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Your Reference: SSD 6518 Our Reference (TRIM): OUT16/46417

Dear Ms Grove

Re: Notice of Exhibition for Frazer Park Quarry Resource Recovery Facility SSD 6518 – Lake Macquarie LGA

Thank you for the opportunity to provide advice on the Frazer Park Quarry Resource Recovery Facility. This is a response from NSW Department of Industry – Geological Survey of New South Wales (GSNSW). The Department of Primary Industries (incorporating advice from Agriculture and Fisheries) and the Forestry Corporation of NSW may respond separately.

GSNSW understands that the proposed development by Hodgson Quarry Products for a resource recovery facility will not involve any modifications to the rate of extraction of conglomerate and sand from the existing Frazer Park Quarry as per the existing consent.

GSNSW supports co-existing development of this kind and encourages sustainable development through resource recovery and recycling. However, the proponent needs to ensure that the proposed development will not sterilise or restrict access to any remaining resources within Frazer Park Quarry.

Geoscience Information Services

The GSNSW has a range of online data related to mineral exploration, land use and general geoscience topics: <u>http://www.resources.nsw.gov.au/geological/online-services</u>

The location of current exploration and mining titles in NSW, explanations of mining and production titles and the roles of community and government in the decision making process for mining/resource projects may be accessed by the general public using the following online utilities: http://commonground.nsw.gov.au

Queries regarding the above information, and future requests for advice in relation to this matter, should be directed to the GSNSW Land Use team at landuse.minerals@industry.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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