

Our ref: SSI-8609189

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**Subject: Upper South Creek Advanced Water Recycling Centre (SSI-8609189) – Request for Additional Information on Flood Impact Assessment**

Dear Ms Clarke

Thank you for attending a meeting on 6 June 2022, to discuss floodplain risk management matters for the Upper South Creek Advanced Water Recycling Centre (AWRC) project (SSI-8609189). After careful consideration, the Department requests that you provide further information to address Environment and Heritage Group's (EHG) advice on the project's Flood Impact Assessment (FIA) (**Attachment A**).

In particular, the Department requests that you provide further information to clearly explain how the base case scenario presented in the project's FIA is compatible with Government's flood model (i.e. the Wianamatta (South) Creek Flood Study – Existing conditions prepared by Advisian for Infrastructure NSW in November 2020 or subsequent versions of this report).

Your response must have regard to advice provided by EHG on the EIS (dated 1 December 2021) and Response to Submissions (dated 6 May 2022).

You are requested to provide the information, or notification that the information will not be provided, to the Department by 1 July 2022. If you cannot meet this deadline please advise the Department via the NSW planning portal.

If you have any enquiries, please contact Nathan Heath – Senior Planning Officer, State Significant Assessments on (02) 8289 6617 or at [nathan.heath@planning.nsw.gov.au](mailto:nathan.heath@planning.nsw.gov.au)

Yours sincerely



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