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1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 BACKGROUND

At the request of Tonkin Zulaikha Greer Architects Pty Ltd (TZG) on behalf of Caliph, Environmental Investigations Australia Pty Ltd (EI) has carried out a Preliminary Geotechnical Investigation (PGI) for the proposed development at 75 Mary Street in St Peters, NSW (the Site).

This PGI report has been prepared to provide preliminary geotechnical advice and recommendations in support of a development application and the preparation of initial concept designs for the proposed residential development. Work has been carried out in accordance with the scope of works outlined in our proposal referenced P12722.2, dated 2 September 2014 and your authorisation to proceed dated 11 September 2014

A Detailed Site Assessment and Preliminary Acid Sulfate Soil Assessment for the Site was also undertaken by EI and is presented separately in the report referenced E22317 AA. The Detailed Site Assessment and Preliminary Acid Sulfate Soil Assessment provide more information on environmental impact on the soils and groundwater at the site from past industrial use. These reports should be read in conjunction with this report.

In 18 September 2015, the PGI report (Ref. E22317 GA_Rev 3) was revised in response to an amendment of the development drawings dated 14 September 2015. Changes to the final site configuration post site development were proposed in the updated development drawings. Relevant geotechnical implications resulted by the amendment are discussed in sections below.

1.2 PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

Caliph supplied EI with drawings prepared by TZG titled:

- *Proposed Site Plan – Aerial View*, dated 14 September 2015 (Precinct 75, 75 Mary Street);
- *B1 Basement Parking Plan*, dated 14 September 2015 (Precinct 75, 75 Mary Street);
- *B2 Basement Parking Plan*, dated 14 September 2015 (Precinct 75, 75 Mary Street);
- *Ground Floor*, dated 14 September 2015 (Precinct 75, 75 Mary Street);
- *Site Sections*, dated 14 September 2015 (Precinct 75, 75 Mary Street).

At the time of undertaking the ground investigation, based on the drawings provided, EI understood that the proposed development would involve the demolition of the existing buildings at the central and eastern portion of the site, redevelopment of four existing commercial buildings and the construction of three four- to eight-storey buildings over a one to three level stepped basement profile. We anticipated that the basement will extend to a maximum depth of approximately 6 m below existing ground level (mBGL).

1.3 INVESTIGATION OBJECTIVES

The objective of the PGI is to assess site surface and subsurface conditions and to provide preliminary geotechnical advice and recommendations addressing the following:

- Excavation support requirements, including preliminary geotechnical design parameters for retaining walls and shoring systems;
- Excavation methodologies, limitations and monitoring requirements;
- Approaches to limit potential impacts on adjacent structures, services and roads;
- Building and retaining wall foundation options, including;
 - ▶ Preliminary design parameters



- ▶ Earthquake loading factor in accordance with AS1170.4:2007;
- ▶ Subgrade preparation and earthworks requirements;
- Construction constraints including groundwater management requirements, if necessary; and
- The requirement for additional geotechnical investigations.

1.4 SCOPE OF WORKS

The scope of works for the PGI was based on the original set of architectural drawings and included:

- Review of available information from in-house sources;
- Preparation of appropriate health and safety plans;
- Review relevant soil landscape and geological maps for the project area;
- Dial Before You Dig (DBYD) services search and scan of proposed borehole locations for buried conductive services using a licensed service locator;
- Concrete coring through existing concrete hardstand at four borehole locations (BH1 to BH3 & BH6);
- Drilling of six boreholes (BH1 to BH6) by a truck-mounted drill rig using solid flight augers equipped with a 'tungsten-carbide' bit (T-C bit). Boreholes reached T-C bit refusal between 2.81 mBGL and 4.90 mBGL. Approximate borehole locations are shown in **Figure 2**;
- Standard Penetration Testing (SPT) during drilling of the boreholes at between 0.5 m and 1.5 m depth intervals to assess soil strength and collect soil samples for laboratory testing. Soil samples were sent to Macquarie Geotech Pty Ltd (Macquarie), a National Australian Testing Authority (NATA) accredited laboratory;
- Continuation of BH1 to BH6 from T-C bit refusal, using NMLC coring techniques, to termination depths between 6.52 mBGL and 9 mBGL. Rock core recovered from the boreholes was logged, boxed and delivered to Macquarie for testing and storage;
- Measurements of groundwater seepage/levels from boreholes during and immediately post drilling;
- Installation of groundwater monitoring wells in five of the boreholes (BH1/MW1 to BH5/MW5);
- Backfilling the remaining borehole with drilling spoil in the reverse order of excavation and capping of the surface with concrete; and
- Preparation of this PGI report.

The fieldwork was supervised by a Geotechnical Engineer and included logging of subsurface conditions during drilling and locating of boreholes from existing structures.

1.5 INVESTIGATION CONSTRAINTS

The PGI was limited by the preliminary intent of the investigation and the presence of structures and vehicles at the site at the time of the investigation. The discussions and advice presented in this report are intended for the development of initial concept designs for the development. Further geotechnical investigations should be carried out before final design to confirm both the geotechnical and groundwater model, and the preliminary design parameters provided in this report.



2 SITE DESCRIPTION

2.1 SITE DESCRIPTION AND IDENTIFICATION

The site identification details and associated information are presented in **Table 2-1** while the site locality is shown in **Figure 1**.

Table 2-1 Summary of Site Information

Information	Detail
Street Address	75 Mary Street, St Peters, NSW 2044
Lot and Deposited Plan (DP) Identification	Lot 1 in DP 556914, DP 745014, DP 745657, Lot 1 & Lot A DP 87885 and DP 180958.
Local Government Authority	Marrickville Council
Parish	Petersham
County	Cumberland
Current Zoning	IN2 – Light Industrial (Marrickville Local Environment Plan, 2011)
Site Description	The site is irregular in shape. It is bounded to the southwest by Mary Street, to the northwest by residential buildings followed by Unwins Bridge Road, and to the northeast by Edith Street. The site is currently occupied by eleven one- to three-storey brick commercial buildings. All paved surfaces were found to be in good condition.
Site Area	The site is approximately 15,333 m ² (from Watson Buchan Consulting Surveyors Pty Ltd).

2.2 LOCAL LAND USE

The site is situated within an area of light industrial use. Current uses on surrounding land are described in **Table 2-2**.

Table 2-2 Summary of Local Land Use

Direction Relative to Site	Land Use Description
Northeast	Edith Street, with single- to two-storey residential brick buildings beyond.
Northwest	Single-storey residential brick buildings with Unwins Bridge Road beyond
Southeast	Single- to two-storey residential brick and weatherboard buildings.
Southwest	Mary Street, with single- to two-storey brick residential buildings and a two-storey commercial brick warehouse beyond.



2.3 REGIONAL SETTING

The site topography, geological and hydrogeological information for the locality is summarised in **Table 2-3**.

Table 2-3 Topographic, Geological and Hydrogeological Information

Attribute	Description
Topography	The regional topography consists of gently undulating rises with local relief to 30 m. Slopes are usually <5%. Broad rounded crests and ridges with gently inclined slopes. The site is on the side slopes of a minor ridgeline running approximately southwest-northeast along the alignment of the Princes Highway. Local topography slopes gently downwards to the south, at approximately 5 degrees
Regional Geology	Information on regional sub-surface conditions, referenced from the Department of Mineral Resources Geological Map Sydney 1:100,000 Geological Series Sheet 9130 (DMR 1991) indicates the site to be underlain by Ashfield Shale of the Wianamatta Group, which typically comprises black to dark grey shale and laminite. Ashfield Shale generally weathers into silty clay of medium to high plasticity.
Soil Landscapes	The Soil Conservation Service of NSW Sydney 1:100,000 Soil Landscapes Series Sheet 9130 (2nd Edition) indicates that the residual landscape at the site likely comprises the Blacktown Landscape. Soils are generally shallow to moderately deep (< 1 m) red and brown podzolic soils on upper slopes; deep (150-300 cm) yellow podzolic soils and soloths on lower slopes. Land is dominantly intensive residential and light and heavy industry. Landscape limitations include moderately reactive, highly plastic subsoil and poor soil drainage.
Acid Sulfate Soils (ASS)	In accordance with the Marrickville Local Environmental Plan 2011 Acid Sulfate Soils Map – Sheet ASS_004, the site falls within a category classified as Class 5 Acid Sulfate Soils (ASS).

An online search was conducted using the NSW Natural Resource Atlas (NRAAtlas), which records relevant information pertaining to all licensed water bores for the state of New South Wales revealed six (6) registered, monitoring bores located within 1 km of the site. A review of groundwater bore records for bores within 1 km of the site with standing water levels is summarised in **Table 2-4**.

Table 2-4 Summary of NRA Atlas registered Groundwater Bores

Bore No.	Drilled Date	Bore Depth (mBGL)	SWL (mBGL)	Authorised Bore Purpose
GW109821	1997	35.00	14.50	Monitoring Bore
GW109822	1997	10.45	3.00	Monitoring Bore
GW109823	2000	29.00	12.50	Monitoring Bore
GW109824	2005	20.70	4.51	Monitoring Bore
GW109825	2005	22.00	14.90	Monitoring Bore



3 INVESTIGATION RESULTS

3.1 STRATIGRAPHY

For the development of a site-specific geotechnical model, the observed stratigraphy of shallow fill overlying a residual soil and weathered bedrock profile has been grouped into four geotechnical units. A summary of the subsurface conditions across the site, interpreted from the investigation results, is presented in **Table 3-1**. More detailed descriptions of subsurface conditions at the test locations are available in the borehole logs presented in **Appendix A**. The details of the method of soil and rock classification, explanatory notes and abbreviations adopted in the borehole logs are also presented in **Appendix A**.

Table 3-1 Summary of Inferred Subsurface Conditions

Unit	Material	Depth (mBGL) to Top of Unit ¹	Observed Thickness (m)	Material Description ¹	Comments
1	Fill	0	0.3 to 0.7	ASPHALT and CONCRETE over mixed FILL	Asphalt and concrete hardstand up to 190 mm thick overlying Sandy CLAY, clayey SILT, CLAY, silty GRAVEL, gravelly CLAY and gravelly SAND with some brick and glass fragments. Fill is inferred to be uncontrolled and poorly compacted.
2	Residual Soil and Extremely Weathered Shale	0.3 to 0.7	2.3 to 2.7	Silty CLAY and CLAY	Generally firm to very stiff, medium to high plasticity clay and silty clay with trace fine to medium, sub-rounded ironstone gravel grading to extremely weathered, extremely low strength shale with depth. A softened surficial zone approximately 1.0 m thick was encountered in BH2. SPT N values range from 1 to 17.
3	Distinctly Weathered Shale	2.5 to 3.0	4.1 to 4.7	MUDSTONE and SHALE	Generally distinctly weathered, very low to low strength, mudstone and shale. 0-10° bedding. Defects within Unit 3 are generally closely spaced (< 50 mm spacing) sub-horizontal bedding partings, crushed seams and decomposed seams. Some minor joint sets at 30-45° were observed. Unit 3 is classified as Class V to Class IV Shale in accordance with Pells (2004).
4	Slightly Weathered to Fresh Shale	6.5 to 7.5	N/A ²	SHALE	Slightly weathered to fresh, low to medium strength shale. 0-10° bedding, <1-3 mm thick. Defects within Unit 4 are generally moderately spaced (~ 200 mm spacing) sub-horizontal bedding partings with occasional joints inclined to 80°. Unit 5 is classified as Class III Shale in accordance with Pells (2004).

Notes:

- 1 Approximate depth below ground level at the time of our investigation. More detailed descriptions of subsurface conditions are available in the borehole logs in **Appendix A**. Depths may vary across the site.
- 2 Unit 4 was observed up to borehole termination depth in BH1, BH2, BH4 BH5 and BH6

3.2 GROUNDWATER

Groundwater seepage inflows were observed during the drilling of BH4, with standing groundwater measurements taken on 25 September 2014 and 8 October 2014. Groundwater measurements taken during drilling and during the monitoring visit are presented in **Table 3-2**.

