

Mitigation Measures for Review of Environmental Factors

New high school for Googong

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Part 5 Mitigation Measures

Aspect	MM ID	MM Name	Mitigation Measure	Timing
General	GMM1	Approvals	These Mitigation Measures do not remove the obligation to obtain all other licences, permits, approvals and consents as required under any other legislation.	Throughout
General	GMM3	Australian Standards	All works must comply with the relevant Australian Standards.	Throughout
General	GMM4	Crown Certificate	A Crown Certificate under Section 6.28 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> must be obtained for any Crown building work.	Prior to the commencement of Construction
General	GMM5	Landowners Consent	<i>Landowners consent must be obtained in writing from the relevant landowner or authority.</i>	Prior to the commencement of construction on that land
Community	CEMM1	Work Notification	DoE's Post Approval and Compliance Team, the relevant local Council and the occupiers of any land within 20 metres of the site boundary must be notified in writing of the project. The notice must outline the works to be undertaken, the expected timing for commencement of, and completion of construction works. A minimum period of 48 hours notification prior to the commencement of any construction work must be given.	Prior to the commencement of Construction

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Community	CEMM2	Site Notice Board	<p>A site notice board must be located at eye level at the entrance or other appropriate location at the site in a prominent position for the benefit of the community. The site notice must be displayed throughout the entire construction period, be A1 sized, durable, weatherproof and include the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) 24-hour contact person for the site; (b) Telephone and email addresses; (c) Site works and timeframes; and (d) Details of where accessible project information can be sourced. 	Prior to the commencement of Construction
Community	CEMM3	Complaints Handling	All complaints must be managed in accordance with DoE's Stakeholder and Community Participation Plan.	Throughout
Community	CEMM4	Approval from DITRDC	The buildings are a permanent infringement into the Obstacle Limitation Surface of Canberra Airport and require approval from the Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications (DITRDC). An application must be made via Canberra Airport in accordance with the recommendations in the Aviation Impact Assessment (Aviation Projects, Feb, 2025).	Prior to the commencement of works that will infringe the Obstacle Limitation Surface.

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Community	CEMM6	Consultation with Council and TfNSW regarding bus stop location and design	<p>The school bus stop design and school bus services are to be determined in consultation with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transport for New South Wales' Bus Team, and Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Council. 	Prior to the commencement of Operations
Community	CEMM7	Notification of Affected Stakeholders of Roadworks	<p>Once known, at the earliest available opportunity relevant stakeholders (including both residents and other construction managers where possible) are to be made aware of roadworks, in particular those that may result in partial or full closures of surrounding roads (i.e. for works such as raised crossings and service/utility connections).</p> <p>In advising of such disruptions, the timing of any such part/full closures would need to be disclosed, in addition to detours or alternative routes (particularly for larger construction vehicles) if or where such closures limit the size of vehicles able to use adjacent roads while works are being undertaken.</p>	Construction
Compliance	PACMM1	Compliance with Mitigation Measures	All relevant personnel, including contractors and their subcontractors, must be made aware of these Mitigation Measures and the requirement to undertake the activity	Throughout

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			as per these Mitigation Measures.	
Compliance	PACMM2	Non-compliance notification	<p>The relevant Project Lead and DOE's Post Approval and Compliance Team must be notified as soon as practical when any non-compliance with a Mitigation Measure is identified. The notification should identify the relevant works, set out the Mitigation Measure that works are non-compliant with, the way in which it does not comply, any known reasons for the non-compliance and what actions have been, or will be undertaken, to address the non-compliance.</p> <p><i>Note: Non-compliance and incident notifications processes are set out in the Post Approvals Guide. All notifications must be recorded using the digital Non-Compliance Notification Form or the Incident Notification Form.</i></p>	Throughout
Compliance	PACMM3	Independent Audits	<p>A risk-based program of independent audits must be prepared for the work, having regard to the <i>AS/NZS ISO 19011-2019 Guidelines for Auditing Management Systems</i>. Audits are to be undertaken by suitably qualified personnel independent to the works and documented in an audit report which:</p>	Throughout

