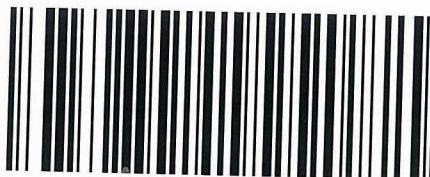


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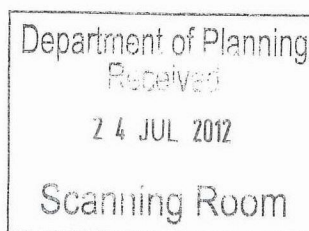
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17 July 2012

Dear Sir / Madam

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Tasman Extension Project

I refer to the exhibition of the above proposal and the invitation to make a submission. The NSW Rural Fire Service (RFS) has considered the proposal and provides the following advice regarding bush fire protection measures:

1. The surface buildings such as the administration facilities, workers amenities, store buildings and the like shall comply with *Australian Standard AS3959-2009*; and
2. A *Bush Fire Emergency Plan* is to be prepared in accordance with the RFS document, *Guide for Developing a Bush Fire Emergency Plan*.

For any enquiries regarding this correspondence please contact Garth Bladwell.

Yours faithfully,

Nika Fomin
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For information on *Planning for Bush Fire Protection 2006* visit the RFS web page www.rfs.nsw.gov.au