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Sally Webster
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Dear Ms Webster,

Thank you for the Sydney Modern Project update provided during the Precinct Working Group meeting on 9 April 2019 related to the Harbour Heat Rejection system.

On behalf of the Royal Botanic Gardens and Domain Trust (the Trust), I note the replacement of the Harbour Heat Rejection system with cooling towers located on the Sydney Modern Project site and that the Gallery intends to submit a modification to SSDA 6471 to support the proposed change. The Trust also notes there will be no impact on the current Oil Tank Lease boundary. The Trust welcomes and supports this design change.

The Trust notes the area previously designated for the Harbour Heat Rejection system may still be utilised for construction-related activities, such as a laydown area. The Trust supports the use of this area for such purposes during the construction period and for full remediation of the space upon completion of the works.

I look forward to receiving continued progress reports on the Sydney Modern Project.

Kind regards,



George Salouros
Director, Assets and Facilities Management
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