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Dear Ms Evans

**Menangle Quarry – DA 85/2865 MOD1 (Amended Application) Class 1 Appeal
(2018/00342158)**

Thank you for your email of 14 February 2020 notifying WaterNSW of an amended application for Menangle Quarry in the Wollondilly local government area resulting from a Class 1 Appeal.

WaterNSW notes the application is similar to the original modification application but now includes additional information and assessment to support the proposal.

WaterNSW responded to the original Modification application in 2017 (our ref: D2017/72449). At the time our review of the environmental assessment concluded that the extension project would not impact on the Menangle Weir and fish ladder located downstream of the proposed site with the appropriate mitigation measures in place.

Notwithstanding, WaterNSW notes the considerable risk relating to flooding and associated erosion and scour with the potential to impact on the weir and fish ladder, primarily through the deposition of sediment, was included as a reason for refusal of the application modification by the Department in October 2018.

WaterNSW therefore requests the Department take into consideration the implications for Menangle Weir and associated fish ladder from the proposal during its assessment.

WaterNSW requests the Department continue to consult with us regarding proposals and modifications that may impact on WaterNSW assets, land or infrastructure.

If you have any queries on this matter, please contact Alison Kniha at alison.kniha@watarnsw.com.au.

Yours sincerely

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