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			<p>(a) Assesses how the Mitigation Measures are being satisfied;</p> <p>(b) Outlines the adequacy of any documents required under the Mitigation Measures;</p> <p>(c) Outlines the performance of the works with respect to any impacts on the surrounding environment including the local community; and</p> <p>(d) Recommends any measures or actions to improve the performance of the works, if deemed required.</p> <p>The independent audit program is to be provided to the relevant DoE Project Lead and DoE Post Approval and Compliance Team for agreement.</p>	
Compliance	PACMM4	Independent Audits	<p>The Independent Audits must be carried out in accordance with the approved audit program.</p> <p>Each Independent Audit Report is to be finalised within four weeks from the auditor's site inspection or where an alternative timeframe is agreed to by the Post Approval and Compliance Team.</p> <p>Each Independent Audit Report is to be provided to the relevant DoE Project Lead and DoE Post Approval and</p>	Throughout

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			Compliance Team within 7 days of completion of the report.	
Compliance	PACMM5	Status Report	The Project Lead must submit a Status Report to the Post Approvals and Compliance Team demonstrating compliance with the Mitigation Measures upon completion of the works.	Upon completion
Construction	CMM2	Construction Environmental Management Plan	<p>A Construction Environmental Management Plan (CEMP) is to be prepared and implemented having regard to the <i>Environmental Management Guidelines for Construction Procurement (Edition 4)</i>, and is to include where relevant, but not limited to, the following:</p> <p>(a) Details of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i). Hours of work; (ii). 24-hour contact details of site manager; (iii). Management of dust and odour; (iv). Stormwater control and discharge; (v). Measures to ensure that sediment and other materials are not tracked onto the roadway by vehicles leaving the site; (vi). Any other specific environmental construction Mitigation Measures detailed in the REF; 	Prior to the commencement of Construction

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			<p>(vii). Any requirements outlined in any relevant approvals, permits, licences or landowner consents; and</p> <p>(viii). Community consultation and complaints handling in line with DoE's Stakeholder and Community Participation Plan.</p> <p>(b) Aerial Site Plan showing the location of the works;</p> <p>(c) The following, where required by Mitigation Measures:</p> <p>(i). Construction Traffic and Pedestrian Management;</p> <p>(ii). Construction Worker Transport Strategy</p> <p>(iii).Construction Noise and Vibration Management;</p> <p>(iv).Construction Waste Management (including details on contaminated waste);</p> <p>(v). Construction Air Quality and Dust Management;</p> <p>(vi).Construction Soil and Water Management;</p> <p>(vii). Construction Flood Management;</p> <p>(viii). Aboriginal/Non-Aboriginal Heritage Management; and</p> <p>(ix).Demolition Work Plan</p>	

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			(d) Construction Tree Protection Plan; (e) Erosion and Sediment Control Plan; (f) Unexpected finds protocol for Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal heritage; (g) Unexpected finds protocol for contamination; (h) Construction Emergency Management Plan; (i) Training of responsibilities/heritage site inductions under the <i>National Parks and Wildlife Act 1975</i> , <i>Heritage Act 1977</i> and any other relevant legislation, as relevant to the works.	
Construction	CMM3	Construction Fencing	Construction site fencing is to be installed around the site. Construction vehicle and pedestrian access points to / from the site are to be clearly designated, signposted and controlled for authorised access only.	Construction
Construction	CMM4	Construction Hazardous Materials	The use and storage of hazardous materials and dangerous goods, including petroleum, distillate and other chemicals, shall be in accordance with the relevant legislation including, but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997</i>; • <i>Work Health and Safety Regulation 2017</i>; • <i>AS 1940:2017 The Storage and Handling of Flammable and Combustible Liquids</i>; and 	Construction

