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Productivity Commission
Ngunnawal Country
4 National Circuit
BARTON ACT 2600

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Subject: NSW submission on the Productivity Commission's National Water Initiative – Interim Report

Dear Ms Wood,

Please find attached submission from the NSW Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water – Water Group on the Productivity Commission's National Water Reform – Interim Report.

I would like to thank you for the opportunity to provide comment on the Interim Report and acknowledge the extensive information that NSW has already provided in our responses to the Productivity Commission's information requests to inform this report.

The NSW submission does not seek to extensively revisit this feedback and due to the timeframes provided to respond to the Interim Report, we have focussed on addressing factual errors, inaccuracies, or omissions and providing clarification from the NSW perspective. We are committed to the continuous improvement of national water reform processes and would be supportive if the Productivity Commission wishes to publish NSW's prior information responses on its website.

If you would like more information on these matters, please contact Ms Samantha McCallum, Director MDB and Intergovernmental, at

Yours sincerely,

Amanda Jones
Deputy Secretary Water
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Enclosed: NSW DCCEEW Submission on the Productivity Commission's National Water Reform 2024 – Interim Report