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To Whom It May Concern,

Eco Logical Australia (ELA) had been engaged by Frasers Property Australia to conduct an Aboriginal and historical heritage assessment for the proposed Ivanhoe Estate Redevelopment at Macquarie Park NSW. The assessment was conducted in accordance with the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* (NSW), the *Heritage Act 1977* (NSW) and the *Due Diligence Code of Practice for the Protection of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales* (OEH 2010).

After an extensive search of Aboriginal and historic heritage databases' and registers, ELA Archaeologist undertook a site inspection of the proposed development site on 2 November 2017. The site inspection was carried out on foot and transacted the entire area for visual assessment. The site inspection did not identify any Aboriginal artefacts, PADs or sites and confirmed that the study area was highly developed and had low potential for any intact sub-surface archaeological sites. Following an analysis of the desktop assessment and observations made during the archaeological field survey the entire study area was identified as having low to nil archaeological potential. There is no requirement for further archaeological assessment within the study area in accordance with the requirements set out in the OEH guidelines.

On Wednesday 31 May 2018, the NSW Planning & Environment confirmed that the above assessment was in accordance with the Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements (SEARs) and further assessment in the form of an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment was not required.

If you have further questions or concerns on the matter, I can be reached at 02 8536 8683 or at tylerb@ecoaus.com.au.

Your Sincerely

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