



PP\_2018\_KEMPS\_004\_00 / IRF20/1164

Mr Craig Milburn  
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Attention: Mr Peter Orr

Dear Mr Milburn

**Planning proposal PP\_2018\_KEMPS\_004\_00**

I refer to your correspondence of 12 March 2020 requesting the Secretary's agreement that inconsistency of the above proposal with section 9.1 Direction 4.4 Planning for Bushfire Protection is justified.

I have considered this matter, and as a delegate of the Secretary, I have agreed that the inconsistency is justified in accordance with the terms of the Direction.

Council can now proceed with its processing of the proposal.

Should you have any further enquiries about this matter, I have arranged for Ms Helen Willis to assist you. Ms Willis can be contacted on 5778 1489

Yours sincerely

13 March 2020

**Craig Diss**  
**Acting Director, Northern Region**  
**Local and Regional Planning**