

Our ref: DOC20/73019

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By email: Rebecca.Sommer@planning.nsw.gov.au

Dear Ms Sommer

Re: Notice of Exhibition of application for Belmont Drought Response Desalination Plant (SSI-8896)

Thank you for your referral dated 7 September 2020 inviting comments from the Heritage Council of NSW on the above State Significant Infrastructure proposal.

The subject site is not listed on the State Heritage Register (SHR), nor is it in the immediate vicinity of any SHR items. Further, the site does not contain any known historical archaeological deposits. Therefore, no further heritage comments are required. The Department does not need to refer subsequent stages of this proposal to the Heritage Council of NSW.

If you have any questions regarding the above advice, please contact Gary Hinder, A/Senior Heritage Assessment Officer, at Gary.Hinder@environment.nsw.gov.au or on 9873 8547.

Yours sincerely

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As Delegate of the Heritage Council of NSW

10 September 2020