

Planning Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements

Name of Development



Application Number	SSD-83696209
Project Name	Cootamundra Abattoir Expansion
Development	Expansion of an existing abattoir including an increase in the operational capacity to process up to 1,250 tonnes of stock (cattle and lamb) per day. The proposal also includes demolition of existing buildings, and construction of an additional rendering plant, boning room, freezer storage, sheep pens, and parking, and upgrades to existing rendering facility, wastewater treatment plant, wastewater irrigation, office and staff amenities.
Location	Lot 1 Deposited Plan (DP) 611755 Lot 53 DP1258388 Lot 52 DP1258388 Lot 2 DP611755 572 Stockinbingal Road, Cootamundra Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council
Applicant	Australian Meat Group Pty Ltd
Date of Issue	5 June 2025
General Requirements	The Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the development must: • comply with these assessment requirements • meet the form and content requirements in sections 190 and 192 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2021 (the Regulation) • have regard to the Department's <i>State Significant Development Guidelines (2021)</i>. In addition, the EIS must include: • a clear comprehensive description of the proposal for the site, including details of all activities and processes proposed to be carried out as part of the development • consideration of issues discussed in the public authority responses to request for key issues (see Attachment 2) • a detailed assessment of the key issues specified below, including: – a description of the existing environment, using sufficient baseline data – an assessment of the potential impacts of all stages and activities that form part of the development, including any cumulative impacts of the existing abattoir operations, taking into consideration relevant guidelines, policies, plans and statutes – clear description of the relationship between the proposed abattoir development and existing abattoir including any shared infrastructure arrangements – a description of the measures that would be implemented to avoid, minimise, mitigate and if necessary, offset the potential impacts of the development, including proposals for adaptive management and/or contingency plans to manage significant risks to the environment. The EIS must also be accompanied by: • an Estimated Development Cost (EDC) Report prepared in accordance with the relevant planning circular using the Standard Form of EDC Report • an estimate of the retained and new jobs that would be created during the construction and operational phases of the development, including details of the methodology to determine the figures provided • high quality files of maps and figures of the subject site and proposal • certification that the information provided is accurate at the date of preparation • a declaration from a Registered Environmental Assessment Practitioner that your EIS includes the information specified in the Department's <i>Registered Environmental Assessment Practitioner Guidelines</i>.

