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Dear Mr Nixey,

Modification 4 Landscape Elements for Sydney Modern Gallery - SSD 6471

Thank you for your referral dated 16 November 2020 requesting advice from Heritage NSW on the above State Significant Development modification proposal.

The following documents for the modified proposal have been reviewed:

- Section 4.55(2) Modification Art Gallery of NSW Expansion Project Sydney Modern, prepared by Architectus, dated 6 November 2020
- Appendix E Art Gallery of NSW Expansion Project, Sydney Modern—Proposed Modification Landscape—Archaeological Assessment and Heritage Impact Statement, prepared by GML Heritage, dated 21 October 2020

We note the modification states there is no potential for Aboriginal artefacts within intact subsurface deposits to be identified in the overall Sydney Modern Project boundary. This is consistent with the previous Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report (ACHAR) prepared by GML Heritage in August 2018.

We support the recommended mitigation measures whereby the existing management procedures for Aboriginal archaeology management should be continued.

If you have any questions regarding the above advice please contact me on (02) 6229 7089 or via email at <u>jackie.taylor@environment.nsw.gov.au</u>.

Yours sincerely

Jackie Taylor Senior Team Leader, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Regulation - South Heritage NSW 1 December 2020