Tarrone Power Station

Development Licence Amendment

October 2026



About the amendment application

AGL is applying to EPA Victoria to amend the existing development licence for the approved Tarrone Power Station The proposed amendments include extending the expiry date by 10 years, from March 2027 to March 2037 and updating the development licence to recognise current project information and supporting environmental assessments.

What is changing?

- The expiry date of the existing development licence would be extended from March 2027 to March 2037.
- The development licence would be updated to recognise current project information and additional environmental assessments.
- Advances in gas turbine technology mean the power station may, if approved, have a generating capacity of up to approximately 1,200 megawatts, subject to final equipment selection and detailed design.*

*Estimated based on a 20% capacity factor

What is not changing?

- The location of the approved power station.
- The project footprint.
- The use of open cycle gas turbine technology.
- The requirement for the project to meet applicable environmental standards and licence conditions.
- EPA Victoria's role in regulating compliance with licence conditions.

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Assessments and approvals

EPA Victoria granted the project's development licence in 2014 following environmental assessments, stakeholder engagement and the development of a Cultural Heritage Management Plan. The project was also referred under both the Environment Protection and *Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (Cth)* and the *Environment Effects Act 1978 (Vic)*, with no further assessment or approval required under those processes at that time.

Extending the development licence expiry date would allow the original approval to remain valid and provide additional time for planning and development.

EPA Victoria will assess the development licence amendment application in accordance with the *Environment Protection Act 2017 (Vic)* and relevant regulations. If the development licence is amended, AGL will continue to be responsible for complying with all licence conditions, while EPA Victoria will retain oversight of compliance and enforcement.

Extending the licence expiry date by 10 years does not confirm that the Tarrone Power Station will be built. AGL has not made an investment or development decision and has no immediate plans to being construction.

If developed, the power station would provide flexible electricity generation that could operate when additional supply is needed, including during periods of high demand or lower renewable energy generation. Advances in turbine technology mean the project may have a generating capacity of up to approximately 1,200 megawatts, subject to final equipment selection and detailed design.*

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Why is AGL engaging with the community?

AGL is engaging with stakeholders and the community before submitting the amendment application to EPA Victoria. The engagement provides an opportunity to learn more about the proposed changes, ask questions and provide feedback.

Feedback received through this process will be documented, considered in preparing the application and provided to EPA Victoria as part of the supporting engagement information.

About Tarrone Power Station

AGL's Tarrone Power Station is a gas-fired peaking power station proposed for Tarrone, Victoria. It would be located on AGL-owned land at the corner of Riordans Road and Landers Lane, within Moyne Shire. The site is next to the Tarrone terminal substation and is within the South West Renewable Energy Zone.

For more information about the project, refer to **www.agl.com.au/tarrone**

About AGL

Proudly Australian for more than 185 years, AGL supplies around 4.6 million customer services. AGL operates Australia's largest private electricity generation portfolio within the National Electricity Market, comprising coal and gas-fired generation, renewable energy sources such as wind and hydro, as well as batteries and other storage technology. We are building on our history as one of Australia's leading private investors in renewable energy. Our ambition is to be a leader in the energy transition. As part of this, we are progressing our strategy to transition our energy portfolio and connect every customer to a sustainable future.

Have your say

AGL welcomes community and stakeholder feedback on the proposed development licence amendment.

Community drop-in sessions

Community members can visit the project team at Willatook Community Hall, 4 Poyntons Road, Willatook:

- Wednesday 28 October 2026, 4.30 pm to 6.30 pm
- Thursday 29 October 2026, 9.00 am to 11.00 am

Visitors can drop in at any time during either session to learn more and speak with the project team.

Feedback and questions can also be submitted by:

Website: www.agl.com.au/tarrone

Email: tarrone@agl.com.au

Phone: 1800 039 600

Feedback should be provided by 13 November 2026 so it can be considered as part of the amendment application.