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Felicity, Christine,

Please find attached the DECCW's comments and recommended Conditions of Approval in relation to MP10\_0065 Proposed Kimbriki Resource Recovery Facility and Materials Recovery Facility.

Pls note the following in relation to Noise:

1. The EA proposes noise limits were based on noise limits set by the environment protection licence for the adjacent landfill. These limits are not considered appropriate for the assessment purposes and were set prior to the DECCW's current Industrial Noise Policy (INP) released in 2001.

The proponent should seek to achieve a lower noise limit of background plus 5dB(A). DECCW believes that this is achievable for the proposed Kimbriki Resource Recovery Facility and Material Recovery Facility and therefore lower noise limits have been provided in the DECCW's recommended condition of Approval below. DECCW has suggest that the proponent be required to demonstrate that all reasonable and feasible noise mitigation measures have been incorporated in the design of the facility and we are happy to provide further information to assist the Proponent if required.

1. The closest residences are stated as being Council owned, with a legal agreement with the proponent, so these have not been included as sensitive receivers for assessment purposes. DECCW has assessed the noise impacts based on the next nearest residents. DoP may wish to advise council and / or the proponent as this may have implications on the future use of the residences owned by council.

If you have any further questions please don't hesitate to contact me on 9995 5735.

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