Table 3-2 Summary of Groundwater Conditions

Borehole ID	Date of Observation	Depth to Groundwater (mBGL)
BH1/MW1	24/09/2014	-
	25/09/2014	3.85
	8/10/2014	3.16
BH2/MW2	23/09/2014	-
	25/09/2014	1.39
	8/10/2014	1.55
BH3/MW3	25/09/2014	-
	8/10/2014	1.00
BH4/MW4	24/09/2014	0.03
	25/09/2014	1.14
	8/10/2014	1.79
BH5/MW5	23/09/2014	-
	25/09/2014	0.89
	8/10/2014	1.07

3.3 LABORATORY TEST RESULTS

Six soil samples and one groundwater sample were selected for laboratory testing to assess the following:

- Soil moisture content and Atterberg Limits (Liquid Limit and Plastic Limit); and
- Soil and groundwater aggressivity (pH, Chloride and Sulfate content and electrical conductivity).

A summary of soil and groundwater test results is provided in **Table 3-3**.

Fifteen rock core samples were tested by Macquarie to determine Point Load Strength Index (Is_{50}) values to assist with rock strength classification. The results of the testing are shown on the borehole logs at the appropriate depths.

Laboratory test certificates are presented in **Appendix B**



Table 3-3 Summary of Laboratory Test Results

Test/ Sample ID		BH1-3 (1.5-1.95 mBGL)	BH2-2 (0.5-0.95 mBGL)	BH2-3 (1.5-1.95 mBGL)	BH3-3 (1.5-1.95 mBGL)	BH4-2 (0.5-0.95 mBGL)	BH5-4 (1.5-1.95 mBGL)	MW3
Unit		Unit 2	Unit 2	Unit 2	Unit 2	Unit 2	Unit 2	-
Material Description ¹		Silty CLAY	Silty CLAY	Silty CLAY	Silty CLAY	Silty CLAY	Silty CLAY	Groundwater
Atterberg Limits	Liquid Limit (%)	56	64	-	54	58	59	-
	Plastic Limit (%)	19	23	-	20	20	21	-
	Plasticity Index (%)	37	41	-	34	38	38	-
Moisture Content (%)		17.2	42.9	-	18.3	35.4	19.3	-
Soil Aggressivity	pH	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	4.8
	Resistivity (Ω.cm)	-	-	12000	-	-	-	625
	Sulfate SO ₄ (mg/kg)	-	-	424.1	-	-	-	330
	Chloride Cl (mg/kg)	-	-	106.4	-	-	-	260

Notes:

- 1 More detailed descriptions of the subsurface conditions at borehole locations are available in the borehole logs presented in **Appendix A**.

4 GEOTECHNICAL DISCUSSIONS AND PRELIMINARY DESIGN ADVICE

The main geotechnical factors for the design of the development include:

- Basement excavatability.
- Basement excavation retention to prevent potential lateral deflections and ground loss as a result of excavations.
- Foundation design for building loads.
- The likelihood of the proposed basement excavation intersecting the groundwater table.

Geotechnical discussions and preliminary design advice is presented in **Table 4-1**. The advice and parameters presented in **Table 4-1** are intended for the development of initial concept designs. Further geotechnical investigation should be carried out before final design to confirm the preliminary design parameters provided here.



Table 4-1 Geotechnical Discussions and Preliminary Design Advice

	Preliminary Design ¹	Geotechnical Constraints ²	Discussions and Preliminary Design Advice ²	Preliminary Design Parameters ²					
				Material ³		Unit 1 Fill	Unit 2 Residual Soil and Extremely Weathered Shale	Unit 3 Distinctly Weathered Shale	Unit 4 Slightly Weathered to Fresh Shale
				Typical Depth to Top of Unit (mBGL) ⁴		0	0.3 - 0.7	2.5 - 3.0	6.5 - 7.5
				Bulk Unit Weight (kN/m ³) ⁵		17	19	23	23
				Elastic Modulus (MPa)		5	25	50	250
Basement Excavations and Earthworks	Up to two levels of basement car parking. Excavation for the basement is expected to extend to a maximum depth of approximately 6 m.	Proposed excavation will likely encounter Units 1, 2, and 3.	- Temporary batters may be considered for retention of material encountered during basement excavation where site constraints allow. - Where excavations extend beneath the zone of influence of nearby structures/ services/ pavements basement retention will be required. - Units 1, 2 and 3 should be diggable with a 20t Hydraulic Excavator with some hard ripping. - All earthworks should be carried out in accordance with AS3798: 2007. This standard applies to any site filling undertaken and to the preparation of basement slab subgrades.	Batter Angle ⁶	Temporary ⁶	2H:1V	1.5H:1V	1H:1V	-
					Permanent ⁶	3H:1V	2H:1V	1H:1V	-
Excavation Retention			- Cantilevered retaining walls are typically the most economically viable retention method up to 5 m height. Anchored walls may be more economically viable above 5 m height and may be required to limit lateral deflections where retention systems are within the zone of influence of nearby structures/ services/ pavements. - Consideration will need to be given to the interface of soil retention and rock support in excavations. Further discussion of this is given in Section 4.1. - Consideration will need to be given to monitoring lateral and vertical deflections of retained soil and to monitoring construction induced vibrations. Further discussion of this is given in Section 4.2. - Parameters given in this table for design of deep foundations may be used for design of basement retention systems.	Earth Pressure Coefficients	At rest, K _o ⁷	0.69	0.63	0.3	-
					Passive, K _p ⁷	N/A	2.20	4.5	1500 kPa ultimate stress block
					Active, K _a ⁷	0.53	0.45	0.15	-
Foundations	Two to eight-storey buildings over one to two levels of stepped basement parking.	Final excavation levels likely to be in Unit 3 material.	Shallow Foundations - All shallow footings should found below Unit 1 materials to avoid the potential of potentially large settlements caused by founding in these uncontrolled materials. - Shallow footings on Unit 2 – Residual Soil should be designed in accordance with AS2870:2011 based on a Site Classification of 'H2' provided that uncontrolled fill material is stripped before footing construction. - Consideration must be given to the possibility of differential settlement caused by foundations for a structure spanning the interface of differing materials. Further discussion of this is given in Section 4.3.	Preliminary Allowable Bearing Pressure (kPa) ⁸		N/A	150	700	2000
				Undrained shear strength, c _u (kPa)		-	50	-	-
				Drained friction angle, ϕ' (°)		-	23	-	-
				Drained cohesion, c' (kPa)		-	15	-	-
			Deep Foundations - Deep foundations may be considered where high lateral or axial loads are to be supported. - The parameters given may also be used for design of retention support. - We recommend that a Preliminary Geotechnical Strength Reduction Factor (GSRF) of 0.40 is used for the preliminary design of piled support in accordance with AS 2159:2009 based upon the preliminary nature of the soil parameters given. The GSRF may be increased upon finalising the development details and subject to further assessments having been carried out e.g. pile testing.	Ultimate Vertical End Bearing Pressure (kPa) ^{9, 11}		N/A	600	2000	6000
				Ultimate Shaft Adhesion (kPa) ^{10, 11}	in Compression	0	50	75	350
					in Uplift	0	25	37.5	175
				Susceptibility to Liquefaction during an Earthquake ¹²		Medium to Low	Low	Low	Low

	Preliminary Design ¹	Geotechnical Constraints ²	Discussions and Preliminary Design Advice ²	Preliminary Design Parameters ²				
				Material ³	Unit 1 Fill	Unit 2 Residual Soil and Extremely Weathered Shale	Unit 3 Distinctly Weathered Shale	Unit 4 Slightly Weathered to Fresh Shale
				Typical Depth to Top of Unit (mBGL) ⁴	0	0.3 - 0.7	2.5 - 3.0	6.5 - 7.5
				Bulk Unit Weight (kN/m ³) ⁵	17	19	23	23
				Elastic Modulus (MPa)	5	25	50	250
Groundwater Management	Excavation for the basement is expected to extend up to a maximum depth of approximately 6 mBGL.	Groundwater levels measured after the investigation indicate groundwater at approximately 1 to 2 mBGL.	- Groundwater is expected to be encountered within the basement excavations. Groundwater flows may be moderate from fractured zones within the rock mass. Groundwater management options may include the grouting of water bearing fractures during excavation or the installation of drainage systems behind the excavation retention facing. - Further investigation is recommended to determine the extent of seasonal variation on the groundwater table. - Development of a Dewatering Management Plan will be required. - Surface water seepage into these excavations may occur during and following periods of rainfall. Surface water should be controlled by diverting overland flows away from excavations and may be managed by conventional sump and pump methods.					
Soil and Groundwater Aggressivity	- Proposed structure will incorporate buried concrete and steel elements. - AS2159:2009 gives guidelines for foundation susceptibility to soil and groundwater aggressivity.	Low permeability soils above and below the groundwater table.	- Analysis of the pH, chloride and sulfate content and electrical conductivity of the soil and groundwater was compared with criteria in AS 2159:2009, providing the following exposure classifications: 'Mildly aggressive' for buried concrete structural elements; and 'Moderately aggressive' for buried steel structural elements.					
Earthquake Site Risk Classification			- AS1170.4:2007 indicates an earthquake subsoil class of Class B_e – Rock Site for the site. - AS 1170.4:2007 indicates that the hazard factor (z) for Sydney is 0.08.					

Notes:

- 1
- Design details are based on proposed development details provided by TZG at the time of the preparation of this report.
- 2
- Advice and parameters presented in this PGI report are intended for DA purposes and for the development of initial concept designs for the development. Further geotechnical investigation should be carried out before final design to confirm both the geotechnical model and the preliminary design parameters provided in this report.
- 3
- More detailed descriptions of subsurface conditions are available in the borehole logs in **Appendix A**. Depths may vary across the site.
- 4
- Approximate depth below ground level at the time of our investigation. More detailed descriptions of subsurface conditions are available in the borehole logs in **Appendix A**. Depths may vary across the site.
- 5
- Unit Weight is based on visual estimate only, order of accuracy is about 10%.
- 6
- Batter angles recommended are based upon ground conditions encountered in the borehole locations only. Ground conditions may vary and preliminary batter angles should be confirmed by additional geotechnical investigations and inspections during construction by an experienced geotechnical engineer. Batter angles provided assume an overall batter height of less than 5 m. Should batters extend beyond 5 m, batter designs should be carried out by an experienced geotechnical engineer and may need to incorporate benches. Batters given for rock units may only be used with consideration of rock support systems such as pattern bolting, spot bolting or shotcreting based upon the rock mass characteristics encountered during excavation. Inspection during construction by an experienced geotechnical engineer or engineering geologist will be required to determine temporary and permanent rock support requirements. Permanent batters may require surface protection to prevent erosion and slaking.
- 7
- Earth pressures are provided on the assumption that the ground behind the retaining wall is flat and drained.
- 8
- Bearing pressures given are indicative only and will vary according to footing type, shape and embedment and should be confirmed by additional geotechnical investigations, design checks and foundation inspections during construction by an experienced geotechnical engineer.
To adopt these bearing pressures we have assumed that:
 - Shallow footings have an embedment depth of at least 750mm into the founding material.
 - The bases of all footings are cleaned of loose debris and water and inspected by a suitably qualified Geotechnical Engineer prior to footing construction to verify that ground conditions meet design assumptions.
- 9
- Ultimate geotechnical strengths are provided for use in limit state design. Allowable or serviceability bearing pressures and side adhesions may be estimated using factors of safety of 3 and 2, respectively. These are the factors of safety generally adopted in geotechnical practice to limit settlements to an acceptable level for conventional building

- structures, typically less than 1% of the minimum footing width. Assumes the base of pile holes are clean and penetrate at least 1.0m or 2 pile diameters, whichever is greater, into the respective Unit.
Bearing pressures may vary and must be confirmed by additional geotechnical investigations and foundation inspections during construction by an experienced geotechnical engineer.
Higher bearing pressures may be applied upon confirmation by additional geotechnical investigations and subject to an experienced geotechnical engineer carrying out foundation inspections during construction.
- 10
- Side adhesion values given assume there is intimate contact between the pile and foundation material. Design engineer to check both 'piston' pull-out and 'cone' pull-out mechanics in accordance with AS4678-2002 Earth Retaining Structures.
- 11
- To adopt these parameters we have assumed that:
 - Piles have an embedment depth of at least two pile diameters or 1 m, whichever is greater, into the relevant founding material;
 - There is intimate contact between the pile and foundation material;
 - Potential soil and groundwater aggressivity will be considered in the design of bored piles;
 - The bases of all pile excavations are cleaned of loose debris and water and inspected by a suitably qualified Geotechnical Engineer prior to pile construction to verify that ground conditions meet design assumptions. Where groundwater ingress is encountered during pile excavation, concrete is to be placed as soon as possible upon completion of pile excavation. Pile excavations should be pumped dry of water prior to pouring concrete, or alternatively a tremmie system could be used; and
 - An experienced Geotechnical Engineer has reviewed the pile designs to assess whether all recommendations presented in this report have been incorporated in the design.
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- Susceptibility to liquefaction during an earthquake is based on the following definition:
Low
 - Medium to very dense sands, stiff to hard clays, and rock
Medium
 - Loose to medium dense sands, soft to firm clays, or uncontrolled fill below the water table
High
 - Very loose sands or very soft clays below the water table

4.1 EXCAVATION RETENTION

Rigid retaining structures, such as propped or anchored walls, should be adopted to limit lateral and vertical movements when in close proximity to existing buildings, buried services and pavement. We recommend the use of closely spaced soldier pile walls or contiguous reinforced concrete bored pile walls that are socketed into Class III Shale or better.