Key issues	The EIS must address the following specific matters: • Statutory and Strategic Context – including: – details of any proposed consolidation or subdivision of land – a detailed description of the history of the site, including the relationship between the proposed development and all development consents and approved plans previously and/or currently applicable to the site, including those associated with the existing abattoir onsite – demonstration that the proposal is consistent with all relevant planning strategies, environmental planning instruments, adopted precinct plans, draft district plan(s) and adopted management plans and justification for any inconsistencies. This includes, but is not limited to: ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Biodiversity and Conservation) 2021 ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Industry and Employment) 2021 ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Planning Systems) 2021 ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Primary Production) 2021 ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Resilience and Hazards) 2021 ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Sustainable Buildings) 2022 ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Transport and Infrastructure) 2021 • Suitability of the Site – including: – a detailed justification that the site can accommodate the proposed development having regard to the scope of the operations of the existing facility and its environmental impacts and relevant mitigation measures – a land use conflict risk assessment (LUCRA) is to be prepared for the expanded development to identify potential impacts or areas of conflict that may arise and the measures that could mitigate these. • Community and Stakeholder Engagement – a community and stakeholder engagement strategy consistent with the Department's <i>Undertaking Engagement Guidelines for State Significant Projects</i> for all stages of the development, including (but not limited to): – details of how issues raised, and feedback provided during engagement activities have been considered and responded to in the development – details of the proposed approach to future community and stakeholder engagement based on the results of consultation. – clear evidence of how each stakeholder identified in the community and stakeholder participation strategy has been consulted. • Air Quality and Odour – a quantitative assessment of the potential air quality, dust and odour impacts of the proposed development (construction and operation), including cumulative impacts with existing onsite operations on surrounding landowners, businesses and sensitive receptors, in accordance with relevant Environment Protection Authority guidelines, including: – details of buildings and their associated air handling systems – evidence of appropriate meteorological data for use in dispersion modelling, using real and local meteorological data where possible – an investigation and assessment of odour impacts likely to be associated with 'cold air drainage' effects on all identified and potential receivers – inclusion of 'worst case' emission scenarios and sensitivity analyses – a contingency plan to address unpredicted operational odour impacts – a description and appraisal of air quality and odour impact monitoring, emission control techniques and mitigation measures. • Wastewater – including: – a detailed description of the wastewater treatment requirements for the development including design/layout, the volumes of wastewater generated, treated, reused/recycled, or stored and its relationship to the existing abattoir's operations – details of the key pollutant concentrations of the wastewater before and after treatment with reference to relevant water quality guidelines – details of the proposed irrigation area, including baseline data on soil characteristics, a technical assessment of the suitability of the soil to sustain on-going wastewater irrigation and assessment of potential impacts to nearby rivers/creeks and groundwater systems – an irrigation land capability assessment which assesses long-term effluent use in accordance with EPA Guidelines
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- an irrigation management plan detailing proposed irrigation practices and soil nutrient and water balance
- a detailed assessment of wastewater management strategies in accordance with relevant guidelines.
- **Waste** – including:
 - details of the quantities and classification of all waste streams to be generated on site, including manure, for the expanded development
 - details of all waste storage, handling and disposal during the development
 - details of the measures that would be implemented to ensure that the development is consistent with the aims, objectives and guidance in the *NSW Waste and Sustainable Materials Strategy 2041*.
- **Water Management** – an integrated water management strategy, including:
 - a detailed site water balance including a description of the existing and proposed water demands and breakdown of water supplies, measures to minimise water use and any water licensing requirements
 - a description of groundwater and surface water conditions and all works/activities that may intercept, extract, use, divert or receive surface water and/or groundwater (both temporary and permanent)
 - an assessment of potential surface and groundwater impacts (both quality and quantity) associated with the development, including potential impacts on watercourses, riparian areas, groundwater, and groundwater-dependent communities nearby in accordance with relevant water quality guidelines and the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water - Water Group (DCCEEW-Water) Groundwater Toolkit
 - details of the proposed stormwater drainage design including the capacity of onsite detention system(s), onsite sewage management and measures to treat, reuse or dispose of water
 - a surface water discharge assessment in accordance with relevant EPA guidelines, including an assessment of potential impacts on watercourses and riparian areas, and characterisation of water quality at the point of discharge against the relevant water quality criteria details of any surface or groundwater mitigation, management and monitoring activities and methodologies.
- **Soils** – an assessment of potential impacts on soil resources and riparian land on and near the site, including:
 - impacts on soil erosion, salinity and acid sulfate soils
 - details of earthworks, including cut and fill volumes
 - description of the proposed erosion and sediment controls during construction.
- **Traffic and Transport** – a quantitative transport impact assessment prepared in accordance with the Transport for NSW Guide to Transport Impact Assessment (GTIA) and Austroads guidelines, that includes:
 - consideration of all deliverables and actions for construction and operation of the development in Appendix E – Scoping checklist of the GTIA
 - an estimate of trip generation, mode split, arrival/departure profiles and trip distribution
 - an assessment of cumulative traffic impact on road performance and safety implications at the key regional road of Stockinbingal Road and any associated key intersections using an appropriate modelling framework (including the consideration of existing operations base case, future base case and project case scenarios)
 - plans demonstrating how all vehicles likely to be generated during construction and operation of the expanded facility can be accommodated on the site to avoid queuing in the street network
 - swept path diagrams for the largest vehicles manoeuvring through site access points, internal roads, hardstand areas
 - details of road upgrades, traffic control measures, new roads or access points required for the development if necessary (including approval-in-principle from the relevant road authority, where relevant)
 - details of the likely trip generation, vehicle routes, access and parking arrangements during construction and measures to mitigate any construction traffic and parking impacts, including preparation of a draft construction traffic management plan.

