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Attention: Bruce Zhang

Dear Ms. McNicol

Kariong Sand and Soil Supplies Facility (SSD 8660)

Thank you for your letter dated 1 February 2019 inviting Transport for NSW (TfNSW) review and comment on the subject proposal. It is noted that an email correspondence was received on 18 February 2019 regarding the extended exhibition period.

The proposal seeks approval for expansion and upgrade of an existing resource recovery facility located at 90 Gindurra Road, Kariong (Lot 4 DP 227279). Clarification is sought on the use of B-Double access as outlined below.

B-double access on Gindurra Road

Issue:

The proposal states that the proposed heavy vehicles servicing the site will include tippers, truck and dog or semi-trailers and B-doubles.

Gindurra Road is not currently identified as a B-double route (neither 19m B-double over 50t, nor 25/26m B-doubles) on the RMS RAV map. Swept path diagrams for a 25m B-double are presented in the traffic report.

The use of smaller vehicles with smaller payloads would increase the number of heavy vehicles required for the freight task.

Recommendation:

Clarification should be provided to address the apparent discrepancy and assess the impact if there would be an increase of heavy vehicle movements.

Swept path analysis should also be provided for semi-trailers.

Recommended Condition of Consent

Road Safety Audit

Prior to issue of construction certificate, the applicant shall prepare a Stage 3 (Detailed Design) Road Safety Audit in accordance with Austroads Guide to Road Safety Part 6: Road Safety Audit by an independent TfNSW accredited road safety auditor. Based on the results of the road safety audit, the applicant needs to review the design drawings and implement safety measures as required.

Thank you again for the opportunity of providing comments on the subject application. If you require any further information regarding this matter, please contact Billy Yung, Senior Transport Planner, via email at billy.yung@transport.nsw.gov.au. I hope this has been of assistance.

Yours sincerely

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