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Subject: NEXTDC S4 Data Centre Phase 2, Horsley Park (SSD-108864209)
Comment on the Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements input

Dear Shaun Williams,

I refer to your request via the Major Projects Portal which queried whether consultation had occurred with the Urban Water Strategy, Policy and Programs group within DCCEEW Water on review of the SEARs for this project. I can advise that consultation has occurred with that team and that specific advice for data centres is yet to be formalised. No additions are therefore available to the previous DCCEEW Water advice submitted in OUT26/3297 for this project.

Should you have any further queries in relation to this submission please do not hesitate to contact the Water Assessments team at water.assessments@dcceew.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



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