- **Contamination** – a site contamination assessment in accordance with the Managing Land Contamination Planning Guidelines: SEPP 55 – Remediation of Land (DUAP, 1998), including:
 - characterisation of the nature and extent of any contamination on the site and surrounding area
 - a Detailed Site Investigation (DSI) and a Remedial Action Plan, if the Preliminary Site Investigation indicates contamination is present and a DSI is required.
- **Noise and Vibration** – a quantitative noise and vibration impact assessment undertaken by a suitably qualified acoustic consultant in accordance with the relevant Environment Protection Authority guidelines and Australian Standards which includes:
 - the identification of impacts associated with construction, site emission and traffic generation at noise affected sensitive receivers, including the provision of operational noise contours and a detailed sleep disturbance assessment
 - details of background noise monitoring survey undertaken in accordance with Fact Sheet A1 of the Noise Policy for Industry (excluding operational noise from the existing development)
 - details of noise source inventory for the development and ‘worst case’ noise emission scenarios
 - consideration of annoying characteristics of noise and prevailing meteorological conditions in the study area
 - assessment of operational noise against project noise trigger levels derived in accordance with Section 2.4.2 of the Noise Policy for Industry for the redevelopment of an existing cluster of industry and Section 6.1 Applying the Policy to Existing Sites
 - details and analysis of the effectiveness of proposed management and mitigation measures to adequately manage identified impacts from the proposed works, including a clear identification of residual noise and vibration following application of mitigation these measures and details of any proposed compliance monitoring programs.
- **Infrastructure Requirements** – an infrastructure delivery, management and staging plan that includes:
 - an assessment of impacts of the development on existing utility infrastructure and service provider assets surrounding the site
 - a detailed written and/or graphical description of infrastructure required on the site, including any electrical substation/s and on-site switch yard/s
 - details of the existing capacity of the site to service the proposed development and any extension or augmentation, property tenure or staging requirements for the provision of utilities, including arrangements for electrical network requirements, drinking water, wastewater and recycled water
 - a description of how any upgrades will be co-ordinated, funded and delivered on time and be maintained to facilitate the expanded development
 - identification of any existing infrastructure or easements on or off the site which may be impacted by construction or operation of the expanded development and details of measures to be implemented to address any impacts.
- **Hazards and Risk** – including:
 - a preliminary risk screening completed in accordance with *State Environmental Planning Policy (Resilience and Hazards) 2021* and Applying SEPP 33 (DoP, 2011), that includes a clear indication of class, storage and handling quantities and location of all existing and proposed dangerous goods and hazardous materials and examine if the risks to the surrounding land use are significantly increased by the expanded development.
 - a Preliminary Hazard Analysis (PHA) prepared in accordance with Hazardous Industry Planning Advisory Paper No. 6 – Guidelines for Hazard Analysis (DoP, 2011) and Multi-Level Risk Assessment (DoP, 2011), should the preliminary risk screening indicate that the project is “potentially hazardous”.
 - consultation outcomes with the operator, APA Group, regarding the easements for both the Young–Wagga Wagga Pipeline (PL 19) and the Young to Bowen Pipeline (also PL 19) which traverse the site.