Aspect	MM ID	MM Name	Mitigation Measure	Timing
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Safe Work NSW Code of Practice – Managing Risks of Hazardous Chemicals in the Workplace.</i> 	
Construction	CMM5	Construction Hazardous Materials	A spill containment kit must be available at all times on the construction site. All personnel must be made aware of the location of the kit and trained in its effective deployment.	Construction
Construction	CMM6	Construction Materials	All materials must be wholly contained within the construction site. The requirements of the <i>Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997</i> are to be complied with when placing and stockpiling construction and waste materials, when disposing of waste products and during any other works likely to pollute drains or watercourses.	Construction
Construction	CMM7	Construction Operations	Building methods such as brick cutting, mixing mortar and the washing of tools, paint brushes, form-work and concrete trucks shall be undertaken in the construction site in a location so as to prevent air, land or water pollution.	Construction
Construction	CMM8	Construction Equipment	All equipment and machinery shall be secured to prevent vandalism outside of construction hours.	Construction
Construction	CMM9	Construction	All contractors must meet all workplace safety legislation	Construction

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		Contractors	and requirements.	
Construction	CMM10	Construction Vehicle Maintenance	No vehicle maintenance is permitted in the construction areas except in emergencies.	Construction
Construction	CMM11	Construction Waste	The work site is to be left tidy and rubbish free each day prior to leaving the site and at the completion of works.	Construction
Construction	CMM12	Construction Lighting	All construction lighting shall not cause a nuisance to adjoining neighbours and comply with <i>AS/NZS 4282:2019 Control of the Obtrusive Effects of Outdoor Lighting</i> .	Construction
Construction	CMM13	Construction Hours	<p>The undertaking of any construction work, including the entry and exit of construction and delivery vehicles at the site, is restricted to the following standard work hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Monday to Friday inclusive: Between 7.00am to 6.00pm; (b) Saturday: Between 8.00am to 1.00pm; and (c) Sunday and Public Holidays: No work permitted. <p>Where noise levels are not expected to exceed the existing background noise level plus 5dB, and noise monitoring is undertaken in accordance with the</p>	Construction

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			<p><i>Approved Methods for Measurement and Analysis of Environmental Noise in NSW (EPA, 2022)</i>, works may also be undertaken during the following additional work hours:</p> <p>(d) Mondays to Friday inclusive: Between 6:00pm to 7:00pm; and</p> <p>(e) Saturday: Between 1:00pm to 4:00pm.</p> <p>Construction work may be undertaken outside of the standard and additional work hours outlined above, but only if notification has been given to the occupiers of any land within a minimum of 80 metres of the site boundaries before undertaking the work or as soon as is practical afterwards, and only:</p> <p>(f) If it is strictly required by the police or a public authority for the delivery of vehicles, plant or materials; or</p> <p>(g) In an emergency to avoid the loss of life, damage to property or to prevent environmental harm; or</p> <p>(h) Where the works are completely inaudible at the nearest sensitive receiver; or</p> <p>(i) For the delivery, setup and removal of construction cranes, where notice of the crane related works is provided to Council and affected</p>	

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			<p>residents at least seven days prior to the works; or</p> <p>(j) For maintenance and repair of public infrastructure where disruption to essential services, required system conditions (such as low-flow conditions for sewers) and/or considerations of worker safety do not allow work within standard hours; or</p> <p>(k) For public infrastructure works where work outside the recommended standard hours is supported by the affected community to shorten the length of the project; and</p> <p>(l) Where it is demonstrated and justified for the need to work outside the recommended construction hours.</p> <p>Except in emergencies, these circumstances are not to be interpreted as endorsement for work outside the recommended standard hours and should be justified in each case. Work schedule convenience or project expedience is not considered sufficient justification. Any departure from this Mitigation Measure must be immediately notified to the Post Approvals and Compliance Team.</p>	

