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Dear Robert

## **Dubbo Quarry Continuation Project (SSD 10417) - Exhibition**

Thank you for your e-mail dated 8 February 2021 to the Biodiversity, Conservation and Science Directorate (BCS) of the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment inviting comments on the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the proposed Dubbo Quarry Continuation Project (SSD 10417).

BCS has reviewed the Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (BDAR) and is satisfied that the assessment meets the requirements of the Biodiversity Assessment Method (BAM). BCS notes that the proposed development will result in the removal of 5.82 hectares of plant community type 599, with an offset liability of 132 ecosystem credits.

If you require any further information regarding this matter, please contact Michelle Howarth, Senior Conservation Planning Officer, via michelle.howarth@environment.nsw.gov.au or (02) 6883 5339.

Yours sincerely

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