- **Visual, including** - a visual impact assessment, including (photomontages and perspectives) of the development layout and design (buildings and storage areas) including:
 - details of staging, site coverage, setbacks, open space, landscaping, height, colour, scale, building materials and finishes, façade design, signage and lighting, particularly in terms of the impact on:
 - nearby public and private receivers
 - significant vantage points in the broader public domain
 - detailed plans showing suitable landscaping which incorporates endemic species as well as how it maximise opportunities for green infrastructure, consistent with *Greener Places* (Government Architect NSW, 2020).
- **Aboriginal Cultural Heritage** – an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report (ACHAR) prepared in accordance with the Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigation in NSW (DECCW 2010), and guided by the Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in New South Wales (OEH 2011). The ACHAR must:
 - identify, describe and assess impacts on the Aboriginal cultural heritage values that exist across the development site
 - provide evidence and details of consultation with Aboriginal people in accordance with the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (DECCW 2010)
 - include results of a surface survey and any test excavations and an unexpected finds protocol.
- **Non-Aboriginal Cultural Heritage** – a non-Aboriginal cultural heritage assessment (including both cultural and archaeological significance) which must detail potential impacts on heritage assets and any proposed management and mitigation measures.
- **Biodiversity** – an assessment of the proposal's biodiversity impacts in accordance with the *Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016*, including the preparation of a Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (BDAR) where required under the Act, except where a waiver for preparation of a BDAR has been granted.
- **Social** – including a social impact assessment in accordance with the Department's *Social Impact Assessment Guideline*, with reference to the availability of housing and accommodation in the Cootamundra area.
- **Economic** – including:
 - an analysis of any potential economic impacts of the development, including a discussion of any potential economic benefits to the local and broader community.
- **Biodiversity** – an assessment of the proposal's biodiversity impacts in accordance with the *Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016*, including the preparation of a Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (BDAR) where required under the Act, except where a waiver for preparation of a BDAR has been granted.
- **Biosecurity, Disease Management and Animal Welfare** – including:
 - details of how the proposed development would comply with relevant animal welfare, biosecurity and disease management legislation, codes and guidelines
 - the potential for increased risk in the transmission of Q fever as a result of the transportation, handling and processing of the additional quantities of livestock
 - details of all disease control measures
 - details of contingency measures that would be implemented for any required disposal of animals in the event of a disease outbreak.
- **Human Health** – a Human Health Risk Assessment (HHRA) which assesses health impacts to the community relating to air emissions, odour, noise and water quality in accordance with guidelines for Assessing Human Health Risks from Environmental Hazards (enHealth 2012) and the Health Impact Assessment Guidelines (Commonwealth Department of Health and Aged Care 2017).
- **Ecologically Sustainable Development** – including:
 - identification of how ESD principles (as defined in section 193 of the EP&A Regulation) are incorporated in the design and ongoing operation of the expanded abattoir development
 - demonstration of how the development will meet or exceed the relevant industry recognised building sustainability and environmental performance standards
 - demonstration of how the development minimises greenhouse gas emissions (reflecting the Government's goal of net zero emissions by 2050) and consumption of energy, water (including water sensitive urban design) and material resources

	– if Chapter 3 of State Environmental Planning Policy (Sustainable Buildings) 2022 applies: ○ demonstrate how the development has been designed to address the provisions set out in in Chapter 3.2(1) ○ provide a NABERS Embodied Emissions Material Form to disclose the amount of embodied emissions attributable to the development in accordance with section 35BA of the EP&A Regulation. • Planning Agreement/Development Contributions – including consideration of any applicable State and local development contributions.
Consultation	During the preparation of the EIS, you must consult with the relevant local, State or Commonwealth Government authorities, service providers, community groups and affected landowners. In particular you must consult with: • Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council • Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water, specifically the: ○ Environment and Heritage Group ○ Water Group ○ Environment Protection Authority • Heritage NSW • Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development, specifically: ○ Department of Primary Industries – Agriculture ○ Regional NSW Group • Transport for NSW • NSW Rural Fire Service • WaterNSW • Food Authority of NSW • NSW Health • Transgrid • APA Group • surrounding local landowners, businesses and stakeholders • local and regional community and environmental groups • Young Local Aboriginal Land Council and/or Wagga Wagga Local Aboriginal Land Council • any other public transport, utilities or community service providers.
SEARs Expiry	SEARs will expire two years after the date of issue (or the date they were last modified).
References	The assessment of the key issues listed above must take into account relevant guidelines, policies, and plans as identified. While not exhaustive, Attachment 1 contains a list of some of the guidelines, policies, and plans that may be relevant to the environmental assessment of this proposal.

ATTACHMENT 1

Technical and Policy Guidelines

The following guidelines may assist in the preparation of the environmental impact statement. This list is not exhaustive and not all of these guidelines may be relevant to your proposal.

Many of these documents can be found on the following websites:

<https://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/assessment/policies-and-guidelines>

