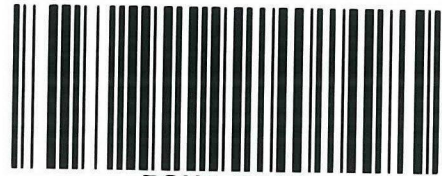


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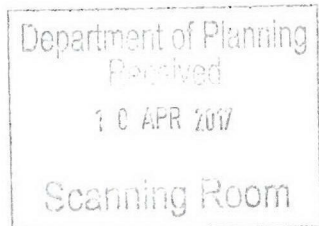
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Submission.

Applicant Hanson Construction Materials Pty Ltd.

Applicant no. SSD 5899

I object to the expansion of the
Brandy Hill Quarry Proposal.

Firstly I would like to point out the
Brandy Hill Quarry affects our lives now.
Any increase of an expansion of the quarry
would result in greater risks of personal
injury or lose of life due to heavy vehicle
and traffic, also noise and even air pollution
dust etc.

Road Safety

Brandy Hill Drive Road is in no condition
to carry heavy vehicles.

The road at this present time is in great
need of repairs.

The deterioration of the road is an everyday
occurrence due to heavy vehicle traffic.

Adding extra trucks to our situation now is a risk.

The surface of the road can not take the trucks and trucks with dogs on them running up and down to the quarry everyday now.

The Holes in the roadway now are dangerous we have to dodge them in order not to damage our vehicles, putting us in a dangerous situation in doing so with on coming traffic.

Speed is also a factor, the trucks are not doing the 80 km speed. I've been behind a few, they move, more likely they have a deadline to meet.

I have to make a right hand turn from Brandy Hill Drive into Tandarra Road I've had trucks very close to me when I've had to slow down to make that turn, I've not been able to move due to on coming traffic and the trucks do not have room to move to the left as the road way doesn't allow it. I know one day someone will get hit and killed on that intersection.

Times & Noise.

Extra time with extra trucks traffic will no work as residents in the area need to be able to unwind in their homes in peace.

We are a street back from Brandy Hill drive the noise travels through the gully, it is a continuous bang-bang and more banging of trucks travelling along the roadway. Extra trucks means more noise.

Noise due to blast. My windows vibrate in my home now due to the blasting that goes on at the quarry. I really object to the proposal expansion of the Quarry.

We feel the expansion of the Brandy Hill Quarry and the proposed development will affect on residents in the area.

All these factors + more will impact our Quality of Life and the way we live and love to live everyday of our life in our area. of Brandy Hill N.S.W.

Thanking You.



Exhibition of State Significant Development Application Brandy Hill Quarry Expansion

Application No	SSD 5899
Location	979 Clarence Town Road, Seaham
Applicant	Hanson Construction Materials Pty Ltd
Council Area	Port Stephens
Consent Authority	Minister for Planning

Description of proposal

The proposed development includes:

- Expanding the extraction area and continuing quarrying operations for a further 30 years;
- Extracting up to 1.5 million tonnes per annum of hard rock materials;
- Clearing approximately 49 hectares of vegetation;
- Constructing additional on-site infrastructure including a concrete plant, processing facilities and administration buildings;
- Amending quarrying operating hours;
- Continuing product loading and dispatch hours as 24 hours per day;
- Transporting quarry products to market and receiving 20,000 tonnes of concrete waste for recycling, via public roads; and
- Progressively rehabilitating the site.

Exhibition

The SSD Application, Environmental Impact Statement and other accompanying documents may be viewed on the Department's website (www.planning.nsw.gov.au) and inspected from **Friday 10 March 2017** until **Sunday 9 April 2017** during the relevant authority's ordinary office hours at:

- **Department of Planning and Environment:** Information Centre, Level 22, 320 Pitt Street, Sydney;
- **Port Stephens Council:** 116 Adelaide Street, Raymond Terrace; and
- **Nature Conservation Council:** Level 14, 388 Pitt Street, Sydney.

At the time of publishing this advertisement, the Minister for Planning has not directed that a public hearing should be held.

Controlled Action under EPBC Act

The Commonwealth Department of the Environment and Energy has determined that the proposed development is a "controlled action" under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act). The EPBC Act Part 3, Division 1 controlling provisions are:

- Sections 18 and 18A (Listed threatened species and communities)

The project (EPBC 2014/7453) will be assessed under Part 4, Division 4.1 of the EPBC Act. The assessment will be in accordance with clause 6 of the Bilateral Agreement between NSW and the Commonwealth, made under the EPBC Act, relating to environmental impact assessment. The assessment will be done in the manner specified in Schedule 3 of the Bilateral Agreement.

Submissions

Any person may make a written submission concerning the Development Application during the exhibition period. **If a submission is made by way of objection, the grounds of objection must be specified in the submission.**

Persons wishing to make a submission should use the online form if possible. To find the online form go to the webpage for this proposal via www.majorprojects.planning.nsw.gov.au/page/on-exhibition

Your submission must reach the Department by Sunday 9 April 2017. Before making your submission, please read our Privacy Statement at www.planning.nsw.gov.au/privacy or telephone the number below for a copy.

The Department will publish your submission on its website in accordance with our Privacy Statement.

If you cannot lodge online you can write to the address below. If you want the Department to delete your personal information before publication, please make this clear at the top of your letter. You need to include:

- Your name and address, at the top of the letter only;
- The name of the application and the application number;
- A statement on whether you support or object to the proposal;
- The reasons why you support or object to the proposal; and
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Planning Services, Department of Planning and Environment, GPO Box 39 SYDNEY NSW 2001
(Your submission should be marked, Attention: Howard Reed - Resource Assessments)