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## **AIMS TROPICAL MARINE RESEARCH FACILITIES PROJECT**

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the joint Statement of Evidence for the above mentioned works for the Australian Institute of Marine Science.

A review of the joint Statement of Evidence (the "Statement") to the Joint Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works has been carried out for compliance with the *Energy in Government Operations* (EEGO) policy.

In consideration of the information provided in the Statement, I am satisfied that there is sufficient intent to comply with the relevant provisions of the EEGO policy where practicable, however more broadly, the following should be also considered:

- Project governance arrangements to form a site management committee to facilitate ongoing discussions of the site's environmental performance and maintenance, where applicable in relation to office space.

Yours sincerely

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