<http://www.australia.gov.au/publications>

<http://www.epa.nsw.gov.au/>

<http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/>

<http://www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/>

Policies, Guidelines & Plans	
Aspect	Policy / Methodology
State Significant Development Guidelines	
	State Significant Assessment Guidelines (DPIE, 2021)
	Undertaking Engagement Guide – Guidance for State Significant Projects (DPIE, 2021)
	Cumulative Impact Assessment Guidelines for State Significant Projects (DPIE, 2021)
	Planning Circular PS24-002: Changes to how development costs are calculated for planning purposes
	Standard Form of Estimated Development Cost (State significant projects) – March 2024
Air Quality	
Air Quality	Protection of the Environment Operations (Clean Air) Regulation 2022
	Approved Methods for the Sampling and Analysis of Air Pollutants in New South Wales (EPA, 2022)
	Approved Methods for the Modelling and Assessment of Air Pollutants in New South Wales (EPA, 2022)
Odour	Assessment and Management of Odour from Stationary Sources in NSW (DEC 2006)
Greenhouse Gas	AGO Factors and Methods Workbook (AGO, 2018)
	Guidelines for Energy Savings Action Plans (DEUS, 2005)
	National Greenhouse and Energy Reporting Scheme Measurement, Technical Guidelines for the estimation of emissions by facilities in Australia (Department of the Environment and Energy (DoEE), 2017)
	National Greenhouse Accounts Factors (DoEE, 2019)
	NSW Guide for Large Emitters (EPA, 2025)
Biodiversity	
	<i>Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016</i>
	Biodiversity Assessment Method (EES, 2021)
	Guidelines for Controlled Activities on Waterfront Land (NRAR, 2018)
	Developments adjacent to National Parks and Wildlife Service lands (DPIE, 2020)
Bush Fire	
	Planning for Bush Fire Protection (RFS, 2019)
Climate Change	
	EPA Climate Change Policy (EPA, 2023)
	Net Zero Plan Stage 1: 2020-2030 (DPIE, 2020)
Design Quality	
	Greener Places (Government Architect NSW, 2020)

Policies, Guidelines & Plans	
Aspect	Policy / Methodology
	Better Placed (Government Architect NSW, 2017)
	NSW SDRP: Guidelines for Project Teams (GANSW Advisory Note, V3 2522/2020)
Fire Safety	
	Fire Safety Guidelines – Fire Safety in Waste Facilities (FRNSW, 2020)
	Fire Safety Guidelines – Access for fire brigade vehicles and firefighters
	Fire Safety Guidelines – Emergency services information package and tactical fire plans
Flooding	
	Flood Impact and Risk Assessment Flood Risk Management Guide (LU01) (DPE, 2022)
	Department of Planning and Environment Flood Risk Management Toolkit – https://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/topics/water/floodplains/floodplain-guidelines
	Shelter in place guideline for flash flooding (DPHI, 2024)
Hazards and Risk	
	State Environmental Planning Policy (Resilience and Hazards) 2021
	Applying SEPP 33 – Hazardous and Offensive Development Application Guidelines (DoP, 2011)
	Assessment Guideline: Multi-level Risk Assessment (Planning and Infrastructure, 2011)
Heritage	
	<i>Heritage Act 1977</i>
Non-Aboriginal Heritage	NSW Heritage Manual (HO and DUAP, 1996)
	The Burra Charter (ICOMOS Australia, 2013)
	Statements of Heritage Impact (HO and DUAP, 2002)
Aboriginal Heritage	Code of Practice for the Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales (DECCW, 2010)
	Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in NSW (DECCW, 2011)
	Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010 (DECCW, 2010)
Human Health Risk	
	Environmental Health Risk Assessment: Guidelines for assessing human health risks from environmental hazards (enHealth, 2012)
Noise and Vibration	
	Approved methods for measurement and analysis of environmental noise in NSW (EPA, 2022)
	Acoustics – Description and measurement of environmental noise (AS1055:2018)
	Noise Policy for Industry (EPA, 2017)
	NSW Road Noise Policy (DECCW, 2011)
	Noise Criteria Guideline (RMS, 2015)
	Noise Mitigation Guideline (RMS, 2015)
	Interim Construction Noise Guideline (DECC, 2009)
	Assessing Vibration: A Technical Guide (DEC, 2006)
	Noise Guide for Local Government (EPA, 2013)
Social	
	Social Impact Assessment Guideline for State Significant Projects (DPIE, 2021)

