

File ref: FTAA-2509-1100

21 August 2026

Tēnā koe

Notice of suspension of processing application for The Point Solar Farm

You are receiving this letter as you were invited to comment on The Point Solar Farm under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 (the Act).

On 26 September 2025, Far North Solar Farm Limited (**the Applicant**) lodged an application with the EPA for The Point Solar Farm under the Act. The EPA has suspended processing of the substantive application due to outstanding payment of fees payable to the EPA in accordance with the Fast-track Approvals (Cost Recovery) Regulations 2025.

The EPA has directed the suspension of processing of the application from 21 August 2026 under section 61(1) of the Act. All processing of this application must be suspended from 21 August 2026. Any costs incurred while the application is suspended will not be recoverable.

Once we receive payment in full of the outstanding amounts from the applicant, we will resume processing of their application. We will write to you again if this occurs.

In the meantime, the Applicant suspension granted on 22 June 2026 and extended on 17 July as outlined in [Minute-20](#) and [Minute-22](#) respectively is no longer in place. Correspondence received from the Applicant may be found here:

<https://www.fasttrack.govt.nz/projects/the-point-solar-farm/correspondence>

If you have any questions please contact [REDACTED], Application Lead by email at info@fasttrack.govt.nz.

Nāku noa, nā



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