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Dear Ms Oliver

**Bibbiewindi and Dewhurst Gas Exploration Pilot Expansions (SSDs 5934 & 6038)
Biodiversity Management Plan**

The Department has reviewed the Biodiversity Management Plan, dated October 2014 and submitted in accordance with condition 27 of Schedule 3 of the development consents for the Bibbiewindi and Dewhurst Gas Exploration Pilot Expansions (SSDs 5934 and 6038), and considers it to be adequate.

I would like to advise you that the Secretary has approved the Biodiversity Management Plan.

Please note the requirement under condition 10 of Schedule 5 of the development consents to make copies of all approved plans, programs and strategies publicly available.

If you require any more information, please contact Brendan Liew.

Yours sincerely

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As nominee of the Secretary