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Dear Mr Ko

Springvale Water Treatment Project (SSD 7592) Comment on the Environmental Impact Statement

I refer to your email of 23 September 2016 to the Department of Primary Industries (DPI) in respect to the above matter. Comment has been sought from relevant divisions of DPI. Views were also sought from NSW Department of Industry - Lands that are now a division of the broader Department and no longer within NSW DPI. Any further referrals to DPI can be sent by email to landuse.enguiries@dpi.nsw.gov.au.

DPI has reviewed the Environmental Impact Statement and provides the following recommendations:

- The proponent should provide details on all watercourse crossings associated with the project.
- All works should be conducted in accordance with DPI Water <u>Guidelines for</u> <u>Controlled Activities</u>.
- A number of unformed Crown roads located within the pathway of the proposed pipeline, are currently being assessed for road closures. It is also noted, an easement for a 'brine pipeline' has been recorded over affected Lots of freehold land, however, it does not appear to be recorded for the unformed Crown roads. Further consultation is required with Dol –Lands to determine the most appropriate pathway on agreement for access and use of the unformed roads until such time the roads are closed. Please contact Kay Oxley, Senior Natural Resource Management Officer on (02) 6391 4334.

Yours sincerely

Mitchell Isaacs Director, Planning Policy & Assessment Advice 8 November 2016

DPI appreciates your help to improve our advice to you. Please complete this three minute survey about the advice we have provided to you, here: https://goo.gl/o8TXWz