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Sent: Thursday, 5 April 2018 1:00 PM
To: office@roberts.minister.nsw.gov.au
Cc: Genevieve Hastwell; OLG - Ryde City Council
Subject: HPE CM: Objection to destroying trees on Bundara Reserve, North Ryde, NSW

The Hon. Anthony Roberts MP

Minister for Planning

Department of Planning and Environment

NSW Government

Dear Minister Roberts,

Re: Modification 4 to SSD 5093 - M2 site, North Ryde Station Urban Activation Precinct

I **strongly object** to the above Modification to SSD 5093 and ask that it be refused outright.

I am appalled to discover plans to destroy Bundara Reserve trees despite same currently protected under Commonwealth and State threatened species legislation. Please reconsider the proposal to remove trees in the Bundara Reserve.

This spurious Modification plan proposes a significant loss of trees, much greater in number than that originally proposed and given approval. In particular it affects the shale forest in and around Bundara Reserve which is protected under Commonwealth and State threatened species legislation.

The Bundara Reserve should be preserved and protected. Quality engineering should be mandatory for the pedestrian bridge if this infrastructure is required and, if a maintenance program is required, then count your blessings and create a works program to offer employment. Enable the concomitant employment of or fund a

bushcare group to ensure this small pocket of protected Turpentine-Ironbark trees continues to give visual pleasure to those travelling past, provide clean air to those living and working in the vicinity and regain your credibility.....who'd believe a government would value bridge paint ahead of protected trees!

Yours sincerely

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