If cantilevered piles are employed for the design, relatively flexible shoring systems may be used, adopting a triangular earth pressure distribution using active pressures presented in **Table 4-1**. For design of rigid walls, a trapezoidal earth pressure distribution should be used with a maximum pressure of $0.65 \cdot K_a \cdot \gamma \cdot H$ (kPa) where 'H' is the effective vertical height of the wall in metres. For excavations spanning the interface of soil and rock, 'H' may be taken as the depth to a zero active earth pressure coefficient.

In addition, design of retaining walls should consider the following:

- If piled retaining walls are to provide permanent support to proposed structures, pile sockets in rock may need to be longer to accommodate additional lateral and axial loads. Anchoring may be required for additional lateral support.
- Care must be taken to ensure that the bored piles found in rock below neighbouring foundation and basement levels, where present.
- The effect of stress relief in the rock on neighbouring foundation systems and pavements, resulting from proposed excavations, should be considered in the retaining wall design.
- Static water pressures should be taken into consideration, unless subsoil drainage is provided behind retaining walls. A hydrostatic pressure distribution could be used for this analysis.

Appropriate surcharge loading from construction equipment and vehicular traffic at finished surface level should be adopted. Any applicable surcharge loads should be taken into account in the retention design.

We recommend that a geotechnical engineer inspect battered and unsupported excavations and excavation support installations to confirm inferred geotechnical conditions. This will allow for the assessment of design assumptions and to provide further advice with regards to excavation retention / support and proposed construction methodologies, if required.

4.2 BASEMENT EXCAVATION MONITORING

Consideration should be made to the impact of the proposed development upon neighbouring structures. Basement excavation retention systems should be designed so as to limit lateral deflections to allowable levels.

Contractors should also consider the following limits associated with carrying out excavation and construction activities:

- Limit lateral deflection of temporary or permanent retaining structures;
- Limit vertical settlements of ground surface at common property boundaries and services easement; and
- Limit peak particle velocities (ppv) from vibrations, caused by construction equipment or excavation, experienced by any structure within bounding properties and the services easement.

Monitoring of deflections of retaining structures and surface settlements should be carried out by a registered surveyor at agreed points along the excavation boundaries and along existing building foundations/ services/ pavements and other structures located within or near the zone of influence of the excavation. Measurements should be taken:



- Prior to commencement of excavations;
- Immediately after installation of any temporary or permanent retaining structures;
- Immediately after the excavation has reached a depth of 1.5 m, and each 1.5 m depth increment thereafter;
- Immediately after the excavation has reached bulk excavation level; and
- Immediately after backfilling behind retaining structures.

Vibration monitoring should be carried out periodically during excavation works, particularly at the base of external walls of existing buildings in closest proximity to the excavation and easement. EI recommends an upper limit for ppv of 3 mm/sec is adopted for sensitive structures such as the Telstra, Ausgrid and Sydney Water mains (or as recommended by utility owner), 10 mm/sec is adopted for residential buildings and 20 mm/sec is adopted for commercial and industrial buildings or reinforced concrete structures.

An ongoing monitoring programme will not be required if the contractor can verify, based on trials carried out at the commencement of the works and with the agreement of a Geotechnical Engineer, that the ppv will not exceed set limits. However, should equipment used during excavation and construction works vary from that used during the trial or as agreed, further vibrations assessments by a Geotechnical Engineer, and/ or an ongoing monitoring programme, may be required. Alternatively, saw cutting the perimeter of the excavation in medium or higher strength, if encountered, may limit the impact of vibrations resulting from rock hammering on adjacent structures.

Should vibrations, settlements or deflections exceed set limits, we recommend the following:

- Cease excavation works and notify the Geotechnical Engineer immediately;
- Backfill excavations or support exposed excavations with buttresses or props, where settlement/ lateral movement limits have been exceeded; and
- Develop an alternative excavation/ support plan in conjunction with the Structural and Geotechnical Engineers.

4.3 FOUNDATIONS

Should the proposed development be supported by shallow pad or strip footings or a stiffened raft slab on Unit 2 or 3 material variable ground conditions may cause difficulties for subgrade preparation. Selection of footing types and founding depth will need to consider the risk of adverse differential ground movements within the foundation footprint and between high level and deeper footings. Unless an allowance for such movement is included in the design of the proposed development, we recommend that all new structures found on natural materials with comparable end bearing capacities. Possible features designed to accommodate potential differential movement of the structures may include movement joints, dowelled connections or shear keys.

4.4 CONSTRUCTION CONSIDERATIONS FOR THE ASHFIELD SHALE FORMATION

Long and intermediate term durability of exposed residual soil and rock is a major concern within the Ashfield Shale formation. Exposure of residual soil and weathered rock due to excavation can lead to rapid degradation of the material. Slaking of rock faces, erosion of soil cuts and softening of foundation subgrade material may occur quickly after excavation. Formations will need to be protected with blinding concrete without undue delay to limit any degradation of these materials.



5 CONCLUSIONS

Based on the findings of this report and within the limitations of geotechnical investigations, EI considers the following geotechnical factors will influence the possible development of the site, including:

- Basement excavatability.
- Basement excavation retention to prevent potential lateral deflections and ground loss as a result of excavations.
- Foundation design for building loads.
- The likelihood of the proposed basement excavation intersecting the groundwater table.

In summary, and considering the limitations of geotechnical investigations, EI considers there is a low risk of geotechnical conditions preventing the proposed development if the recommendations of this report are considered for the preliminary design and construction of the development.



6 RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FURTHER GEOTECHNICAL SERVICES

The adopted investigation scope was limited by the investigation intent and by the presence of structures at the site during the investigation. As detailed in Section 1, revised drawings indicating options to take the basement to two levels were received after the ground investigation and issue of the draft report. As such the target depth of the boreholes was based on the original set of drawings that indicated a single-level basement. If a two level basement (or more) option is chosen, further geotechnical investigations, consisting of a minimum of three boreholes, should be carried out to confirm the results and address any limitations prior to adoption of the recommendations of this report for detailed design. These investigations should be carried out once preliminary design and construction details are available and should include:

Excavations

- Dilapidation surveys should be carried out on existing structures that may be impacted by any proposed excavations, particularly where located within the zone of influence of excavations. These surveys should be carried out by a qualified structural engineer and/or geotechnical engineer prior to and following completion of construction works.
- All excavated material transported off site should be classified by EI in accordance with NSW EPA (2014) Waste Classification Guideline, Part 1: Classifying Waste.

Foundations

- Further testing should be carried out as part of the recommended additional ground investigation prior to final design to confirm the design parameters given in this report for the formulation of concept designs.
- If higher allowable bearing pressures are required for the design of deep foundations, additional deep cored boreholes to confirm the quality of Unit 4 Shale should be conducted. Boreholes should be taken a minimum of 3m below the proposed basement excavation level.

Construction

- Working platforms for construction plant, placed on in-situ materials or on engineered fill, should be designed by an experienced and qualified geotechnical engineer.
- A suitably qualified geotechnical engineer from EI is to assess the condition of exposed material at foundation or subgrade level to assess the ability of the prepared surface to act as a foundation or as a subgrade.
- On-going monitoring of ground vibrations, settlements and lateral movements in conjunction with survey results should be carried out during basement excavation.
- Regular inspections by an engineer from EI of battered and unsupported excavations where localised excavations are proposed, to confirm inferred geotechnical conditions, to assess the suitability of design assumptions and to provide further advice with regards to excavation retention/ support and proposed construction methodologies, if required.

7 STATEMENT OF LIMITATIONS

The adopted investigation scope was limited by site access restrictions due to site conditions at the time of our investigation and by the investigation intent. The advice and parameters presented in this PGI report are intended for the development of initial concept designs for the development. Further geotechnical investigation should be carried out before final design to confirm both the geotechnical model and the preliminary design parameters provided in this report.

We draw your attention to the document “Important Information”, which is included in **Appendix C** of this report. The statements presented in this document are intended to advise you of what your realistic expectations of this report should be. The document is not intended to reduce the level of responsibility accepted by EI, but rather to ensure that all parties who may rely on this report are aware of the responsibilities each assumes in so doing.

Should you have any queries regarding this report, please do not hesitate to contact EI.



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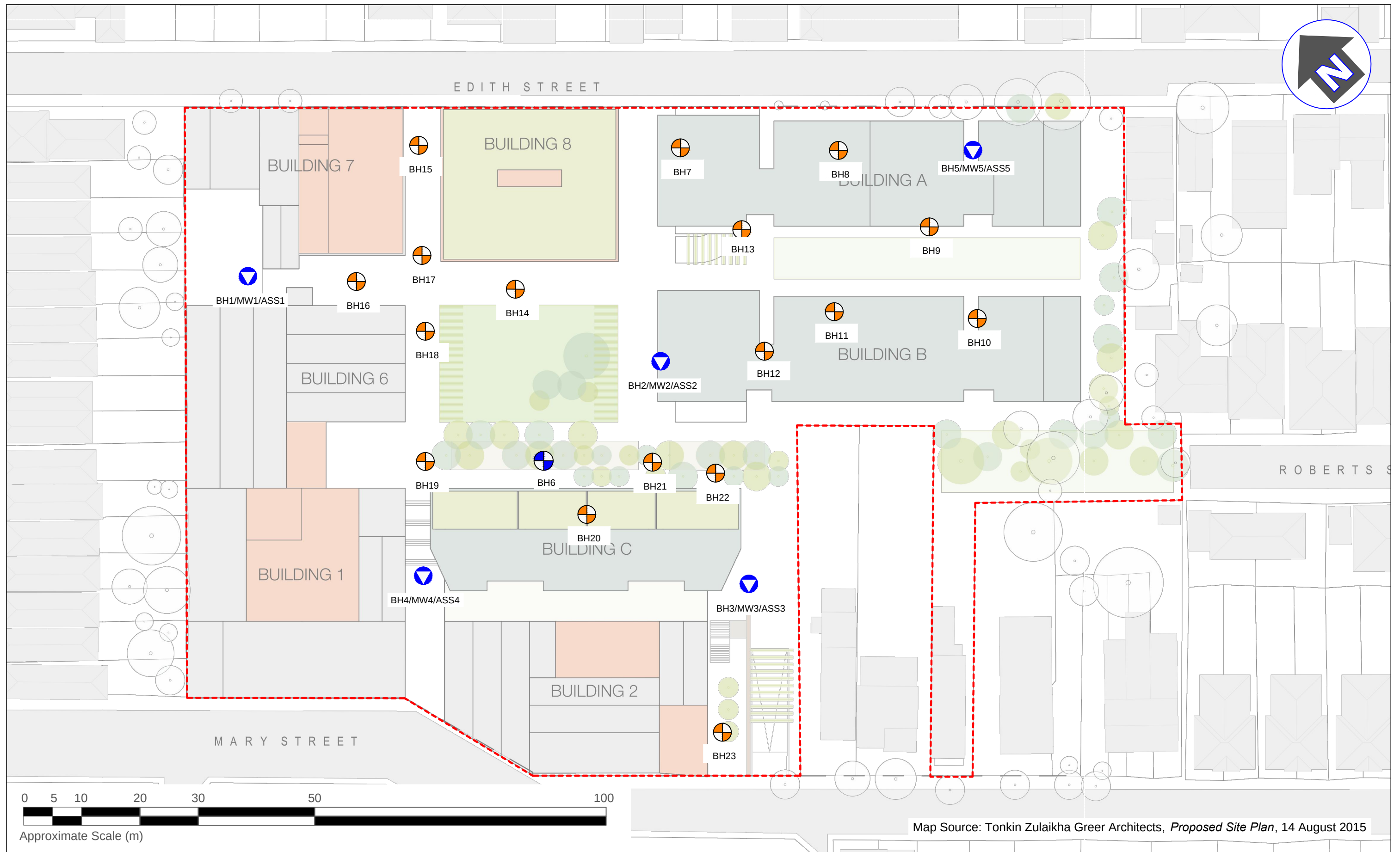
9 ABBREVIATIONS

