

Our ref: Shoalhaven Starches Expansion-26 (MP06_0228-Mod-26)

Mr John Studdert
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16 July 2025

Subject: Response to Submissions

Dear Mr Studdert

The exhibition of the Modification Report for the Shoalhaven Starches Expansion Project (MP06_0228-Mod-26) ended on 14 July 2026. All submissions are available on the NSW Planning Portal at the link below.

<https://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/projects/shoalhaven-starches-expansion-project-mod-26>

The Department now requires a written response to issues raised in the submissions, as required under section 59(2) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2021. The written response must be in the form of a submissions report that has been prepared having regard to the *State Significant Development Guidelines including Appendix C - Preparing a Submissions Report*.

The Department also requires a response to the issues raised by agencies in their advice. This response should be incorporated into the submissions report. At the time of writing, the Department was awaiting advice from the Environment Protection Authority, Shoalhaven City Council, the Development Coordination Authority, SafeWork NSW and the Australian Rail Track Corporation. This advice will be forwarded as soon as it is received and any further issues raised must be addressed in your submissions report.

Please lodge your submissions report by 15 October 2026 via the NSW Planning Portal <https://majorprojects.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/>.

If you have any questions, please contact Deana Burn, on 02 9274 6453 or via email at deana.burn@planning.nsw.gov.au.

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Yours sincerely,

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as delegate for the Planning Secretary