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Attention: Lisa Chan

**SUBJECT: EXHIBITION OF ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FOR NUNDAH BANK THIRD
TRACK (MP 10_0094)**

The NSW Office of Water (NOW) has reviewed the Nundah Bank Third Track Project Environmental Assessment (EA).

NOW has noted that the information it requested under Director Generals Requirements (DGRs), regarding a detailed assessment of surface and groundwater within the project area has not been provided in the EA. Due to the type of development and potential risk to water sources identified, NOW has no objection to project approval. However, due to the absence of adequate information NOW requests that the following conditions be addressed prior to project commencement.

Recommended Conditions

1) Groundwater

Any interception or the use of groundwater may require a Licence under relevant NSW water legislation. All proposed groundwater works including bores for the purpose of investigation, extraction, dewatering, testing or monitoring will be identified and approval obtained from NOW prior to installation.

2) Surface water

Geomorphic assessment of stream sections where crossings are to be constructed will be conducted prior to construction.

The use of surface water from dams for construction may require a Licence under relevant NSW water legislation.

3) CEMP

The CEMP will be provided to NOW for review and is to include monitoring for impacts and mitigation measures for potential contamination of surface and groundwaters, prior to project commencement.

If you require further information please contact Jodie Dabovic on 4904 2571.

Yours sincerely

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