AHD	Australian Height Datum
BGL	Below Ground Level
BH	Borehole
DP	Deposited Plan
EI	Environmental Investigations
ESA	Environmental Site Assessment
NATA	National Association of Testing Authorities, Australia
PGI	Preliminary Geotechnical Investigation



FIGURES





Map Source: Tonkin Zulaikha Greer Architects, *Proposed Site Plan*, 14 August 2015

LEGEND

-  Approx. Geotechnical Borehole Locations (EI, 2014)
-  Approx. Environmental Borehole Locations (EI, 2014)
-  Approx. Site Boundary

-  Approx. Monitoring Well/Borehole Locations (EI, 2014)

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APPENDIX A

BOREHOLE LOG REPORTS AND EXPLANATORY NOTES



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BOREHOLE: BH1/MW1/ASS1

Drilling				Sampling		Field Material Description						
METHOD	PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	SAMPLE OR FIELD TEST	RECOVERED	GRAPHIC LOG	USCS SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE CONDITION	CONSISTENCY DENSITY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
DT	-	GWNE	0	0.14	BH1-1 ES 0.14-0.30 m PID = 4.2 ppm ASS1-1 ES 0.30-0.50 m SPT 0.50 m 1,3,4 N=7 BH1-2 PID = 176 ppm ASS1-2 ES 1.30-1.50 m SPT 1.50 m 5,7,10 N=17 BH1-3 PID = 8.1 ppm			-	FILL: CONCRETE; 140 mm.	-	-	CONCRETE HARDSTAND
			0.30	-				FILL: Sandy CLAY; low plasticity, grey-brown, sand is fine to medium grained, with brick fragments, no odour.	D	-	FILL	
				CH				CLAY; high plasticity, brown with red mottling, trace fine to medium, subrounded ironstone gravel, strong hydrocarbon odour.	M (<PL)	F - St	RESIDUAL SOIL	
								From 1.3 m, as above, grey with orange-red mottling, no odour.		VSt		
			1	1.30								
			2	2.00								
				2.40				-	SHALE; brown-red, inferred extremely low strength, inferred extremely weathered.			WEATHERED ROCK
								-	From 2.4 m, as above , inferred very low strength, inferred distinctly weathered.	-	-	ROCK
				2.81								
									3	SPT 2.80 m 3 HB N=3/10mm BH1-4		
			4									
			5									
			6									
			7									
			8									
			9									
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METHOD	WATER	TCR	RQD (SCR)	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	GRAPHIC LOG	ROCK / SOIL MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH $I_{s(50)}$ MPa	DEFECT DESCRIPTION & Additional Observations		AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING (mm)
				0								
				1								
				2								
				2.81			Continuation from non-cored borehole					
				3			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, pale grey with medium to high strength ironstone bands up to 60 mm thick	DW		2.81-3.00: HB		
				3.38			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-10 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = <1-2 mm, grey-dark grey with orange iron staining.			3.00-3.38: BPx8 0 - 5° PR RF Fe SN avg sp = 5-100 mm 3.03-3.06: CS 30 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular 3.07-3.08: CS 10 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular 3.10-3.11: DB 3.15-3.16: CS 10 mm, gravel, fine-medium, angular 3.24-3.25: CS 10 mm, gravel, fine-medium, angular 3.27: JT 0 - 10° UN S Fe SN 3.40-3.43: JT 0 - 60° CU RF Fe SN 3.44-3.95: BPx10 0 - 10° PR RF Fe SN avg sp = 10-100 mm 3.60-3.61: JT 30° ST RF Fe SN 3.66-3.68: JT 0 - 40° ST RF Fe SN 3.71-3.73: DS 20 mm, silt, low plasticity, firm. 3.83-3.85: DS 20 mm, silt, low plasticity, firm. 4.09-4.10: CS 10 mm, gravel, fine-medium, angular 4.18-5.02: BPx10 0 - 10° PR RF Fe SN avg sp = 10-60 mm 4.22-4.24: JT 45 - 90° CU RF Fe SN 4.28-4.32: CS 40 mm, gravel, medium-coarse, angular 4.38-4.42: JT 45 - 90° CU RF Fe SN 4.47-4.49: CS 20 mm, gravel, fine-medium, angular 4.52-4.59: JT 70° PR RF Fe SN 4.74-4.78: JT 40° PR RF Fe SN 4.83-4.84: CS 10 mm, gravel, fine-medium, angular 4.85-4.88: JT 70° PR RF Fe SN 4.93-4.94: CS 10 mm, gravel, fine-medium, angular 5.08-5.11: CS 30 mm, gravel, fine-medium, angular 5.13-5.17: JT 60° PR closed 5.17: BP 5° PR RF Fe SN 5.20: JT 20° PR RF Fe SN 5.23-5.26: CS 30 mm, gravel, medium-coarse, angular 5.26-5.27: DS 10 mm, silt, low plasticity, firm. 5.28-5.37: JT 70 - 80° PR RF Fe SN 5.30: JT 10 - 40° CU RF Fe SN 5.38-5.46: CS 80 mm, gravel, fine-medium, angular 5.47: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 5.54-5.56: JT 80 - 90° UN RF Fe SN 5.57: BP 10° PR RF Fe SN 5.60-5.67: CS 70 mm, gravel, fine-medium, angular 5.77-5.78: CS 10 mm, gravel, fine-medium, angular 5.85-6.19: DZ 240 mm, gravelly clay, low plasticity, firm, gravel is medium-coarse, subangular 6.19-6.25: DB 6.26: DB 6.39-6.45: CS 60 mm, gravel, medium-coarse, angular 6.62: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN		
				4								
				5								
				6								
				6.46			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = <1-10 mm, dark grey-grey.	SW				
				7				FR				
				7.00			Hole Terminated at 7.00 m Target depth reached. Borehole converted to monitoring well.					
				8								
				9								
				10								

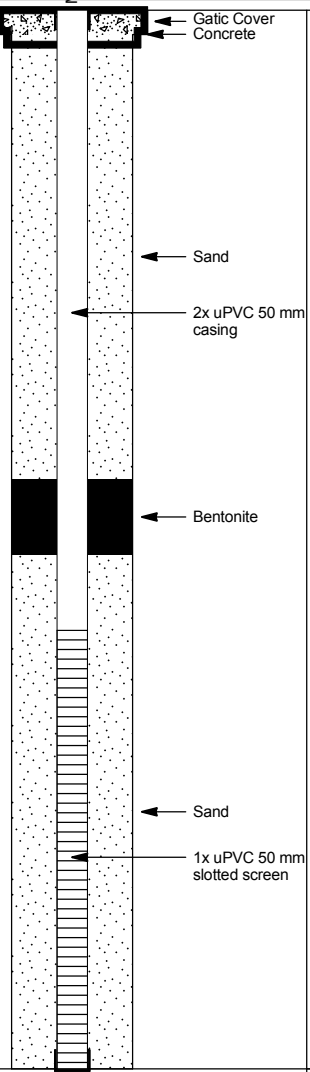
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Drilling				Sampling		Field Material Description							
METHOD	PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	SAMPLE OR FIELD TEST	RECOVERED	GRAPHIC LOG	USCS SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE CONDITION	CONSISTENCY DENSITY	PIEZOMETER DETAILS	
												ID MW1	Static Water Level
DT	-		0	0.14	BH1-1 ES 0.14-0.30 m PID = 4.2 ppm			-	FILL: CONCRETE; 140 mm.	-	-	 Static Water Level ← Gatic Cover Concrete ← Sand ← 2x uPVC 50 mm casing ← Bentonite ← Sand ← 1x uPVC 50 mm slotted screen	
			0.30		ASS1-1 ES 0.30-0.50 m SPT 0.50 m 1,3,4 N=7 BH1-2 PID = 176 ppm			CH	FILL: Sandy CLAY; low plasticity, grey-brown, sand is fine to medium grained, with brick fragments, no odour. CLAY; high plasticity, brown with red mottling, trace fine to medium, subrounded ironstone gravel, strong hydrocarbon odour.	D	-		
	E	GWNE	1	1.30	ASS1-2 ES 1.30-1.50 m SPT 1.50 m 5,7,10 N=17 BH1-3 PID = 8.1 ppm				From 1.3 m, as above, grey with orange-red mottling, no odour.	M (<PL)	-		
	F		2	2.00						VSt	-		
	H			2.40					SHALE; brown-red, inferred extremely low strength, inferred extremely weathered.		-		
				2.81					From 2.4 m, as above , inferred very low strength, inferred distinctly weathered.		-		
			3	3.38	SPT 2.80 m 3 HB N=3/10mm BH1-4 C 2.81-4.05 m				SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, pale grey with orange iron staining.		-		
					3.46 m				SHALE; bedding dipping 0-10 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = <1-2 mm, grey-dark grey with orange iron staining.		-		
			4		C 4.05-6.25 m						-		
			5								-		
			6	6.46	C 6.25-7.00 m				SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = <1-10 mm, dark grey-grey.		-		
				7.00	6.65 m						-		
			7						Hole Terminated at 7.00 m Target depth reached. Borehole converted to monitoring well.		-		
			8								-		
			9								-		
			10								-		

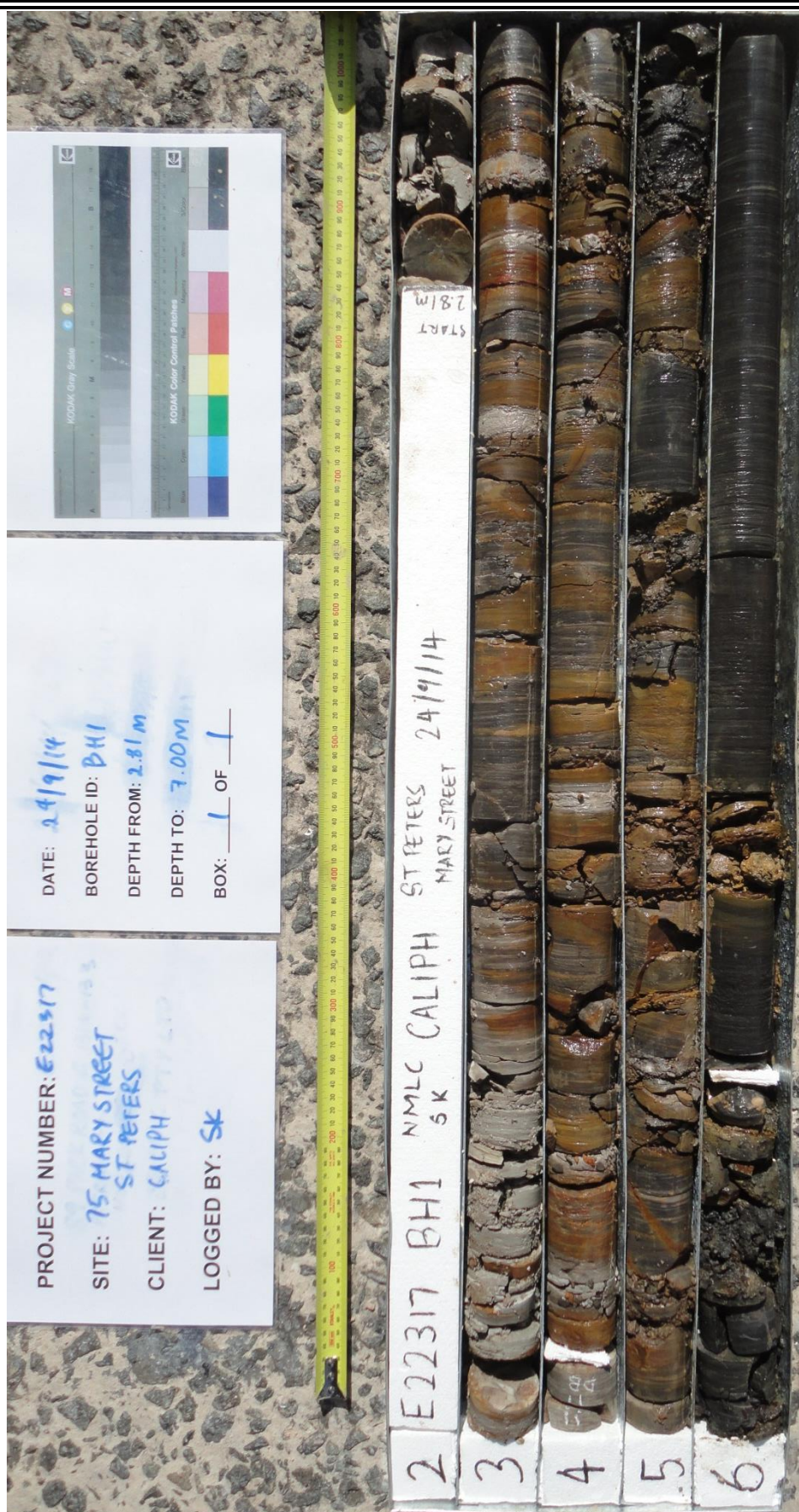
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CLIENT: Caliph
PROJECT: Preliminary Geotechnical Investigation
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JOB NO: E22317