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Construction	CMM14	Construction Methods	<p>Use of any rock excavation machinery, sheet piling, pile driving or jack-hammering and the like is restricted to the following hours:</p> <p>(a) Monday to Friday inclusive: 9:00am to 12:00pm; (b) Monday to Friday inclusive: 2:00pm to 5:00pm; and (c) Saturday: 9:00am to 12:00pm.</p>	Construction
Construction	CMM15	Vibration During Construction	<p>Vibration levels induced by demolition activities must be in accordance with the <i>AS4236 – Guide to Noise and Vibration Control on Construction, Demolition and Maintenance Sites</i>.</p> <p>The operation of plant and equipment must not give rise to the transmission of vibration nuisance or damage to other premises.</p> <p>Prior to commencement of vibration-generating activities, a specific vibration monitor must be set up either at the property boundary or nearest sensitive receiver to monitor and record the vibration levels affecting buildings on adjacent land using the <i>Assessing Vibration: A Technical Guide (DECC, 2009)</i>.</p>	Construction

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			Any departures from this Mitigation Measure must be notified to the Post Approvals and Compliance Team.	
Construction	CMM16	Shoring & Adequacy of Adjoining Property	<p>If the works involve an excavation that extends below the level of the base of the footings of a building, structure or work on adjoining land (including any structure or work within a road or rail corridor), under the advice of a suitably qualified engineer the works must:</p> <p>(a) Protect and support the building, structure or work from possible damage from the excavation, and</p> <p>(b) Where necessary, underpin the building, structure or work to prevent any such damage.</p>	Construction
Construction	CMMM17	Provision of lighting to raised wombat crossings	The wombat crossings are to be well illuminated with street lighting designed in according to AS/NZS1158.4.	Construction
Construction	CMMM18	Waste classification	A standalone waste classification is to be required for any specific material requiring off-site disposal.	Construction
Construction	CMMM19	Soil and rock classification	Further sampling and analysis is to be undertaken in order to provide a classification for soil or rock that is designated to be disposed off-site.	Construction

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Construction	CMMM21	Erection of cranes	Any crane used during construction must be referred to Canberra Airport for approval.	Prior to erection of the first crane
Soil & Water	SWMM1	Erosion and Sediment Control	An Erosion and Sediment Control Plan must be implemented in accordance with the Landcom/Department of Housing <i>Managing Urban Stormwater, Soils and Construction Guidelines</i> (Blue Book). The controls must be in place, inspected and managed until the works are complete and all exposed erodible materials are stable relevant to each construction stage. Inspection records must be kept and provided to the Post Approval and Compliance Team on request.	Construction
Soil & Water	SWMM2	Imported Fill Material	<p>Imported fill must be compatible with the existing soil characteristics of the site and limited to the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Virgin excavated natural material (VENM); and/or (b) Excavated natural material (ENM) certified as such in accordance with Protection of the Environment Operations (Waste) Regulation 2014; and/or (c) Material subject to a Waste Exemption under 	Construction

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			<p>Clause 91 and Clause 92 of the Protection of the Environment Operations (Waste) Regulation 2014 and recognised by the NSW Environment Protection Authority as being “fit for purpose” with respect to the works under the REF.</p> <p>Certificates from a suitably qualified person/contractor proving that the imported fill material complies with these requirements must be provided to the relevant DoE Project Lead prior to filling works.</p>	
Soil & Water	SWMM3	Imported Mulch	<p>Any imported mulch must comply with the <i>Resource Recovery Order under Part 9, Clause 93 of the Protection of the Environment Operations (Waste) Regulation 2014</i> and the <i>Mulch Order 2016</i> recognised by the NSW Environment Protection Authority as being “fit for purpose” with respect to the works under the REF. Mulch must not include physical or chemical contaminants and minimise harm to the environment through the introduction, spread or increase in any weed, disease or pest. A written statement provided by the supplier confirming compliance with the <i>Resource Recovery Mulch Order 2016</i> is to be provided to the relevant DoE Project Lead prior to importing the mulch.</p>	Construction

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Soil & Water	SWMM4	Groundwater	Should any unexpected groundwater be encountered during construction works, works are to cease immediately. Where groundwater needs to be removed, an approval may be required under the <i>Water Management Act 2000</i> .	Construction
Soil & Water	SWMM5	Stormwater Management System	<p>The operational stormwater management system must be designed by a suitably qualified civil engineer. The system must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Ensure that the system capacity has been designed in accordance with the relevant Australian Standards; and (b) Ensure that the system has been designed in accordance with the <i>Australian Rainfall and Runoff (Engineers Australia, 20016)</i> and <i>Managing Urban Stormwater: Council Handbook (EPA, 1997) Guidelines</i>. 	Design
Soil & Water	SWMM7	Stormwater treatment measures	To avoid post-occupation water pollution and adverse impacts on the quality of water in local water bodies, stormwater treatment measures like those detailed in the Civil Engineering Design Report (Enstruct, 2025) should	Prior to the commencement of Operations