Policies, Guidelines & Plans	
Aspect	Policy / Methodology
Soils and Water	
Erosion and Sediment	Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils & Construction (Landcom, 2004)
	Soil and Landscape Issues in Environmental Impact Assessment (DLWC, 2000)
	Wind Erosion – 2 nd Edition (DIPNR, 2003)
Groundwater	Groundwater assessment toolbox for major projects in NSW - Overview document Technical guideline (DPE, 2022)
	Guidelines for Groundwater Documentation for SSD/SSI Projects Technical guideline (DPE, 2022)
	Minimum Groundwater Modelling Requirements for SSD/SSI Projects, Technical guideline (DPE, 2022)
	Cumulative Groundwater Impact Assessment Approaches Information paper (DPE, 2022)
	National Water Quality Management Strategy Guidelines for Groundwater Protection in Australia (ARMCANZ/ANZECC, 2000)
	NSW State Groundwater Policy Framework Document (DLWC, 1997)
	NSW Aquifer Interference Policy (NOW, 2012)
	Water Sharing Plan for the Greater Metropolitan Region Groundwater Sources (NOW, 2011)
Stormwater	Storing and Handling Liquids: Environmental Protection (DECC, 2007)
	Managing Urban Stormwater: Strategic Framework. Draft (EPA, 1996)
	Managing Urban Stormwater: Council Handbook. Draft (EPA, 1997)
	Managing Urban Stormwater: Treatment Techniques (DEC, 2006)
	Managing Urban Stormwater: Source Control. Draft (EPA, 1998)
Wastewater	Managing Urban Stormwater: Harvesting and Reuse (DEC, 2006)
	National Water Quality Management Strategy: Guidelines for Sewerage Systems – Effluent Management (ARMCANZ/ANZECC, 1997)
	National Water Quality Management Strategy: Guidelines for Sewerage Systems – Use of Reclaimed Water (ARMCANZ/ANZECC, 2000)
	National Water Quality Management Strategy – Guidelines for Water Recycling: Managing Health and Environmental Risks (Phase 1) (EPHC, NRMMC & AHMC, 2006)
Contamination	National Water Quality Management Strategy – Guidelines for Water Recycling: Managing Health and Environmental Risks (Phase 2) (EPHC, NRMMC & AHMC, 2009)
	State Environmental Planning Policy (Resilience and Hazards) 2021
	Managing Land Contamination Planning Guidelines, SEPP 55 – Remediation of Land (DUAP & EPA, 1998)
Traffic, Transport and Access	Consultants reporting on contaminated land: Contaminated Land Guidelines (EPA, 2020)
	<i>Roads Act 1993</i>
	State Environmental Planning Policy (Transport and Infrastructure) 2021
	Guide to Transport Impact Assessment (TfNSW, 2024)
	Road Design Guide (RMS, 2015-2017)
	Guide to Traffic Management – Pt 12: Traffic Impacts of Development (Austroads, 2016)
	Guidelines for Planning and Assessment of Road Freight Access in Industrial Areas (Austroads, 2014)
	Bicycle Parking Facilities: Guidelines for Design and Installation (AS 2890.3:2015)

Policies, Guidelines & Plans

Aspect	Policy / Methodology
	Integrated Public Transport Service Planning Guidelines: Sydney Metropolitan Area (TfNSW, 2013)
	Future Transport Strategy 2056 (TfNSW, 2018)
	Greater Sydney Services and Infrastructure Plan (TfNSW, 2018)
	NSW Freight & Ports Plan 2018-2023 (TfNSW, 2018)
Upper Canal and Warragamba Pipeline Corridors	
	Guidelines for Development Adjacent to the Upper Canal and Warragamba Pipelines (WaterNSW, 2018)
Visual	Control of Obtrusive Effects of Outdoor Lighting (AS 2482)
Waste	NSW Waste and Sustainable Material Strategy 2041 (EPA, 2021) NSW Plastics Action Plan (EPA, 2021) NSW Energy from Waste Policy Statement (EPA, 2021) NSW Energy from Waste Infrastructure Plan (2021) The National Waste Policy: Less Waste More Resources 2018 Waste Classification Guidelines (EPA, 2014) Environmental guidelines: Composting and Related Organics Processing Facilities (DEC, 2004) Environmental guidelines: Use and Disposal of Biosolid Products (EPA, 1997) Composts, soil conditioners and mulches (Standards Australia, AS 4454) Standards for Managing Construction Waste in NSW (EPA, 2018)
Waterways	Risk-based Framework for Considering Waterway Health Outcomes in Strategic Land-use Planning (OEH, 2017) Guidelines for controlled activity approvals - https://water.dpie.nsw.gov.au/our-work/licensing-and-trade/controlled-activity-approvals/guidelines

ATTACHMENT 2
Government Authority Advice