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Ms Megan Dawson A/Team Leader, Resource Assessments Planning Services Department of Planning & Environment GPO Box 39 Sydney NSW 2001

Dear Ms Dawson,

Menangle Quarry – Modification 1 (DA 85/2865 MOD1)

Thank you for your email of 5 June 2017 notifying WaterNSW of a modification application for Menangle Quarry in the Wollondilly local government area.

It is understood the modification proposal involves substituting quarrying operations in Stage 3 to an alternative Stage 8 area further south along the Nepean River, a new haul road and conveyor line, and associated restoration and offset works.

WaterNSW previously provided comment in August 2016 on the proposed quarry extension after receiving a briefing from EMM Consulting (our ref: D2016/92202). At the time we requested consideration in the environmental assessment (EA) of potential impacts of the proposal on the Menangle Weir and associated fish ladder.

WaterNSW has reviewed the EA for the modification application, and notes the proposed mitigation measures, and the assessment that the extension project will not impact Menangle Weir or the associated fish ladder. We therefore have no specific requirements or further comment on the application.

WaterNSW requests the Department continue to consult with us regarding proposals and modifications that may impact on WaterNSW assets, land or infrastructure.

If you have any queries on this matter, please contact Alison Kniha, Catchment Protection Planning Manager on 02 9865 2505 or at alison.kniha@waternsw.com.au.

Yours sincerely

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