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Dear Mr Wright

**Supplementary Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements
Maroota Friable Sandstone Extraction Project (SSD-10410)**

I refer to the Planning Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements (SEARs) for the above Project dated 18 February 2020 and correspondence with the Commonwealth Department of Agriculture, Water and Environment (DAWE) involving the referral of the above project as a controlled action dated 21 April 2021.

On 18 May 2021, the Project was determined to be a controlled action under Section 75 of the Commonwealth *Environmental Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act). The proposed development will now also require assessment and approval under the EPBC Act before it can proceed and will be assessed under the Bilateral Agreement between the NSW and Commonwealth Governments.

Accordingly, the Planning Secretary has issued supplementary SEARs to incorporate relevant matters for assessment under the EPBC Act. A copy of the supplementary SEARs is enclosed and should be read as Attachment 3 to the SEARs issued on 18 February 2020.

If you have any enquiries about these requirements, please contact Robert Hodgkins on the details listed above.

Yours sincerely

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as delegate for the Planning Secretary

Enclosed: Supplementary SEARs