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Department of Planning, Industry and Environment **Industry Assessments** Locked Bag 5022 PARRAMATTA NSW 2124

Attn: Shaun Williams

**ELECTRONIC MAIL** 21 April 2020

Dear Mr Williams

Benedict Recycling Pty Ltd - Girraween Waste Recycling & Transfer Facility State Significant Development No. SSD-9766 - EPA comment on Response to Submissions

I refer to the above State Significant Development No. SSD-9766 application (application) submitted by Benedict Recycling Pty Ltd (Applicant) seeking development approval from Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (DPIE) to construct and operate the Girraween Waste Recycling and Transfer Facility, which will process up to 220,000 tonnes of general solid waste (non-putrescible) per annum at 224-232 Toongabbie Road, Girraween (Lot 678 DP 9157).

On 5 December 2019, the EPA undertook a preliminary assessment of the application, including a detailed Environmental Impact Statement prepared by EMM Consulting dated 6 November 2019. The EPA advised the Applicant that there was insufficient information to adequately assess the application and provide Conditions of Approval. The EPA provided comments on the inadequacy of the on the Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment prepared by EMM Consulting to DPIE.

On 8 April 2020 the EPA received the Response to Submissions (RTS) from DPIE in relation to the application for review and comment. The EPA has reviewed the RTS and updated Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment (NVIA) prepared by EMM Consulting dated 25 March 2020 and is satisfied that the EPA's concerns have been adequately addressed.

The EPA will provide DPIE recommended Conditions of Approval separately. If you have any further questions in relation to this matter, please contact Nicholas Kumar on (02) 8275 1504.

Yours sincerely

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