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Dear Ms Fitzpatrick

Re: Invite to comment – Sun Cable Pty Ltd, Australia-ASEAN Power Link - NOSV

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the Notice of Significant Variation (NOSV) proposed by Sun Cable Pty Ltd for the Australia-ASEAN Power Link project.

Comments are included in the "Submission on the referral" document attached.

If you require any further information please contact Mairi Walsh, Manager Resource Regulatory Reform at StrategyPolicyCoordination.DITT@nt.gov.au or on 8999 7020.

Yours sincerely



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Submission on the Notice of Significant Variation

Sun Cable Pty Ltd – Australia-ASEAN Power Link

This submission is made under section 51 of the *Environment Protection Act 2019* and Regulation 171 of the Environment Protection Regulations 2020

Government authority: Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Section of Referral	Theme or issue	Comment
NA	Mineral Titles	None of the proposed variations impact any granted titles or titles under application.
NA	Energy Development and Titles	<p>The Energy Development Branch note the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solar Precinct – the proposed location of the solar precinct has not changed and the petroleum titleholders remain the same as per the initial response. • Overhead Transmission Line – this will now be located over Pipeline Licence 4, operated by APT Pipelines (NT) Pty Ltd. The operators should be contacted prior to any work being undertaken in the area (contact details available on request). • Subsea Cable System – the proposed subsea cable system route options intersect Pipeline Licence 20 (Bayu Undan Pipeline). The operators are Santos NA Darwin Pipeline Pty Ltd, and they should be contacted prior to any work being undertaken in the area (contact details available on request).
NA	Agriculture	The agriculture division have no comments to make on this matter from an agricultural perspective.
NA	Fisheries	The fisheries division note the updated proposed route and location of the project will bring it into close proximity to the hatchery site for project Sea Dragon. Fisheries recommend that the two projects will liaise closely with one another to minimise any negative impacts from the proposed development.