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> Department of Planning Industry and Environment Social and Infrastructure Assessment Locked Bag 5022 Parramatta NSW 2124

Attention: Ms Jenny Chu

Dear Ms Chu

RE: Kingscliff Public School Re-development, Tweed Shire (SSD-8378620)

Thank you for your e-mail dated 31 May 2021 about the proposed Kingscliff Public School redevelopment (SSD-8378620) seeking comments from the Biodiversity and Conservation Division (BCD) of the Biodiversity, Conservation and Science Directorate in the Environment, Energy and Science Group of the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment. I appreciate the opportunity to provide input.

The BCD has reviewed the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) and associated documentation for the proposed Kingscliff Public School re-development and advises that we have no issues to raise in relation to biodiversity (including threatened species and ecological communities, or their habitats), National Parks and Wildlife Service estate, climate change, sustainability, flooding, coastal and estuary matters.

If consent is intended to be granted to the proposal, we note that the recommended mitigation and management measures specified in Table 6 of the Biodiversity Development Assessment Report prepared by Kleinfelder dated 6 May 2021, should be included in the conditions of consent.

If you have any questions about this advice, please do not hesitate to contact Mr Bill Larkin, Senior Conservation Planning Officer, at bill.larkin@environment.nsw.gov.au or 6659 8216.

Yours sincerely

22 June 2021

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