



Department of Primary Industries

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Dear Ms Kirton

Gunlake Quarry Extension Project (SSD 7090) Comment on the Environmental Impact Statement

I refer to your letter/email dated 1 April 2016 to the Department of Primary Industries in respect to the above matter. Comment has been sought from relevant divisions of DPI. Any further referrals to DPI can be sent by email to landuse.enquiries@dpi.nsw.gov.au.

DPI has reviewed the Environmental Impact Statement and makes the following recommendations:

- The proponent should provide the 'Detailed design of the Surface Water Management System', the 'Surface Water Monitoring Plan' and the 'Surface Water Management Plan' to DPI Fisheries for consultation and advice prior to any works taking place.
- The above mentioned systems and plans should be designed to achieve no net impacts on receiving waters and should include sampling and testing regimes for the construction and operational phases of the quarry and include provisions for sampling of water quality during discharge events.
- A specific Condition of Approval should be included in the consent which addressed the need for obtaining any necessary licences under the *Water Management Act 2000* for water supplies and incidental groundwater prior to "taking" of that water.

For further information and consultation with DPI Fisheries please contact Jillian Reynolds, Regional Assessment Officer, 02 4428 3406, jillian.reynolds@dpi.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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