EAST: 331111.478 m
NORTH: 6246011.117 m MGA94 Zone 56
INCLINATION: -90°
BOX: 1 of 1
HOLE DEPTH: 7.00 m

DEPTH RANGE: 2.81 m to 7.00 m
DRILL RIG: Multi-Drill 3000
DRILLER: Tracess Pty Ltd
LOGGED: SK
CHECKED: AM
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Drilling				Sampling		Field Material Description					
METHOD	PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	SAMPLE OR FIELD TEST	RECOVERED GRAPHIC LOG	USCS SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE CONDITION	CONSISTENCY DENSITY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
AD/T	-	GWNE	0	0.14	BH2-1 ES 0.14-0.40 m PID = 0.1 ppm		-	FILL: CONCRETE; 140 mm.	-	-	CONCRETE HARDSTAND
			0.50	0.50	SPT 0.50 m 1,1,0 N=1 ASS2-1 ES 0.50-0.95 m BH2-2 PID = 1.1 ppm		-	FILL: Clayey SILT; high plasticity, dark grey, trace medium grained sand, with brick fragments, strong hydrocarbon odour.	-	-	FILL
			1	1.90	SPT 1.50 m 1,2,6 N=8 ASS2-2 ES 1.50-1.95 m BH2-3 PID = 0.2 ppm		CH	Silty CLAY; high plasticity, dark grey with orange mottling, strong hydrocarbon odour.	M	VS - S	RESIDUAL SOIL
			2	2.80			CI	CLAY; medium plasticity, orange with grey mottling, strong hydrocarbon odour.	D	F - St	
			3	3.15	SPT 3.00 m 21,30 HB N=30/100mm ASS2-3 ES 3.00-3.25 m BH2-4 PID = 1.1 ppm		-	SHALE; red-brown, inferred extremely low strength, inferred extremely weathered.	-	-	WEATHERED ROCK
			4	4.26	SPT 4.00 m 5 HB N=5/50mm BH2-5		-	From 3.15 m, as above, inferred very low strength, inferred distinctly weathered.	-	-	ROCK
			5					Continued as Cored Borehole			
			6								
			7								
			8								
			9								
			10								

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				0								
				1								
				2								
				3								
				4								
				4.26			Continuation from non-cored borehole					
				4.52			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, pale grey.	DW				
				5			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = 2-3 mm, grey with orange iron staining.			4.49: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 4.54: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 4.63: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 4.82: BP 5° PR RF Fe SN 4.82-4.83: JT 20° PR RF Fe SN 4.88-4.89: CS 10 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular 5.15: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 5.21-5.38: CZ 170 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular 5.44-5.48: CS 40 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular-subangular 5.66-5.69: JT 45° PR RF Fe SN 5.69: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 5.77-5.82: JT 5 - 70° UN RF Fe SN 5.82-5.84: JT 30 - 45° UN RF Fe SN 5.99: HB 6.00-6.04: CS 40 mm, gravel, coarse, subangular 6.25-6.26: CS 10 mm, gravel, coarse, subangular 6.33: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 6.37-6.43: DS 60 mm, clayey silt, high plasticity, soft-firm 6.44-6.48: JT 40° PR RF Fe SN 6.51-6.56: CS 50 mm, gravel, medium-coarse, subangular 6.67-6.70: DS 30 mm, clayey silt, high plasticity, soft-firm 6.74: BP 0 - 5° PR RF Fe SN 6.81: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 6.89-6.93: JT 30 - 60° UN RF Fe SN 6.93-7.00: CS 70 mm, gravel, coarse, angular 7.14-8.94: BPx10 0° PR RF CN avg sp = 300-400 mm		
				6			CORE LOSS; 210 mm.	-				
				6.04								
				6.25			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = 2-3 mm, grey with orange iron staining.	DW				
				7			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = 2-3 mm, dark grey-grey.	SW				
				7.02				FR				
				8								
				9			Hole Terminated at 9.00 m Target depth reached. Borehole converted to monitoring well.					
				9.00								
				10								

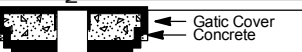
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												ID	Static Water Level
												MW2	
												MW2	
DT	-		0	0.14	BH2-1 ES 0.14-0.40 m PID = 0.1 ppm			-	FILL: CONCRETE; 140 mm.	-	-		
			0.50		SPT 0.50 m 1,1.0 N=1 ASS2-1 ES 0.50-0.95 m BH2-2 PID = 1.1 ppm			CH	FILL: Clayey SILT; high plasticity, dark grey, trace medium grained sand, with brick fragments, strong hydrocarbon odour. Silty CLAY; high plasticity, dark grey with orange mottling, strong hydrocarbon odour.	M	VS - S		
			1		SPT 1.50 m 1,2.6 N=8 ASS2-2 ES 1.50-1.95 m BH2-3 PID = 0.2 ppm				CLAY; medium plasticity, orange with grey mottling, strong hydrocarbon odour.				
			2	1.90				CI		D	F - St		
			3	2.80					SHALE; red-brown, inferred extremely low strength, inferred extremely weathered.				
			4	3.15	SPT 3.00 m 21,30 HB N=30/100mm ASS2-3 ES 3.00-3.25 m BH2-4 PID = 1.1 ppm				From 3.15 m, as above, inferred very low strength, inferred distinctly weathered.				
			5	4.26	SPT 4.00 m 5 HB N=5/50mm BH2-5 C 4.26-7.00 m				SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, pale grey.				
			6	4.52					SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = 2-3 mm, grey with orange iron staining.				
			7	6.04					CORE LOSS; 210 mm.				
			8	6.25					SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = 2-3 mm, grey with orange iron staining.				
			9	7.02	C 7.00-9.00 m 7.00 m				SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = 2-3 mm, dark grey-grey.				
			10	9.00									
			11						Hole Terminated at 9.00 m Target depth reached. Borehole converted to monitoring well.				

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REPORT OF BOREHOLE: BH2/MW2/ASS2

CLIENT: Caliph
PROJECT: Preliminary Geotechnical Investigation
LOCATION: 75 Mary Street, St Peters, NSW
JOB NO: E22317

EAST: 331128.376 m
NORTH: 6245971.168 m MGA94 Zone 56
INCLINATION: -90°
BOX: 1 of 1
HOLE DEPTH: 9.00 m

DEPTH RANGE: 4.26 m to 9.00 m
DRILL RIG: Multi-Drill 3000
DRILLER: Tracess Pty Ltd
LOGGED: SK
CHECKED: AM
DATE: 23/9/2014
DATE: 9/10/2014



Project New Mixed Development
Location 75 Mary Street, St Peters NSW
Position Refer to Figure 2
Job No. E22317
Client Caliph

East 331107.4 m
North 6245935.7 m
Contractor Traccess Pty Ltd
Drill Rig Multi-Drill 3000
Inclination -90°

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Date Started 25/9/14
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BOREHOLE: BH3/MW3/ASS3

Drilling				Sampling		Field Material Description					
METHOD	PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	SAMPLE OR FIELD TEST	RECOVERED GRAPHIC LOG	USCS SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE CONDITION	CONSISTENCY DENSITY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
DT	-		0	0.15			-	FILL: CONCRETE; 150 mm.	-	-	CONCRETE HARDSTAND
				0.40	BH3-1 ES 0.20-0.40 m PID = 12 ppm ASS3-1 ES 0.40-0.50 m SPT 0.50 m 2,3,6 N=9 BH3-2 PID = 0.8 ppm		-	FILL: CLAY; high plasticity, grey-brown, with brick fragments, strong hydrocarbon odour.	M	-	FILL
							CH	CLAY; high plasticity, grey with red mottling, mild hydrocarbon odour.		St	RESIDUAL SOIL
			1		SPT 1.50 m 7,7,10 N=17 ASS3-2 BH3-3 PID = 3.6 ppm					VSt	
			2	2.00			-	SHALE; grey with orange iron staining, inferred extremely low strength, inferred extremely weathered.			WEATHERED ROCK
				2.50				From 2.5 m, as above, inferred very low strength, inferred distinctly weathered	-	-	ROCK
			3	3.27	SPT 3.00 m 25 HB N=25/150mm BH3-4 PID = 0.5 ppm						
								Continued as Cored Borehole			
			4								
			5								
			6								
			7								
			8								
			9								
			10								

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Project New Mixed Development
Location 75 Mary Street, St Peters NSW
Position Refer to Figure 2
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Client Caliph

BOREHOLE: BH3/MW3/ASS3

East 331107.4 m
North 6245935.7 m
Contractor Traccess Pty Ltd
Drill Rig Multi-Drill 3000
Inclination -90°
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Drilling					Field Material Description					Defect Information					
METHOD	WATER	TCR	RQD (SCR)	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	GRAPHIC LOG	ROCK / SOIL MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH $I_{s(50)}$ MPa	DEFECT DESCRIPTION & Additional Observations			AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING (mm)		
				0											
				1											
				2											
				3											
				3.27			Continuation from non-cored borehole								
NMLC	85-90% RETURN	100	20 (47)	4			SHALE; bedding dipping 5-10 degrees, pale grey-grey with medium to high strength ironstone bands up to 60 mm thick.	DW		3.29: DB 3.37-3.39: DS 20 mm, sandy silt, medium plasticity, soft, sand is fine grained 3.43-3.44: DS 10 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft 3.49-3.53: DS 40 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft 3.54-3.87: BPx4 5 - 10° PR RF Fe SN avg sp = 5-30 mm 3.68-3.70: DS 20 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft 3.75-3.82: CS 70 mm, gravel, fine to medium, angular 3.89-3.95: DS 60 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft 4.00-4.04: DS 40 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft 4.12: JT 0 - 20° CU S Fe SN 4.41: BP 5° PR RF Fe SN 4.46-4.48: DS 20 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft 4.48-4.54: CS 60 mm, gravel, fine to medium, angular 4.62-4.67: DS 50 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft 4.67-4.76: DB 4.87: BP 5° PR RF Fe SN 4.95: JT 0 - 20° CU RF Fe SN 5.04-5.08: DS 40 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft 5.11: BP 10° PR RF Fe SN 5.13-5.18: DS 50 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft 5.24-5.25: DS 10 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft 5.25-5.28: CS 30 mm, gravel, fine to medium, angular 5.28-5.32: JT 60° closed 5.33-5.38: CS 50 mm, gravel, fine to medium, angular 5.56: DB 5.62: BP 10° PR RF Fe SN 5.63-5.65: CS 20 mm, gravel, medium to coarse, subangular 5.69: JT 0° ST RF Fe SN 5.73-5.75: DS 20 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft 5.78: BP 5° PR RF Fe SN 5.81-5.95: CZ 140 mm, gravel, fine to medium, angular 6.00-6.08: CS 80 mm, gravel, coarse, angular 6.10-6.26: JT 20 - 90° UN RF Fe SN 6.11-6.16: JT 80° PR RF Fe SN 6.16: BP 5° PR RF Fe SN 6.30-6.52: HB					
				4.56			SHALE; bedding dipping 5-10 degrees, <1-2 mm thick, average spacing = 1-3 mm, grey-dark grey with orange iron staining.								
				5											
				6											
				6.52						Hole Terminated at 6.52 m Target depth reached. Borehole converted to monitoring well.					
				7											
				8											
				9											

