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Advice provided via the Major Projects Portal

Dear Mr Zhang

Advice on EIS and recommended conditions – State Significant Development – Aspect Industrial Estate, Penrith LGA (SSD 10448)

Thank you for your referral uploaded to the Major Projects Portal on 13 November 2020 seeking advice on the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) report and recommended conditions for the above state significant development (SSD) proposal. The unredacted Aboriginal cultural heritage report that informed the EIS was received by Heritage NSW on 22 December 2020.

I have reviewed <u>Lots 54-58 Mamre Road</u>, <u>Kemps Creek</u>. <u>Aboriginal cultural heritage report</u> prepared for Mirvac by Artefact Heritage, dated October 2020 (the report). The report identifies that Aboriginal objects assessed as being of moderate archaeological significance will be impacted through the proposed works.

Heritage NSW provides the following recommendations:

- 1. An archaeological salvage excavation should be undertaken as recommended by the report prior to the commencement of any ground disturbance works.
- 2. The Registered Aboriginal Parties (RAPs) should be provided an opportunity to conduct a collection of Aboriginal objects across the proposal area prior to the commencement of any ground disturbance works.
- 3. A methodology for the reburial of all salvaged Aboriginal objects within the subject area should be developed in consultation with the RAPs.

If you have any further questions in relation to this matter, please contact me on 9995 6824 or email at sam.higgs@environment.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



Dr Samantha Higgs Senior Team Leader, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Regulation - North Heritage NSW 23 December 2020