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Dear Mr Fetterplace,

**Subject: Notice of Exhibition – Intercontinental Hotel Stage 2, 115-119 Macquarie Street, Sydney (SSD 10454)**

Thank you for your e-mail dated 2 September 2020, inviting Environment, Energy and Science Group (EES) in the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (DPIE) to comment on the Notice of Exhibition for Intercontinental Hotel Stage 2, 115-119 Macquarie Street, Sydney.

EES has reviewed the relevant documentation and make the following comments.

Biodiversity

A Biodiversity Development Assessment Report Waiver was approved 13 August 2020.

Flooding

EES makes no further flooding comments.

Please note from 1 July 2020 Aboriginal cultural heritage (ACH) regulation, including advice regarding SSIs and SSDs, is now managed by Heritage NSW. The new contact for the ACH regulation team is [heritagemailbox@environment.nsw.gov.au](mailto:heritagemailbox@environment.nsw.gov.au).

Should you have any queries regarding this matter, please contact Bronwyn Smith Senior Conservation Planning Officer on 9873 8604 or [Bronwyn.smith@environment.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Bronwyn.smith@environment.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'S. Harrison'.

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