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			be installed within the OSD tank as recommended.	
Soil & Water	SWMM8	Maintenance of stormwater management systems	Stormwater management systems, including any water treatment systems, must be maintained and operated in a proper and efficient condition and in accordance with the Stormwater Operation and Maintenance Plan. Pollution control devices within the stormwater system are to be maintained in accordance with manufacturer specifications. Pollutant removal devices will require yearly inspection and maintenance.	During Operations
Trees	TMM1	Tree Protection	Trees not approved to be pruned or removed are to be protected and maintained in accordance with <i>AS 4970-2009 Protection of Trees on Development Sites</i> and are to remain in place until the completion of all construction work in the vicinity of the protected trees.	Construction
Trees	TMM2	Confirmation of Tree Protection Zones (TPZ) and Structural Root Zones (SRZ) by Project Arborist	<p>An official "Project Arborist" must be commissioned to oversee the street tree removal and protection, any activity within the TPZ's, and to complete any compliance certification. The Project Arborist is to supervise any earthwork or service installation within the TPZ's of street trees to be retained.</p> <p>The Project Arborist is to participate in pre-clearing site</p>	Construction

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			<p>walk-through to confirm the street trees to be removed and the street trees to be retained and the setup of tree protection measures.</p> <p>Tree Protection Zone (TPZ) and Structural Root Zone (SRZ) for retained trees are to be confirmed by the arborist.</p> <p>Prior to commencement of construction, the arborist will inspect the setup of TPZs, ensuring they meet the requirements of AS4970(2007) Protection of Trees on Development Sites.</p>	
Visual & Amenity	VAMM1	External Materials	<p>The selection of external colours, materials or finishes of the building(s) should aim to minimise impacts on visual amenity and ensure there is no increase in impacts identified within the visual amenity assessment in the REF.</p> <p>For enquiries on requirements please contact the DoE Design and Infrastructure Standards Team on DesignAndInfrastructureStandards@det.nsw.edu.au.</p>	Design
Land Contamination	LCMM4	Unexpected Site Contamination	During construction works, should any unexpected contamination information or contaminants be identified which have the potential to alter previous site	Construction

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			contamination assessments, conclusions and recommendations, the relevant DoE Project Lead must be immediately notified and works must cease in the location of the contamination. Works must not recommence until a suitably qualified and experienced contamination consultant has investigated the unexpected contamination and provided recommendations for the management of necessary remedial work required to render the site suitable for the activity in accordance with any relevant NSW EPA adopted guidelines. A Completion Certification from the contamination consultant shall be submitted to the relevant DoE Project Lead prior to construction works recommencing. Following completion of the remediation through implementation of the recommendations from the suitably qualified contamination consultation, a Site Remediation and Validation Report is to be submitted to a NSW EPA-Accredited Site Auditor to confirm site suitability. A copy of the Site Remediation and Validation Report is also to be provided to the relevant DoE Project Lead and DoE's Post Approval and Compliance Team. A notice of completion of remediation work must also be given to Council in accordance with Section 4.14 and Section 4.15 of <i>State Environmental Planning Policy</i>	