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Project New Mixed Development
Location 75 Mary Street, St Peters NSW
Position Refer to Figure 2
Job No. E22317
Client Caliph

East 331107.4 m
North 6245935.7 m
Contractor Traccess Pty Ltd
Drill Rig Multi-Drill 3000
Inclination -90°

BOREHOLE: BH3/MW3/ASS3

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Drilling				Sampling		Field Material Description					
METHOD	PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	SAMPLE OR FIELD TEST	RECOVERED GRAPHIC LOG	USCS SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE CONDITION	CONSISTENCY DENSITY	PIEZOMETER DETAILS ID MW3 Static Water Level
DT	-		0	0.15			-	FILL: CONCRETE; 150 mm.	-	-	
			0.40		BH3-1 ES 0.20-0.40 m PID = 12 ppm ASS3-1 ES 0.40-0.50 m SPT 0.50 m 2,3,6 N=9 BH3-2 PID = 0.8 ppm		CH	FILL: CLAY; high plasticity, grey-brown, with brick fragments, strong hydrocarbon odour. CLAY; high plasticity, grey with red mottling, mild hydrocarbon odour.	M	-	
	E	GWNE	1		SPT 1.50 m 7,7,10 N=17 ASS3-2 BH3-3 PID = 3.6 ppm				D	St	
	F		2	2.00			-	SHALE; grey with orange iron staining, inferred extremely low strength, inferred extremely weathered.		VSt	
	H			2.50				From 2.5 m, as above, inferred very low strength, inferred distinctly weathered	-	-	
			3	3.27	SPT 3.00 m 25 HB N=25/150mm BH3-4 PID = 0.5 ppm C 3.27-4.79 m			SHALE; bedding dipping 5-10 degrees, pale grey-grey with orange iron staining.			
			4	4.56	4.30 m			SHALE; bedding dipping 5-10 degrees, <1-2 mm thick, average spacing = 1-3 mm, grey-dark grey with orange iron staining.			
		85-90% RETURN	5		C 4.79-6.52 m				-	-	
			6		5.40 m						
			6.52								
			7					Hole Terminated at 6.52 m Target depth reached. Borehole converted to monitoring well.			
			8								
			9								
			10								

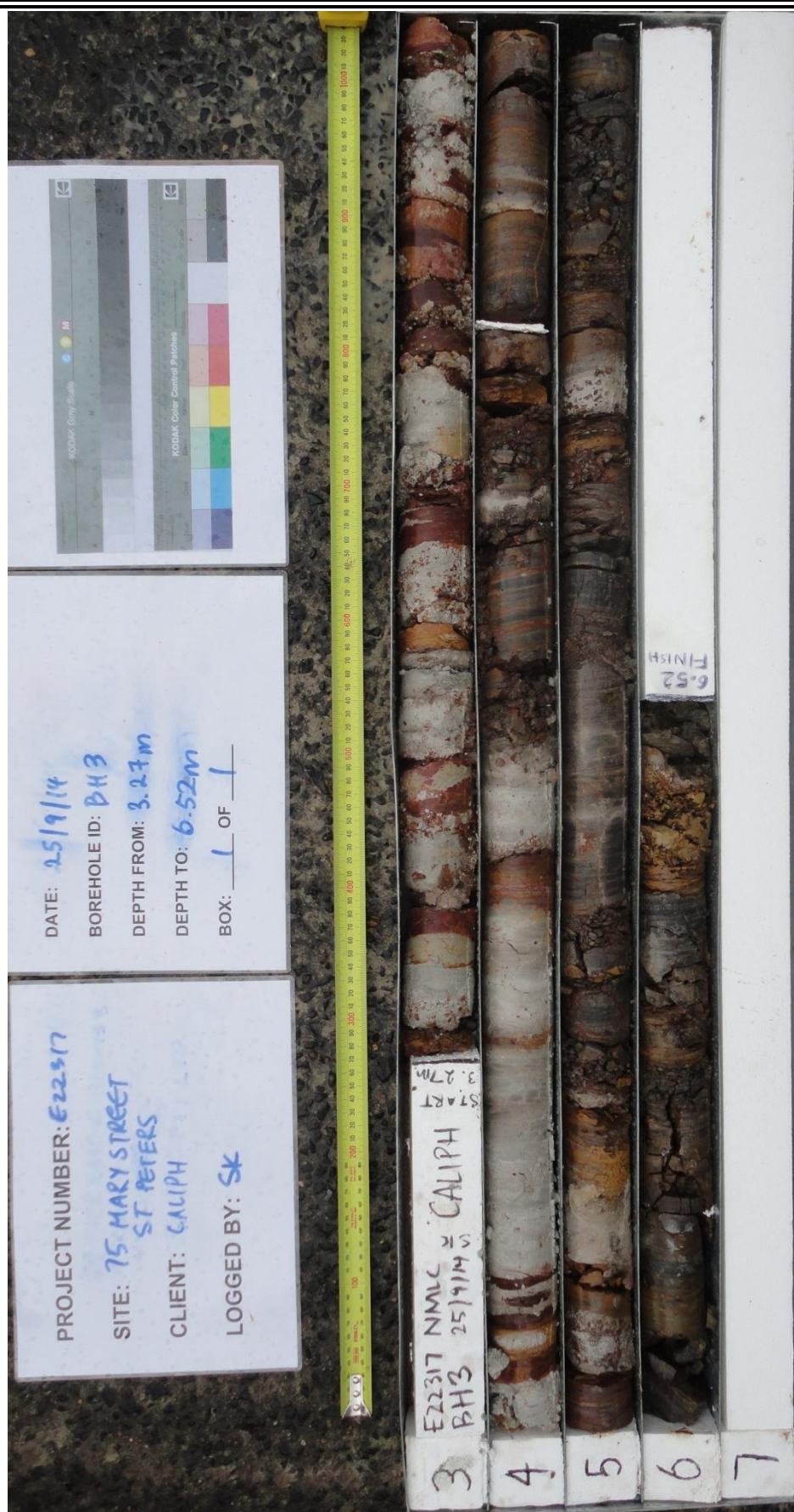
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REPORT OF BOREHOLE: BH3/MW3/ASS3

CLIENT: Caliph
PROJECT: Preliminary Geotechnical Investigation
LOCATION: 75 Mary Street, St Peters, NSW
JOB NO: E22317

EAST: 331107.430 m
NORTH: 6245935.749 m MGA94 Zone 56
INCLINATION: -90°
BOX: 1 of 1
HOLE DEPTH: 6.52 m

DEPTH RANGE: 3.27 m to 6.52 m
DRILL RIG: Multi-Drill 3000
DRILLER: Traccess Pty Ltd
LOGGED: SK
CHECKED: AM
DATE: 25/9/2014
DATE: 9/10/2014



BOREHOLE: BH4/MW4/ASS4

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Drilling				Sampling	Field Material Description								
METHOD	PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	SAMPLE OR FIELD TEST	RECOVERED	GRAPHIC LOG	USCS SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE CONDITION	CONSISTENCY	DENSITY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
AD/T		25/09/14	0					-	FILL: ASPHALT; 30 mm.	-			ROAD SURFACE
			0.30	BH4-1 ES 0.30-0.40 m PID = 11 ppm SPT 0.50 m 1,2,3 N=5		CH	FILL: Silty GRAVEL; medium to coarse, angular gravel, inferred road base material, mild hydrocarbon odour.				FILL		
			1	BH4-2 PID = 180 ppm ASS4-1 ES 1.00-1.20 m SPT 1.50 m 2,2,6 N=8			Silty CLAY; high plasticity, grey with red mottling, trace fine to medium, subrounded ironstone gravel, trace rootlets, strong hydrocarbon odour.		F	RESIDUAL SOIL			
			2	BH4-3 PID = 122 ppm					St				
			2.50	ASS4-2 ES 2.50-2.70 m		-	SHALE; grey with orange iron staining, inferred extremely low strength, inferred extremely weathered, mild hydrocarbon odour.	W	WEATHERED ROCK				
			3	3.00	SPT 3.00 m 30 HB N=30/150mm BH4-4 PID = 14 ppm		From 3.0 m, as above, inferred very low strength, inferred distinctly weathered, no odour.		ROCK				
			4										
			4.90	ASS4-3 ES 4.30-4.50 m SPT 4.50 m 11,19 HB N=19/150mm BH4-5 PID = 3.2 ppm									
			5				Continued as Cored Borehole						
			6										
			7										
			8										
			9										
			10										

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Project New Mixed Development
Location 75 Mary Street, St Peters NSW
Position Refer to Figure 2
Job No. E22317
Client Caliph

East 331071.8 m
North 6245975.2 m
Contractor Traccess Pty Ltd
Drill Rig Multi-Drill 3000
Inclination -90°

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Drilling					Field Material Description					Defect Information				
METHOD	WATER	TCR	RQD (SCR)	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	GRAPHIC LOG	ROCK / SOIL MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH $I_{s(50)}$ MPa	DEFECT DESCRIPTION & Additional Observations			AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING (mm)	
									EL 0.03 VL 0.01 L 0.1 M 1.3 H 1 VH 3 EH 10				10 30 100 300 1000 3000	
				0										
				1										
				2										
				3										
				4										
				4.90			Continuation from non-cored borehole							
NMILC	75-80% RETURN	100	11 (39)	5			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = 2-3 mm, dark grey-grey with orange iron staining.	DW		4.93: BP 0° - 5° UN RF Fe SN 4.95: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 5.03-5.04: BPx2 0° PR RF Fe SN 5.05: HB 5.10: DB 5.22: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 5.26-5.32: JT 60° - 90° CU RF Fe SN 5.29: BP 0° - 5° UN RF Fe SN 5.33-5.39: BPx4 0° - 5° PR RF Fe SN avg sp = 10-20 mm 5.44-5.46: CS 20 mm, gravel, fine-medium, subrounded 5.49-5.51: JT 0° - 30° UN RF Fe SN 5.53: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 5.58-5.59: DS 10 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft, trace fine-medium, subangular gravel 5.63-5.66: JT 90° PR RF Fe SN 5.64-5.66: JT 30° PR RF Fe SN 5.73-5.74: CS 10 mm, gravel, fine-medium, subrounded 5.74-5.78: JT 40° closed 5.82: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 5.89-6.12: BPx15 0° - 5° PR RF Fe SN avg sp = 10-20 mm 6.21-6.29: CS 80 mm, gravel, coarse, subangular 6.32: JT 30° PR RF Fe SN 6.36: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN 6.39-6.45: DB 6.45-6.55: DB 6.60-7.91: BPx28 0° - 5° PR RF Fe SN avg sp = 10-100 mm				
				6										
		100	13 (47)	7				SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-1 mm thick, average spacing = <1-3 mm, dark grey-grey with brown iron staining.	SW					
				7.22										
				7.96										
				8			Hole Terminated at 7.96 m Target depth reached. Borehole converted to monitoring well.			6.61: JT 15° UN RF Fe SN 6.65-6.70: CS 50 mm, gravel, medium-coarse, angular 6.80-6.82: JT 45° CU RF Fe SN 6.87: JT 15° CU RF Fe SN 6.91: JT 15° UN RF Fe SN 7.00-7.06: JT 45° - 80° UN RF Fe SN 7.64: JT 20° PR RF Fe SN 7.84: DB				
				9										
				10										

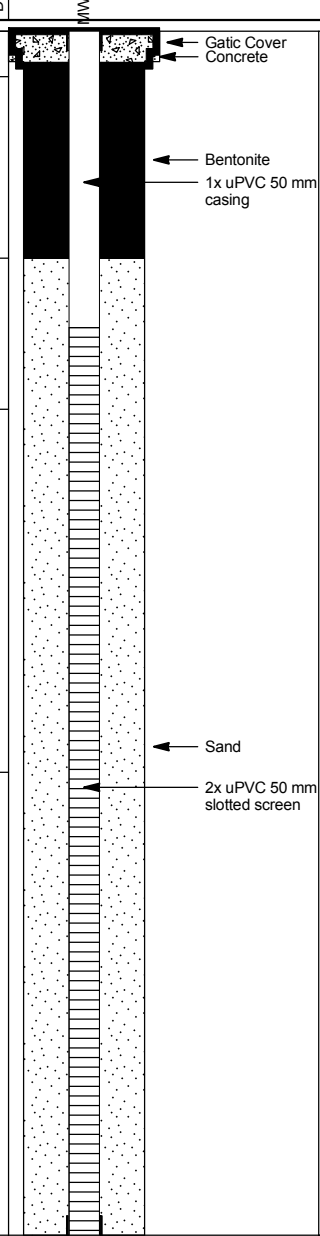
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Position Refer to Figure 2
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Client Caliph

