

Department of Planning, Industry and Environment
GPO Box 39
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Attn: Joel Herbert

Dear Joel Herbert

Haerses Road Quarry MOD 3 - Production Increase (DA165-7-2005-Mod-3) (The Hills Shire) - Resources Regulator Comments

I refer to the email from the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment dated 21 January 2020 requesting Resources Regulator comments on the Haerses Road Quarry MOD 3 (DA165-7 2005-Mod-3) located at Maroota, NSW.

Environment and Rehabilitation

The proposed development is not a mining operation and does not involve the extraction of material classified as a mineral under Schedule 1 of the Mining Regulation 2016.

In addition, the land comprising the proposed development is not the subject of a mining lease granted pursuant to the *Mining Act 1992*.

The Resources Regulator has not identified any matter that would require further comment.

Mine Safety

Mine Safety Mine Safety Operations within the Resource Regulator is responsible for ensuring mine operators manage the risk to worker health and safety through compliance with the Work Health and Safety (Mines and Petroleum Sites) Act 2013 and the subordinate mining legislation. In particular the effective management of risk associated with the principal hazards as specified in the Work Health and Safety (Mines and Petroleum Sites) Regulation 2014.

Mine Safety Operations have not identified any risk that would require comment in relation to this matter.

If you require additional information, please contact the Resources Regulator on 1300 814 609 (Option 2, then 5), or via email at nswresourcesregulator@service-now.com.

Yours sincerely,

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