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The Secretary
NSW Department of Planning and Environment
GPO Box 39
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Attention: Director of Resource Assessments

RE: Martins Creek Quarry Project SSD 14_6612

Cutting Edges Equipment Parts supplies the Daracon Group with parts for screens and crushing plant at the Martins Street Quarry.

To provide these products and relevant backup and support we have dedicated staff who attend to Daracon and Martins Creek Quarry requirements.

Daracon and Martins Creek Quarry are major clients of Cutting Edges Equipment Parts providing our company with a significant volume of business. Daracon is a long established operator in the Hunter which supports many other local businesses. We understand that the economic flow on effects from the Martins Creek Quarry are significant and many local businesses provide products and or services to the quarry operations which in turn provides ongoing employment in the region.

Any additional restrictions or reductions placed on Martins Creek Quarry as a result of the environmental assessment will have a significant effect on many local businesses.

We support the Martins Creek Quarry project and the employment it provides within the Hunter region.

Yours faithfully

Richard Andrews
Chief Executive