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			<i>(Resilience and Hazards) 2021.</i>	
Land Contamination	LCMM6	Check sampling	<p>'Check' sampling and analysis is to be carried out to test for potentially hazardous levels of metals (including arsenic, lead, manganese and zinc) in any soil / bedrock that is excavated and planned to be relocated within the site.</p> <p>Should contamination be identified, prior to the commencement of operation, an Interim Site Audit Statement prepared by an EPA Accredited Site Auditor is to be provided to the relevant DoE Project Lead and DoE Post Approval and Compliance Team.</p>	Construction
Utilities & Infrastructure	UIMM1	Pre-Construction Dilapidation Report	A Pre-Construction Dilapidation Report must be prepared by a suitably qualified expert and submitted to Council, relevant asset/service infrastructure owners and the relevant DoE Project Lead. The report must provide an accurate record of the existing condition of adjoining private properties that are likely to be impacted by the works (and that have agreed to an offer for a dilapidation survey) and assets/service infrastructure that is likely to be impacted by the works.	Prior to the commencement of Construction
Utilities &	UIMM2	Services & Utilities	All services and utilities in the construction area must be	Construction

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Infrastructure			appropriately disconnected and reconnected as required, in consultation with the relevant authorities to determine disconnection and reconnection requirements.	
Utilities & Infrastructure	UIMM3	No Obstruction of Public Way	Building materials, machinery, vehicles, refuse, skip bins or the like must not be stored or placed in the public way (outside of any approved construction works zone).	Construction
Utilities & Infrastructure	UIMM4	Pedestrian Access	Safe pedestrian access in and around the site shall remain unimpeded at all times. Required informative signage and directional information must be provided in appropriate locations ensuring pedestrian safety. Where necessary, traffic control measures will be implemented.	Construction
Utilities & Infrastructure	UIMM5	Acoustic louvres	Acoustic louvres to be installed within Gymnasium and Covered Outdoor workshop areas where required to achieve environmental noise emission criteria in the Noise and Vibration Assessment Report (ARUP, 2025).	Construction
Utilities & Infrastructure	UIMM6	Façade treatments for noise mitigation	Façade glazing, natural ventilation, external doors, façade wall treatments, and acoustic louvres are to be selected to mitigate noise intrusion and achieve internal noise recommendations in the Noise and Vibration Assessment Report (ARUP, 2025)	Construction

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Utilities & Infrastructure	UIMM7	Post-Construction Dilapidation Report	A Post-Construction Dilapidation Report must be prepared by a suitably qualified expert and submitted to Council, relevant asset/service infrastructure owners and the relevant DoE Project Lead. The report must determine whether the construction work has resulted in any structural damage to items assessed in the Pre-Construction Dilapidation Report. If the report determines that there is damage as a result of construction works the identified damage must repaired or pay the full costs associated with repairing any damage within an agreed timeline between the owner of the identified property.	Post-construction
Heritage	HMM1	Non-Aboriginal Heritage	If any unexpected archaeological relic (or potential relic) of heritage significance is discovered during any construction work, all work in the vicinity must cease and the area must be appropriately protected. Materials should not be removed from the ground wherever possible. The DoE Heritage Team is to be notified and an archaeologist engaged to undertake a site inspection to ascertain whether the finds are significant relics. Construction works cannot recommence in that area until advised by the archaeologist, in consultation with the DoE Heritage Team. Should significant relics be identified, external approvals to impact the relics may be	Construction

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			required.	
Heritage	HMM2	Aboriginal Heritage	If any unexpected Aboriginal objects, sites or places (or potential Aboriginal objects, site or places) are discovered during any construction work, all works in the vicinity must cease and the area must be appropriately protected. The DoE Heritage Team is to be notified and an archaeologist engaged to undertake a site inspection to assess the find in consultation with the Registered Aboriginal Parties (RAPs). Following the on-site assessment, the archaeologist and RAPs (if they attended the site) are to advise on whether further management, mitigation or approvals are required in consultation with the DoE Heritage Team. Should Aboriginal objects be identified, these are to be registered in the Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System (AHIMS). An Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (AHIP) would also need to be obtained to impact the site.	Construction
Heritage	HMM3	Human Remains	If human remains are identified, work must cease and the area around where the remains are found must be protected from all disturbance. Finds are not to be displaced from the location where they are found. The DoE Heritage Team is to be notified and a specialist	Construction

