

Our ref: SSI-8896-PA-58

Mr Tommy Zhang
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12 May 2025

Subject: Revised Drivers Code of Conduct

Dear Mr Zhang

I refer to the Drivers Code of Conduct (rev 3, 22 April 2025) submitted in accordance with Schedule 2, Condition C18(e) of the approval for the Belmont Desalination Plant (SSI-8896).

I note the Drivers Code of Conduct (rev 3, 22 April 2025):

- has been prepared in consultation with parties required to be consulted with
- has been reviewed by proponent and no issues have been raised with the Department
- has been endorsed by the Environmental Representative and
- contains the information required by the conditions of approval.

The Department has carefully reviewed the document and is satisfied that it meets the requirements of the relevant conditions.

You are reminded that if there are any inconsistencies between the Drivers Code of Conduct (rev 3, 22 April 2025) and the conditions of approval, the conditions prevail.

Please ensure you make the document publicly available on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Nick Hearfield via nick.hearfield@dpie.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'LSE', with a stylized, cursive script.

Lloyd Eley-Smith
Team Leader, Transport and Water Assessments

As nominee of the Planning Secretary