

G APPROVALS CHECKLIST

Approval type	Approval authority	Legislative Act	Trigger/relevant aspect of project
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT			
EPBC Referral	DEWHA	<i>Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999</i>	Submission as 'Controlled' or 'Not a Controlled' Action
STATE GOVERNMENT			
Declaration of Significant Project	CG	<i>State Development and Public Works Organisation Act 1971</i>	Submission of Initial Advice Statement – decision for requirement of an EIS and if bilateral agreement for State/Federal EIS process is required.
Proponent as a Local Body	CG	<i>State Development and Public Works Organisation Act 1971</i>	LinkWater defined as a 'Local Body' under the SDPWO Act.
Prescribed Project (Critical Infrastructure)	CG	<i>State Development and Public Works Organisation Act 1971</i>	Declaration of Project as 'Prescribed Project' and 'Critical Infrastructure Project' by State Government (Works Regulation).
Cultural Heritage Management Plan	NRW	<i>Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Act 2003</i>	Aspects of the project traversing areas identified as having Aboriginal and Cultural Heritage Significance (Requirement of EIS).
Native Title	NNTT (QLD)	<i>Commonwealth Native Title Act 1993</i>	Projects works affecting areas attached to Native Title.
Works within SEQ Regional Plan 2005–2026	DIP	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Works associated with all aspects of the project falling within the SEQ Regional Plan footprint.
SPP 1/92 Development and Conservation of Agricultural Land	DIP	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Aspects of the project traversing 'Good Quality Agricultural Land'.
SPP 1/02 Development in the Vicinity of Certain Airports and Aviation Facilities	DIP	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Aspects of the project traversing areas within the 'Vicinity of Aviation Facilities'.
SPP 2/02 Planning and Managing Development Involving Acid Sulfate Soils	DIP	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Aspects of the project traversing land at or below 5m AHD where natural ground level is below 20m AHD.

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PP 1/03 Mitigating the Adverse Impacts of Flood, Bushfire and Landslide	DIP	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Aspects of the project traversing land identified as 'Natural Hazard Management Area'.
SPP 2/07 Protection of Extractive Resources (KRAs)	DIP	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Aspects of the project traversing land identified as 'Key Resource Area' (KRA).
State and Regional Coast Management Plans	DIP	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Aspects of the project traversing land located within a 'Coastal Zone' as defined by the <i>Coastal Protection and Management Act 1995</i> .
Vegetation Clearing Permit	NRW	<i>Vegetation Management Act 1999</i>	Clearing 'Mapped Vegetation and Essential Habitat along ROW and associated facility areas.
Vegetation Offsets	NRW CG	<i>Vegetation Management Act 1999—Policy for Vegetation Management Offsets, 28 September 2007.</i>	Offsetting vegetation as a result of clearing RE types E, OC, EH throughout the project.
Koala Management Plan	EPA	<i>Nature Conservation Act 1992 – Nature Conservation (Koala) Conservation Plan 2006 and Management Program 2006–2016</i>	Works within Koala Conservation Areas (KCAs) along ROW.
Environmentally Relevant Activities (ERAs) Level 1 & 2	EPA	<i>Environmental Protection Act 1994</i>	ERA No. 7—Chemical Storage: Pump Station/Chemical Dosing Facilities.
Building Works (Standard Building Reg's)	Certifier	<i>Building Act 1975</i>	Construction of all 'structures' associated with project works.
Large Dangerous Goods Location	DES	<i>Dangerous Goods Safety Management Act 2001</i>	Storing Dangerous Goods as defined under the Act at various facilities associated with the Project.
Taking/Interfering with Water	NRW	<i>Water Act 2000</i>	Damming any watercourses to the high bank level at each side during construction of watercourse crossings.
Riverine Protection Permit	NRW	<i>Water Act 2000</i>	Clearing within watercourse/riparian vegetation and/or excavation and filling within watercourse.

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Water Licence	NRW	<i>Water Act 2000</i>	Ongoing water extraction ancillary to project works.
Water Permit	NRW	<i>Water Act 2000</i>	Temporary water extraction ancillary to project works.
Waterway Barrier Works	DPIF	<i>Fisheries Act 1994</i>	Disrupting/limiting fish movements
Contaminated Land	EPA	<i>Environmental Protection Act 1994</i>	ROW traversing land identifying contaminated land within EPA Contaminated Land Register.
Unexploded Ordnances (UXO)	EPA	<i>Environmental Protection Act 1994</i>	ROW traversing land identifying UXOs within EPA Contaminated Land Register.
Ancillary Works and Encroachments Permit	DMR	<i>Transport Infrastructure Act 1994</i>	Works within State-controlled roads
Rail Crossings – Wayleave Approval	QR	<i>Transport Infrastructure Act 1994</i>	Construction works within rail corridors
Licence to Enter and Construct			
Deed of Indemnity	QR	<i>Transport Infrastructure Act 1994</i>	Investigation works within rail corridors
Heritage Place	EPA	<i>Queensland Heritage Act 1992</i>	Aspects of the project traversing land identified as heritage or cultural significance.
Removal of Quarry Material from a Watercourse	NRW	<i>Water Act 2000</i>	Removal of quarry material from a watercourse as a result of construction works.
Prescribed Tidal Works	LGA/NRW	<i>Coast Protection and Management Act 1995</i> <i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Aspects of the project occurring on or above land under tidal waters.
Development Permit (Operational Works)	LGA	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Operational works required for directing pipeline discharge flow paths.
STATE GOVERNMENT (LAND/RESOURCE REQUIREMENTS)			
Resource Entitlement	NRW	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Occupation of State Land (Unallocated State Land, Road Reserves)
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Resource Entitlement	QT	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Occupation of rail corridors

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Resource Entitlement	DMR	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>	Occupation of State-controlled Roads
Permit to Occupy	NRW/LGA	<i>Land Act 1994</i>	Short term occupation and construction within road reserves (excl. State-controlled roads)
Occupation Permit	DPI	<i>Forestry Act 1959</i>	Occupation and project works on Forestry lands.
Authority Permit	EPA	<i>Nature Conservation Act 1992</i>	Occupation and project works on EPA Lands.
Co-use Easement Agreement	Energex Powerlink APT LGA	nil	All project works within existing utility/service provider easements.
LOCAL GOVERNMENT			
Road Opening Permit	LGA	Local Law	Traffic management/interference with Local Government-controlled roads
General Permit	QLD Police	<i>Transport Operations (Road Use Management) Act 1995</i>	Traffic management required for access and construction
Blasting Permit	LGA	Local Law	Blasting required for construction
Vegetation Clearing Permit	LGA	Local Law	Clearing protected vegetation as identified by LGA
Other	LGA	Local Law	Project works that require local law approval determined on a case by case basis.
Plumbing and Drainage Approval/Compliance	LGA	<i>Plumbing and Drainage Act 1992</i>	Connection to LGA reticulated water supply and drainage systems.
Flammable and Combustible Liquids Storage License	LGA	<i>Dangerous Goods Safety Management Act 2001</i>	Storing flammable and combustible liquids at site office and other facilities.
Environmentally Relevant Activities (ERAs) Level 2b (devolved to LGA)	LGA	<i>Environmental Protection Act 1994</i>	ERA No. 11—Fuel Storage ERA No. 28—Motor Vehicle Workshop