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Dear Mr Chapman,

Sydney Metro - Western Sydney Airport (SSI-10051)
Condition E35: Unexpected Heritage Finds and Exhumation Management Procedures

I refer to the Sydney Metro Unexpected Heritage Finds Procedure, revision 4.1, dated May 2021, and the Exhumation Management Procedure, revision 5.1, dated May 2021, which were submitted to the Department for information in accordance with Condition E35 of SSI-10051.

I note that the Unexpected Heritage Finds Procedure and the Exhumation Management Procedure:

- have been prepared by a suitably qualified and experienced heritage specialist,
- have been prepared in consultation with the Heritage Council of NSW,
- have been prepared in accordance with the *Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales* (DECCW 2010),
- have been reviewed by Sydney Metro and no issues have been raised, and
- contain the information required by the conditions of approval.

Please ensure that the Unexpected Heritage Finds Procedure, revision 4.1 and the Exhumation Management Procedure, revision 5.1 are placed on the project website.

You are reminded that if there is any inconsistency between the submitted documents and the conditions of approval, then the requirements of the conditions of approval will prevail.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Scott Cooper at scott.cooper@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Todd-Jones'.

Matthew Todd-Jones
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As nominee of the Planning Secretary

