



Department of Primary Industries

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Dear Mr Piovesan,

**IKEA Multi-Function Logistics Unit, Marsden Park (SSD_6954)
Comment on the Response to Submissions Report**

I refer to your email dated 3 December 2015 to the Department of Primary Industries (DPI) in respect to the above matter.

Comment by DPI Water

DPI Water has reviewed the RTS Report and attached documents and agrees that the matters raised previously have been substantially answered in this RTS.

However DPI Water is unable to provide informed comment on one matter answered in the RTS Report.

In the previous correspondence, DPI raised an issue with the assessment of potential groundwater impact associated with the EIS. The response quotes a matter, DA 15/1088 which was approved by Blacktown Council. DPI Water has not had an opportunity to review documents pertaining to this DA and is unable to provide input into the approvals process. However, the NSW Aquifer Interference Policy outlines that all water take must be accounted for unless exempt.

For further information please contact John Galea, Water Regulation Officer, [Parramatta Office], on 8838 7520 or at john.galea@dpi.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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