must now be implemented.

EPBC 2011/6228 condition 29 allows you (under certain circumstances) to implement revised plans without seeking the Minister's approval. If you require any advice on whether or not to submit a revised plan for approval, please contact the officer below. When submitting any revised plan to the Minister under condition 29, please provide a 'tracked changes' version of the plan. I also attach a fact sheet providing guidance on 'new or increased impact' relating to changes to approved management plans under EPBC Act environmental approvals.

Should you require any further information please contact Robin Nielsen, on 02 6274 1004 or by email: [post.approvals@environment.gov.au](mailto:post.approvals@environment.gov.au)

Yours sincerely

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20 December 2016

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