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			archaeologist engaged to assess the find. If human skeletal material less than 100 years old is discovered, the NSW Police are to be contacted in accordance with the <i>Coroners Act 2009</i> . Aboriginal burials (older than 100 years) are protected under the <i>National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974</i> and should not be disturbed. Should the skeletal material prove to be archaeological Aboriginal remains, Heritage NSW and the Local Aboriginal Land Council must be notified. Notification should also be made to the Commonwealth Minister for the Environment, under the provisions of the <i>Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Heritage Protection Act 1984</i> .	
Heritage	HMM4	Prior AHIP Approval	Works are to proceed in accordance with AHIP No. #C0003603 (Permit ID)	Construction
Heritage	HMM5	Investigations to be Kept Onsite	A copy of the PIHAIR (Lantern Heritage, 2023), and any subsequent due diligence investigations, should be kept on record, and if requested, supplied to the relevant government agency as proof of compliance with the Due Diligence Code of Practice.	Construction
Operational Management	OPMM1	Operation Waste Management Plan	Prior to the commencement of operations, any operational waste management measures shall be	Prior to the commencement of Operations

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			detailed in an Operational Waste Management Plan. This Plan must outline how waste will be minimised, handled, stored and disposed of appropriately, in accordance with any relevant guidelines. A copy of the Operational Waste Management Plan is to be provided to the relevant DoE Project Lead for implementation during operations.	
Operational Management	OPMM2	Operation Stormwater Management Plan	<p>Prior to the commencement of operations, a Stormwater Operation and Maintenance Plan is to be prepared and include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Maintenance schedule of all stormwater quality treatment devices; (b) Record and reporting details; and (c) Work Health and Safety requirements. <p>A copy of the Stormwater Operation and Maintenance Plan is also to be provided to the relevant DoE Project Lead for implementation.</p>	Prior to the commencement of Operations
Operational Management	OPMM3	Operation Plant and Machinery Plan	All operational plant and equipment must be maintained and operated in proper and efficient manner and in accordance with the user manual.	During Operations
Operational	OPMM4	Operation Plant	Prior to the commencement of operations, it must be	Prior to the commencement

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Management		and Machinery	demonstrated by a suitably qualified acoustic engineer that noise associated with the operation of mechanical plant or machinery installed does not exceed the relevant project noise trigger levels.	of Operations
Operational Management	OPMM5	Landscaping	<p>Landscaping within the site associated with the works must be maintained. This includes the undertaking of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Mulching (b) Concrete/paving maintenance and replacement (c) Outdoor furniture maintenance and replacement (d) Turf replacement (e) Planting and tree replacement (f) Planting and tree maintenance (trimming) (g) Watering (h) Irrigation maintenance (i) Mowing (j) Spraying and pest treatment 	During Operations
Operational Management	OPMM6	Usage of public address system	Restrict usage of Public Address system to daytime hours only (7am to 6pm). Use directional speakers and set volume levels to the minimum required to ensure clarity and audibility.	During Operation

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Operational Management	OPMM7	Loading dock, waste removal and cleaning activities	Where practicable, all loading dock activities, waste removal and noisy cleaning activities should take place between 7:00 AM and 10:00 PM.	During Operation
Operational Transport	OPTMM1	School Transport Plan	Prior to the commencement of operations, a School Transport Plan must be prepared in consultation with the DoE Transport Planning Team. If the school already has a School Transport Plan, the existing plan is to be reviewed and updated if necessary to reflect the impacts of the REF works, in consultation with the DoE Transport Planning Team. A copy of the School Transport Plan is to be provided to the relevant DoE Project Lead for implementation during operations.	Prior to the commencement of Operations
Sustainability	SCMM1	Green Star Building Certification	<p>Green Star Building certification must be obtained demonstrating that the activity achieves a minimum 4 star rating. Evidence of the certification must be provided to the DoE Sustainability Team.</p> <p>For enquiries on requirements please contact the DoE Sustainability Team on Sustainability.ESD@det.nsw.edu.au.</p>	Within 12 months of commencement of Operations