East 331071.8 m
North 6245975.2 m
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BOREHOLE: BH4/MW4/ASS4

Drilling				Sampling		Field Material Description								
METHOD	PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	SAMPLE OR FIELD TEST	RECOVERED	GRAPHIC LOG	USCS SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE CONDITION	CONSISTENCY DENSITY	PIEZOMETER DETAILS		
												ID MW4	Static Water Level	
AD/T	E	25/09/14	0						FILL: ASPHALT; 30 mm.					
			0.30		BH4-1 ES 0.30-0.40 m PID = 11 ppm SPT 0.50 m 1.2,3 N=5 BH4-2 PID = 180 ppm ASS4-1 ES 1.00-1.20 m			CH	FILL: Silty GRAVEL; medium to coarse, angular gravel, inferred road base material, mild hydrocarbon odour. Silty CLAY; high plasticity, grey with red mottling, trace fine to medium, subrounded ironstone gravel, trace rootlets, strong hydrocarbon odour.					
			1		SPT 1.50 m 2.2,6 N=8 BH4-3 PID = 122 ppm									
			2											
			2.50		ASS4-2 ES 2.50-2.70 m				SHALE; grey with orange iron staining, inferred extremely low strength, inferred extremely weathered, mild hydrocarbon odour.					
H	F		3		SPT 3.00 m 30 HB N=30/150mm BH4-4 PID = 14 ppm				From 3.0 m, as above, inferred very low strength, inferred distinctly weathered, no odour.			W		
			3.00											
			4		ASS4-3 ES 4.30-4.50 m SPT 4.50 m 11,19 HB N=19/150mm BH4-5 PID = 3.2 ppm C 4.90-6.45 m				SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = 2-3 mm, dark grey-grey with orange iron staining.					
			4.90											
			5											
NMLC		75-80% RETURN	6		6.12 m									
			7		C 6.45-7.96 m									
			7.22						SHALE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, <1-1 mm thick, average spacing = <1-3 mm, dark grey-grey with brown iron staining.					
			7.30											
			7.96											
			8						Hole Terminated at 7.96 m Target depth reached. Borehole converted to monitoring well.					
			9											
			10											

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REPORT OF BOREHOLE: BH4/MW4/ASS4

CLIENT: Caliph

PROJECT: Preliminary Geotechnical Investigation

LOCATION: 75 Mary Street, St Peters, NSW

JOB NO: E22317

EAST: 331071.812 m

NORTH: 6245975.180 m MGA94 Zone 56

INCLINATION: -90°

BOX: 1 of 1

HOLE DEPTH: 7.96 m

DEPTH RANGE: 4.90m to 7.96 m

DRILL RIG: Multi-Drill 3000

DRILLER: Traccess Pty Ltd

LOGGED: SK

CHECKED: AM

DATE: 24/9/2014

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BOREHOLE: BH5/MW5/ASS5

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Drilling				Sampling	Field Material Description									
METHOD	PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	SAMPLE OR FIELD TEST	RECOVERED	GRAPHIC LOG	USCS SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE CONDITION	CONSISTENCY DENSITY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS		
AD/T	E	GWNE	0									ROAD SURFACE		
			0.30	BH5-1 ES 0.20-0.30 m PID = 80 ppm			-	FILL: gravelly SAND; fine to medium grained, brown, gravel is fine to coarse, subangular, strong hydrocarbon odour.	D	-	FILL			
			0.70	BH5-2 D 0.30-0.40 m PID = 52 ppm			-	FILL: Sandy CLAY; high plasticity, brown, sand is fine to medium grained, trace fine to medium, subrounded gravel, with brick fragments, mild hydrocarbon odour.						
			1	ASS5-1 ES 0.40-0.50 m SPT 0.50 m 2,2,2 N=4 BH5-3 PID = 89 ppm SPT 1.50 m 3,5,8 N=13 ASS5-2 ES 1.50-1.95 m BH5-4 PID = 138 ppm			CH	CLAY; high plasticity, grey mottled red, trace fine to medium, subrounded ironstone gravel, trace rootlets, mild hydrocarbon odour.	F		RESIDUAL SOIL			
			2							St				
			2.30				-	MUDSTONE; pale brown-orange, inferred extremely low strength, inferred extremely weathered, no odour.	M (<PL)		WEATHERED ROCK			
			3	3.00	SPT 3.00 m 13,25,5 HB N=30/160mm BH5-5 PID = 4.1 ppm						ROCK			
			4	4.20	SPT 4.00 m 4 HB N=4/50mm BH5-6									
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BOREHOLE: BH5/MW5/ASS5

East 331192.6 m
North 6245953.9 m
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Drilling					Field Material Description				Defect Information			
METHOD	WATER	TCR	RQD (SCR)	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	GRAPHIC LOG	ROCK / SOIL MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH $I_{s(50)}$ MPa	DEFECT DESCRIPTION & Additional Observations		AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING (mm)
				0								
				1								
				2								
				3								
				4								
				4.20			Continuation from non-cored borehole					
							MUDSTONE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, pale grey-pale brown.	DW		4.30-4.50: BPX5 0 - 5° PR S Fe SN avg sp = 10-100 mm		
				4.66			CORE LOSS; 100 mm.			4.60-4.66: DS 60 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft		
							MUDSTONE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, pale grey-pale brown.	DW		5.10-5.30: JT 50° PR S Fe SN		
				5						5.21: BP 0° PR S Fe SN		
										5.26-5.28: HB		
										5.34-5.44: BPX3 0° PR S Fe SN avg sp = 50 mm		
										5.54: JT 10° ST RF Fe SN		
										5.65-6.00: CZ 350 mm, gravel, coarse, subangular-angular		
				6						6.04: JT 0 - 30° UN RF Fe SN		
										6.16: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN		
										6.18-6.20: CS 20 mm, gravel, fine-medium, subrounded		
										6.23: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN		
										6.27: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN		
										6.29-6.33: CS 40 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, subrounded		
										6.39-6.47: DS 80 mm, silt, high plasticity, soft		
										6.53: HB		
										6.59: JT 20° ST RF Fe SN		
										6.62-6.67: DS 50 mm, silt, high plasticity, firm, trace gravel, medium-coarse, angular		
										6.74: DB		
										6.89: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN		
										7.11-7.22: BPX3 0 - 5° PR RF CN avg sp = 10-100 mm		
										7.35-7.37: JT 50° PR RF CN		
										7.37: BP 0° PR RF CN		
										7.37-7.60: JT 85° PR RF CN		
										7.47-7.68: BPX8 0 - 5° PR RF CN		
										7.73-7.75: CS 20 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular		
										7.76: BP 0° PR RF Fe SN		
										7.86: DB		
										8.10-8.20: JT 45 - 90° CU RF CN		
										8.14: BP 5° PR RF CN		
										8.22-8.40: JT 45 - 80° CU RF CN		
										8.29: JT 0° PR RF CN		
										8.42: DB		
										8.47: BP 10° PR RF CN		
				8.66			Hole Terminated at 8.66 m Target depth reached. Borehole converted to monitoring well.					
				9								
				10								
										9.58-8.66: DB		

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Client Caliph

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North 6245953.9 m
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BOREHOLE: BH5/MW5/ASS5

Drilling				Sampling		Field Material Description							
METHOD	PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	SAMPLE OR FIELD TEST	RECOVERED	GRAPHIC LOG	USCS SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE CONDITION	CONSISTENCY DENSITY	PIEZOMETER DETAILS	
												ID MW5	Static Water Level
												MW5	
AD/T	E	GWNE	0					-	FILL: gravelly SAND; fine to medium grained, brown, gravel is fine to coarse, subangular, strong hydrocarbon odour.	D	-	Gatic Cover Concrete	
			0.30	BH5-1 ES 0.20-0.30 m PID = 80 ppm BH5-2 D 0.30-0.40 m PID = 52 ppm			-	FILL: Sandy CLAY; high plasticity, brown, sand is fine to medium grained, trace fine to medium, subrounded gravel, with brick fragments, mild hydrocarbon odour.					
			0.70	ASS5-1 ES 0.40-0.50 m SPT 0.50 m 2.2,2 N=4 BH5-3 PID = 89 ppm		CH	CLAY; high plasticity, grey mottled red, trace fine to medium, subrounded ironstone gravel, trace rootlets, mild hydrocarbon odour.		F				
			1	SPT 1.50 m 3.5,8 N=13 ASS5-2 ES 1.50-1.95 m BH5-4 PID = 138 ppm					St				
			2.30			-	MUDSTONE; pale brown-orange, inferred extremely low strength, inferred extremely weathered, no odour.	M (<PL)					
			3	SPT 3.00 m 13,25,5 HB N=30/160mm BH5-5 PID = 4.1 ppm			From 3.0 m, as above, inferred very low strength, inferred extremely weathered.	-					
			4	SPT 4.00 m 4 HB N=4/50mm BH5-6 C 4.20-6.00 m			MUDSTONE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, pale grey-pale brown.						
			4.66				CORE LOSS; 100 mm.						
			5	5.45 m			MUDSTONE; bedding dipping 0-5 degrees, pale grey-pale brown.						
			6	6.00 6.29	C 6.00-6.80 m		From 6.0 m, as above, pale grey-pale brown with orange iron staining.						
NMLC		80-85% RETURN	7	C 6.80-8.66 m 6.89 m			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-10 degrees, <1-3 mm thick, average spacing = <1-3 mm, dark grey-grey with orange iron staining.					Sand	
			8	7.86 m							1x uPVC 50 mm slotted screen		
			8.66										
			9				Hole Terminated at 8.66 m Target depth reached. Borehole converted to monitoring well.						
			10										
			11										
			12										
			13										
			14										
			15										

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REPORT OF BOREHOLE: BH5/MW5/ASS5

CLIENT: Caliph
PROJECT: Preliminary Geotechnical Investigation
LOCATION: 75 Mary Street, St Peters, NSW
JOB NO: E22317

EAST: 331192.569 m
NORTH: 6245953.870 m MGA94 Zone 56
INCLINATION: -90°
BOX: 1 of 1
HOLE DEPTH: 8.66 m

DEPTH RANGE: 4.20 m to 8.66 m
DRILL RIG: Multi-Drill 3000
DRILLER: Traccess Pty Ltd
LOGGED: SK
CHECKED: AM
DATE: 23/9/2014
DATE: 9/10/2014-



Project New Mixed Development
Location 75 Mary Street, St Peters NSW
Position Refer to Figure 2
Job No. E22317
Client Caliph

East 331100.0 m
North 6245974.3 m
Contractor Traccess Pty Ltd
Drill Rig Multi-Drill 3000
Inclination -90°

BOREHOLE: BH6

Sheet 1 OF 2
Date Started 25/9/14
Date Completed 25/9/14
Logged SK Date: 25/9/14
Checked AM Date: 9/10/14

Drilling				Sampling		Field Material Description						
METHOD	PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	SAMPLE OR FIELD TEST	RECOVERED	GRAPHIC LOG	USCS SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE CONDITION	CONSISTENCY DENSITY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
DT	-		0					-	FILL: CONCRETE; 190 mm.	-	-	CONCRETE HARDSTAND
			0.19									
			0.40	BH6-1 ES 0.20-0.40 m PID = 0.2 ppm SPT 0.50 m 1,2,3 N=5 BH6-2 PID = 0.5 ppm								
			1									
			1.80	SPT 1.50 m 3,3,8 N=11 BH6-3 PID = 0.4 ppm								
			2									
			3									
			3.00	SPT 3.00 m 10 HB N=10/20mm BH6-4 SPT 3.30 m 5 HB N=5/40mm BH6-5								
			3.30									
			3.64									
AD/T	E	GWNE	4						Continued as Cored Borehole			
			5									
			6									
			7									
			8									
			9									
			10									
			11									
			12									
			13									

