



NSW RURAL FIRE SERVICE



The Secretary
Department of Planning and Environment
GPO Box 39
Sydney NSW 2001

Your reference: SSD 8194
Our reference: D19/2458
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Attention: Jessie Evans

2 August 2019

Dear Sir/Madam,

Dendrobium Mine Extension project (SSD 8194)

Reference is made to correspondence dated 18 July 2019 seeking comments in relation to bush fire protection for the above State Significant Development in accordance with the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*.

The New South Wales Rural Fire Service (NSW RFS) has reviewed the information provided and advises that a Fire Management Plan (FMP) shall be prepared by a suitably qualified consultant in consultation with the local NSW RFS District Office. As a minimum, the FMP shall include:

- 24 hour emergency contact details including alternative telephone contact;
- Site infrastructure plan;
- Fire fighting water supply plan that provides suitable fittings and identifies operational access for fire fighting vehicles to connection points;
- Site access and internal road plan that has been designed and constructed in accordance with the fire trail specifications defined in section 4.1.3(3) of 'Planning for Bush Fire Protection 2006';
- Construction of asset protection zones (APZ) around all critical assets and infrastructure and their continued maintenance;
- Location of hazards (physical, chemical, and electrical) that will impact on the fire fighting operations and procedures to manage identified hazards during the fire fighting operations;
- Mitigation measures designed to prevent fire occurring within the site, and prevent fire escaping the site and developing into a bush/grass fire risk to the surrounding area; and
- Such additional matters as required by the NSW RFS District Office.

If you have any queries regarding this advice, please contact Bradley Bourke on 1300 NSW RFS.

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