Dictionary

Term	Definition
Aboriginal object	Has the same meaning as the definition of the term in Section 5 (Definitions) of the <i>National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974</i> .
Aboriginal place	Has the same meaning as the definition of the term in Section 5 (Definitions) of the <i>National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974</i> .
Bushfire prone land	Land mapped on a bushfire prone land map as being subject to bushfire hazard. If part but not all of a lot is mapped as being subject to bushfire hazard, only the specific part of the lot that is mapped as being subject to bushfire hazard is bushfire prone land.
Category 1 Remediation	Remediation work needing consent that is: <ul style="list-style-type: none">(a) designated development, or(b) carried out or to be carried out on land declared to be a critical habitat, or(c) likely to have a significant effect on a critical habitat or a threatened species, population or ecological community, or(d) development for which another State environmental planning policy or a regional environmental plan requires development consent, or

	<p>(e) carried out or to be carried out in an area or zone to which any classifications to the following effect apply under an environmental planning instrument:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) coastal protection, (ii) conservation or heritage conservation, (iii) habitat area, habitat protection area, habitat or wildlife corridor, (iv) environment protection, (v) escarpment, escarpment protection or escarpment preservation, or escarpment preservation, (vi) floodway, (vii) littoral rainforest, (viii) nature reserve, (ix) scenic area or scenic protection, (x) wetland, or <p>(f) carried out or to be carried out on any land in a manner that does not comply with a policy made under the contaminated land planning guidelines by the council for any local government area in which the land is situated (or if the land is within the unincorporated area, the Minister).</p>
Category 2 Remediation	<p>Remediation work not needing consent that is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a remediation work that is not a work of a kind described as Category 1 remediation, or

	<p>(b) a remediation work (whether or not it is a work of a kind described as Category 1 remediation that:</p> <p>(i) by the terms of a remediation order, is required to be commenced before the expiry of the usual period under the <u>Contaminated Land Management Act 1997</u> for lodgement of an appeal against the order, or</p> <p>Note — The usual period for lodgement of an appeal is 21 days or a period prescribed instead by regulations made under the Contaminated Land Management Act 1997.</p> <p>(ii) may be carried out without consent under another State environmental planning policy or a regional environmental plan (as referred to in section 4.16(4)), or</p> <p>(iii) is carried out or to be carried out by or on behalf of the Director-General of the Department of Agriculture on land contaminated by the use of a cattle dip under a program implemented in accordance with the recommendations or advice of the Board of Tick Control under Part 2 of the Stock Diseases Act 1923, or</p> <p>(iv) is carried out or to be carried out under the Public Land Remediation Program administered by the Broken Hill Environmental Lead Centre.</p>
Certification of Crown building work	Certification under section 6.28(2) of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> .
Construction	<p>All physical work to enable operation including (unless specifically excluded by a Mitigation Measures) but not limited to the demolition and removal of buildings, the carrying out of works for the purposes of the activity, including bulk earthworks, and erection of buildings and other infrastructure permitted by this REF determination, but excluding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Building and road dilapidation surveys;

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investigative drilling or investigative excavation; • Archaeological Salvage; • Establishing temporary site offices (in locations identified by the Mitigation Measures of this REF determination); • Installation of environmental impact mitigation measures, fencing, enabling works; and • Minor adjustments to services or utilities.
Demolition	The deconstruction and removal of buildings, sheds and other structures on the site.
DoE	Department of Education
Environment	Includes all aspects of the surroundings of humans, whether affecting any human as an individual or in his or her social groupings.
Green Star	The building sustainability rating scheme management by the Green Building Council of Australia.
Post Approval and Compliance	To contact the Post Approval and Compliance Team email postapproval@det.nsw.edu.au
Gross Floor Area	Refer to the National Construction Code 'Gross Floor Area' definition.
Project Lead	The DoE primary contact for the project i.e. Project Director or Asset Manager.

Reasonable	Means applying judgement in arriving at a decision, considering mitigation, benefits, costs of mitigation versus benefits provided, community views, and the nature and extent of potential improvements.
REF	Review of Environmental Factors
Suitably qualified person	A professional with the necessary qualifications having regard to the nature of their technical services.