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Dear Ms Gibson

## Modification to Woodlawn Bioreactor Expansion Project (Major Project 10\_112)

I refer to the applicant's response to submissions (RTS) relating to the above modification. Water NSW has reviewed the documents available on the Department's website and notes the following:

- It is proposed to have the new leachate management system (LMS) installed by end of 2017, and
- Contingency measures would be required if the upgraded LMS is delayed and it is proposed to increase the evaporation rate (e.g. use waste heat from onsite power station or other heat source).

Water NSW appreciates that Veolia is willing to consult with WaterNSW regarding any amendments that will be required to the management plans if the modification is approved. As suggested in our letter to the Department (dated 12 April 2016), WaterNSW requests that the following conditions of the existing approval be amended:

- Amend Condition 17(a) to include WaterNSW as an agency to be consulted in the preparation of any amendments to the Soil and Water Management Plan.
- Amend Condition 18(a) to include WaterNSW as an agency to be consulted in the preparation of any amendments to the Leachate Management Plan.
- If it is decided that the Landfill Closure Plan (Clause 28) and/or Rehabilitation Plan (Clause 29) are to be amended then WaterNSW is to be included as a relevant agency to be consulted in the preparation of those plans.

WaterNSW would appreciate the opportunity to review and provide comment on any amendments to the Soil and Water Management Plan and Leachate Management Plan currently being assessed by the Department of Planning & Environment.

If you wish to discuss this matter further please contact Jim Caddey on 4824 3401

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