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Attention: Haley Rich

Dear Mr Ritchie

I refer to your letter of 28 March 2011 requesting any comments and recommended conditions of approval for the Jacfin Horsely Park Project (10\_0129 & 10\_130).

Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH) has reviewed the Environmental Assessment Report and provides the comments below. These comments follow OEH's advice of 19 January 2011 (copy attached). OEH notes many of the errors and inadequacies of the November 2010 version of the Heritage Assessment (HA) Report have not been addressed in the March 2011 version currently on exhibition.

**References to the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974***

The HA Report is factually incorrect as it does not incorporate OEH's previous advice regarding the 1 October 2010 amendments to the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*.

**Community Consultation**

OEH notes the Department of Planning and Infrastructure request that the project be readvertised in a local newspaper to invite registrations from interested groups or individuals in accordance with consultation requirements. However, a copy of the relevant advertisement and any subsequent responses have not been included in the HA Report.

**Assessment**

It is noted reference to monitoring earthworks has been deleted from the draft statement of commitments as requested by OEH, however, comments previously provided regarding other aspects of archaeological assessment have not been addressed.

If you have any queries regarding this matter please contact Richard Bonner on 9995 6833.

Yours sincerely

25 MAY 2011

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