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Kia Ora Trent,

Section 30(3)(b) of the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024

Thank you for your email dated 5 March 2026 regarding Nova Energy Limited's proposed Twizel Solar Project.

We acknowledge that the proposal is not listed under Schedule 2 of the Fast-track Approval Act 2024 (FTAA).

In accordance with section 30(3) of the FTAA, the Canterbury Regional Council is required to:

...advise the authorised person—

(a) of any existing resource consent to which section 124C(1)(c) or 165ZI of the Resource Management Act 1991 would apply if the approval were to be applied for as a resource consent under that Act; or

(b) that there are no existing resource consents of that kind.

Canterbury Regional Council can confirm that there are no existing resource consents as per section 30(3)(b) of the Fast-track Approvals Act.

Canterbury Regional Council trust this clarification provides the necessary information for proceeding with the application under the FTAA. Should you require any further information or have additional queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Ngā mihi

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