

Mr John Studdert 160 Bolong Road Bomaderry New South Wales 2541

25 August 2022

Dear Mr Studdert

Shoalhaven Starches Expansion Project (MP06_0228) Noise Design Verification Report MOD 9

I refer to the Noise Design Verification Report which was submitted in accordance with Condition 14F and 14H of Schedule 3 of the approval for Modification 9 of the Shoalhaven Starches Expansion Project **(MP06_0228)**.

The Department has carefully reviewed the document and is satisfied that the design specifications detailed in MOD 9 and Condition 14F of Schedule 3 have been implemented. In addition, the Department is satisfied that no external mechanical plant will exceed the prescribed sound power level in the conditions of consent.

Accordingly, the Planning Secretary has approved the Noise Design Verification Report, prepared by Harwood Acoustics Pty Ltd, dated 1 February 2022. Please ensure that the approved plan is placed on the project website at the earliest convenience.

Please note, an updated Noise Design Verification Report is required to be submitted for approval by the Planning Secretary under Condition 14F for modifications to the Packing Plant approved under Modification 21.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Shaun Williams on (02) 8275 1345 or shaun.williams@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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