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Advice on Environmental Impact Statement – State Significant Development

Proposal: Air Liquide CO2 Processing Plant, Bomaderry (SSD-80824235)

Major Project reference: SSD-80824235

Received: 18 June 2026

Dear Mr Altenkamp,

Thank you for your referral dated 18 June 2026 inviting comments from the Heritage Council of NSW on the above State Significant Development (SSD) proposal.

The proposed development involves the construction of a CO2 Plant and the Shoalhaven Starches site at Bolong Road, Bomaderry.

The following reports were considered in our assessment:

- *Environmental Impact Statement - Proposed CO2 Processing Plant and Associated Works, prepared by Allen Price, dated 30 April 2026;*
- *CO2 Processing Plant and Associated Works, Bolong Road, Bomaderry - Non-Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment, prepared by Apex Archaeology, dated January 2026*

As delegate of the Heritage Council of NSW, I provide the following comments:

- The proposed SSD is not located within the boundary of any State Heritage Register (SHR) listed items; however, it is in the vicinity of the *Former Bomaderry Aboriginal Children's Homes (former United Aborigines Mission)* – SHR 01874; and *Bomaderry Railway Station and yard group* – SHR 01090.
- The above-ground works are confined to an existing industrial area located at a distance from the SHR-listed items. Accordingly, the proposal is not expected to result in direct or indirect impacts on the State Heritage Register listed items. The submitted documentation indicates that the proposal is not expected to impact historical archaeological resources.

- The following recommendations are provided, should the SSD be considered for approval:
 - a consent condition be included that requires an unexpected finds protocol for historical archaeology (UFP) be adopted for site works; and
 - details of the UFP be included in site inductions for project personnel.

As the site is also in the vicinity of local heritage items, advice should be sought from the relevant local council.

If you have any questions about this correspondence, please contact Mariyam Nizam, Senior Assessments Officer at Heritage NSW on (02) 9873 8500 or heritagemailbox@environment.nsw.gov.au

Yours sincerely



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