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Dear Mr Sprott,

Objection to Howlong Sand and Gravel Quarry Expansion Project. Application No SSD-8804

My name is William Douglas Pressnell DOB 26/11/1924

95 Hume St Howlong NSW 2643.

I am a returned soldier from WW11, I worked with the Department of Main Roads on my return from active service in New Guinea.

I am a long term resident of Howlong, retired and live with my disabled son Garry whom I care for, I now have low vision and need assistance in my home.

I received a letter recently from Planning Industry and Environment NSW in relation to an expansion project application from Howlong Sand and Gravel.

After reading the letter and giving much thought to this matter, I wish to make an objection on the grounds of noise from the many trucks that will pass close to my home, safety for my son who walks to the shops daily at various times and the breakup of the road base which was not laid to cover such truck traffic.

I also have a town bore for my vegetables and garden and would be concerned if this could be contaminated in some way. The gravel pit is close to the Murray River and I am concerned that this type of development may cause turbidity and other interference in water quality. Yours Sincerely

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William Douglas Pressnell. 15 May 2020