## **ENERGY ROADMAP AMENDMENT BILL 2025**

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Governance, Energy and Finance Committee
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Dear Committee Secretary,

## RE: Committee inquiry into Energy Roadmap Amendment Bill 2025

On behalf of RES Australia, please accept our submission to the Energy Roadmap Amendment Bill 2025. RES Group is the largest privately owned renewable energy company in the world. Founded in the United Kingdom, RES Group has developed and / or constructed more than 28 gigawatts (GW) of renewable energy projects and, with the acquisition of Ingeteam Services, RES is now the largest provider of renewable energy support services globally with over 45GW of assets under management.

Active in Australia since 2004, RES Australia has delivered major projects including the development of the Taralga Wind Farm (NSW), Ararat Wind Farm (VIC), the Murra Warra I and Murra Warra II Wind Farms (VIC), and the Emerald Solar Farm and Dulacca Wind Farm (QLD).

RES Australia is currently progressing the Tarong West and Moah Creek (with a joint venture partner) wind farms, which have secured their Queensland Government planning approvals, and progressing through the final stages of Australian Government approvals through the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999. In Queensland, RES Australia staff work from offices in Brisbane and Rockhampton.

With an active development portfolio, RES is proudly supporting the energy transition in Queensland and the shared objective of the Queensland Energy Roadmap for affordable, reliable and sustainable energy for Queensland.

RES Australia is an active member of the Queensland Renewable Energy Council (QREC) and supports key recommendations of QREC's submission and its evidence to the Committee on 29 October 2025.



RES Australia welcomes the efforts of the Queensland Government to encourage overseas investment with a focus on renewable energy. The Queensland Europe and United Kingdom Trade and Investment Strategy 2025-28 highlighted the Queensland opportunity for "Strong demand for critical minerals, renewable energy inputs, and decarbonisation technology".

## Specifically, RES Australia recommends:

- the retention of Queensland's legislated renewable energy targets of 50% by 2030, 70% by 2032 and 80% by 2035 to maintain impetus behind new energy generation development in Queensland and complement the Government's commitment to retain the State's legislated emission reduction targets;
- request the Government provide more detail about the content and timeframe for Energy System
  Outlook. While the Bill states the Outlook's first review is required by 31 May 2027, the Government
  should provide the earliest possible advice on the scope of the Outlook and processes for stakeholder
  input into the review;
- provide more detail on the Regional Energy Hub framework and how it will "streamline and enhance operational efficiency by removing unnecessary prescription and processes"; and
- consistent with RES Australia's submission to the Parliamentary Committee inquiry into the Energy
  (Renewable Transformation and Jobs) Bill 2023, RES Australia recommends the continuation of
  Renewable Energy Jobs Advocate in recognition of maximising the local employment opportunities
  from the development of large-scale renewable energy projects. RES Australia actively works with
  local communities, councils, economic development agencies and suppliers to promote those local
  opportunities.

## Yours sincerely,



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