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BOREHOLE: BH6

Sheet 2 OF 2
Date Started 25/9/14
Date Completed 25/9/14
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Drilling					Field Material Description					Defect Information				
METHOD	WATER	TCR	RQD (SCR)	DEPTH (metres)	DEPTH RL	GRAPHIC LOG	ROCK / SOIL MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH $I_{s(50)}$ MPa	DEFECT DESCRIPTION & Additional Observations			AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING (mm)	
				0										
				1										
				2										
				3										
				3.64			Continuation from non-cored borehole							
				3.74			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-10 degrees, <1-1 mm thick, pale grey-grey with medium to high strength ironstone bands up to 20 mm thick.	DW		3.64-3.74: DB				
				4			CORE LOSS; 50 mm.	DW		3.86-4.84: BPx10 0 - 10° PR RF Fe SN avg sp = 20-100 mm				
			96	28 (55)			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-10 degrees, <1-1 mm thick, pale grey-grey with medium to high strength ironstone bands up to 80 mm thick.			4.22-4.25: CS 30 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular				
				5			SHALE; bedding dipping 0-10 degrees, <1-1 mm thick, average spacing = 1-3 mm, dark grey-grey with orange iron staining.			4.37-4.41: HB				
				5.05						4.48: JT 15° PR RF Fe SN				
										4.52: JT 0 - 90° ST RF Fe SN				
										4.56-4.64: DS 80 mm, silt, high plasticity, stiff				
										4.66: JT 20° PR RF Fe SN				
										4.70: JT 0 - 40° UN RF Fe SN				
										4.72-4.77: DS 50 mm, silt, high plasticity, stiff				
										4.91: DB				
										4.94-5.02: DB				
										5.02-5.04: DS 20 mm, silt, high plasticity, stiff				
										5.14-6.29: BPx12 0 - 10° PR RF Fe SN avg sp = 30-100 mm				
										5.27: JT 30° closed				
										5.37-5.44: DS 70 mm, silt, high plasticity, stiff				
										5.62: JT 20° UN RF Fe SN				
										5.66: JT 30° PR RF Fe SN				
										5.71: JT 10° PR RF Fe SN				
										5.78-5.81: CS 30 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular-subangular				
										6.00-6.08: HB				
										6.15-6.16: JTx2 0 - 30° CU RF Fe SN				
										6.22-6.24: JT 5 - 30° CU RF Fe SN				
										6.22-6.34: JT 80 - 90° UN RF Fe SN				
										6.33-6.40: CS 70 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular-subangular				
										6.40: JT 30° PR RF Fe SN				
										6.42: JT 20 - 30° UN RF Fe SN				
										6.50-7.33: BPx9 0 - 10° PR RF CN avg sp = 30-100 mm				
										6.55-6.57: CS 20 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular-subangular				
										6.61: JT 20° PR RF CN				
										6.68: JT 10° PR RF CN				
										6.75-6.78: JT 30° PR RF CN				
										6.86: JT 40° PR RF CN				
										6.89-6.91: CS 20 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular-subangular				
										7.06: JT 0 - 20° UN RF CN				
										7.13-7.21: JT 60° PR RF CN				
										7.42-7.54: CZ 120 mm, gravel, fine-coarse, angular-subangular				
										7.54-7.60: DB				
				7.73			Hole Terminated at 7.73 m Target depth reached. Backfilled with drilling spoil. Concrete capped.	FR						
				8										
				9										
				10										

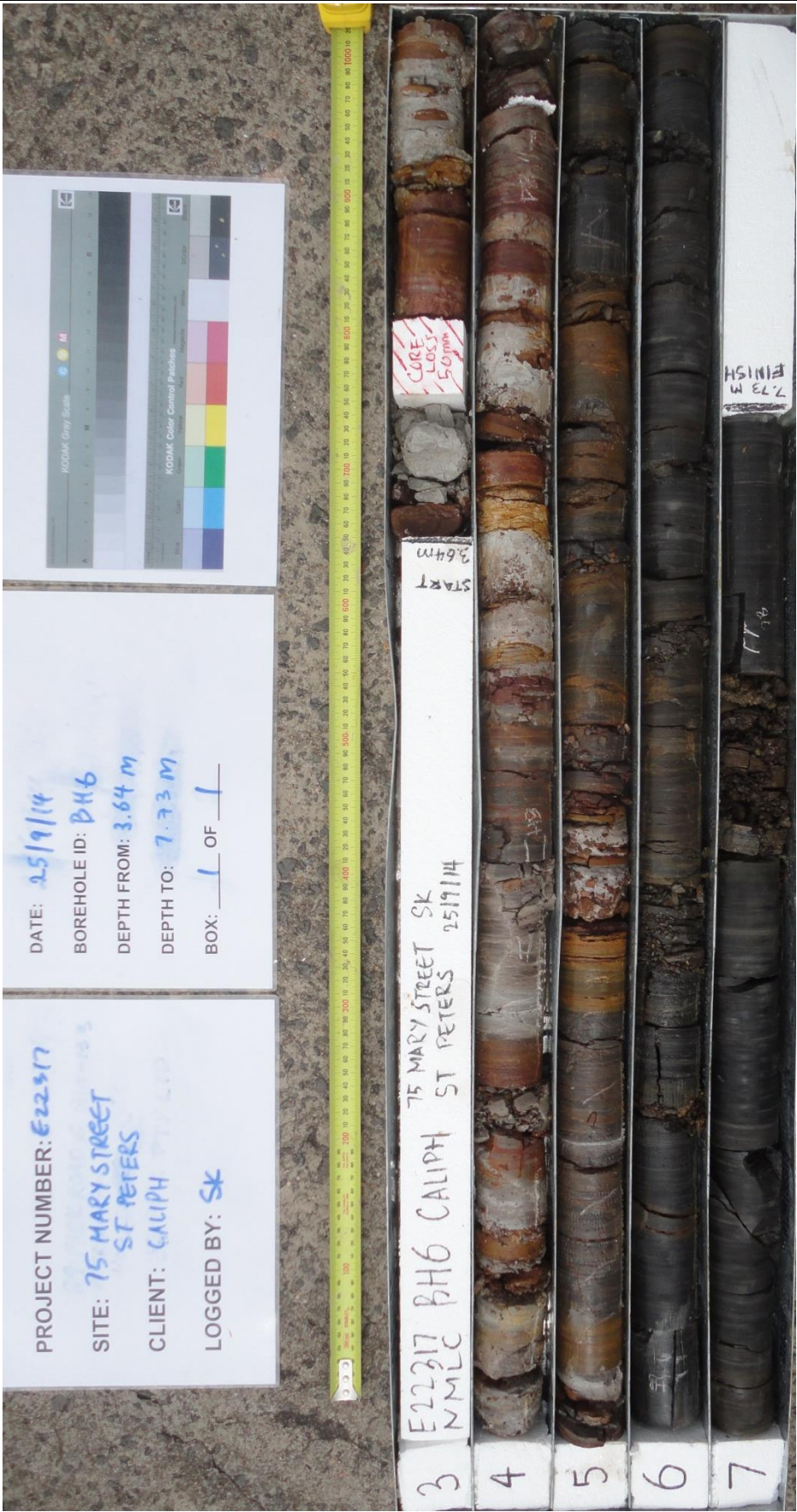
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EXPLANATION OF NOTES, ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS USED ON BOREHOLE AND TEST PIT LOGS

DRILLING/EXCAVATION METHOD

HA	Hand Auger	RD	Rotary blade or drag bit	NQ	Diamond Core - 47 mm
DTC	Diatube Coring	RT	Rotary Tricone bit	NMLC	Diamond Core - 52 mm
NDD	Non-destructive digging	RAB	Rotary Air Blast	HQ	Diamond Core - 63 mm
AS*	Auger Screwing	RC	Reverse Circulation	HMLC	Diamond Core - 63mm
AD*	Auger Drilling	PT	Push Tube	BH	Tractor Mounted Backhoe
*V	V-Bit	CT	Cable Tool Rig	EX	Tracked Hydraulic Excavator
*T	TC-Bit, e.g. ADT	JET	Jetting	EE	Existing Excavation
ADH	Hollow Auger	WB	Washbore or Bailer	HAND	Excavated by Hand Methods

PENETRATION/EXCAVATION RESISTANCE

- L Low resistance.** Rapid penetration/ excavation possible with little effort from equipment used.
- M Medium resistance.** Penetration/ excavation possible at an acceptable rate with moderate effort from equipment used.
- H High resistance.** Penetration/ excavation is possible but at a slow rate and requires significant effort from equipment used.
- R Refusal/ Practical Refusal.** No further progress possible without risk of damage or unacceptable wear to equipment used.

These assessments are subjective and are dependent on many factors, including equipment power and weight, condition of excavation or drilling tools and experience of the operator.

WATER



Water level at date shown



Partial water loss



Water inflow



Complete water loss

GROUNDWATER NOT OBSERVED

Observation of groundwater, whether present or not, was not possible due to drilling water, surface seepage or cave-in of the borehole/ test pit.

GROUNDWATER NOT ENCOUNTERED

Borehole/ test pit was dry soon after excavation. However, groundwater could be present in less permeable strata. Inflow may have been observed had the borehole/ test pit been left open for a longer period.

SAMPLING AND TESTING

SPT	Standard Penetration Test to AS1289.6.3.1-2004
4,7,11 N=18	4,7,11 = Blows per 150mm. N = Blows per 300mm penetration following 150mm
seating 30/80mm	Where practical refusal occurs, the blows and penetration for that interval are reported
RW	Penetration occurred under the rod weight only
HW	Penetration occurred under the hammer and rod weight only
HB	Hammer double bouncing on anvil

Sampling

DS	Disturbed Sample
BDS	Bulk disturbed Sample
GS	Gas Sample
WS	Water Sample
U63	Thin walled tube sample - number indicates nominal sample diameter in millimetres

Testing

FP	Field Permeability test over section noted
FVS	Field Vane Shear test expressed as uncorrected shear strength (sv = peak value, sr = residual value)
PID	Photoionisation Detector reading in ppm
PM	Pressuremeter test over section noted
PP	Pocket Penetrometer test expressed as instrument reading in kPa
WPT	Water Pressure tests
DCP	Dynamic Cone Penetrometer test
CPT	Static Cone Penetration test
CPTu	Static Cone Penetration test with pore pressure (u) measurement

RANKING OF VISUALLY OBSERVABLE CONTAMINATION AND ODOUR (for specific soil contamination assessment)

R = 0	No visible evidence of contamination	R = A	No non-natural odours identified
R = 1	Slight evidence of visible contamination	R = B	Slight non-natural odours identified
R = 2	Visible contamination	R = C	Moderate non-natural odours identified
R = 3	Significant visible contamination	R = D	Strong non-natural odours identified

ROCK CORE RECOVERY

TCR = Total Core Recovery (%)	SCR = Solid Core Recovery (%)	RQD = Rock Quality Designation (%)
$= \frac{\text{Length of core recovered}}{\text{Length of core run}} \times 100$	$= \frac{\Sigma \text{Length of cylindrical core recovered}}{\text{Length of core run}} \times 100$	$= \frac{\Sigma \text{Axial Lengths of core} > 100\text{mm}}{\text{Length of core run}} \times 100$

MATERIAL BOUNDARIES

———— = inferred boundary - - - - - = probable boundary — ? — ? — ? — ? = possible boundary

METHOD OF SOIL DESCRIPTION USED ON BOREHOLE AND TEST PIT LOGS



FILL



**COUBLES or
BOULDERS**



**GRAVEL (GP or
GW)**



**ORGANIC SOILS
(OL, OH or Pt)**



SILT (ML or MH)



CLAY (CL, CI or CH)



SAND (SP or SW)

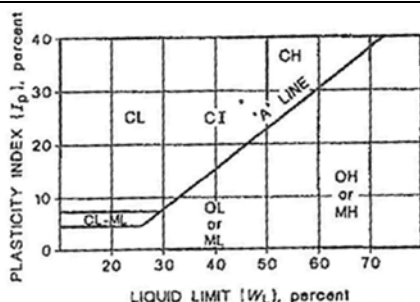
Combinations of these basic symbols may be used to indicate mixed materials such as sandy clay

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PARTICLE SIZE CHARACTERISTICS			USCS SYMBOLS				
Major Division	Sub Division	Particle Size	Major Divisions		Symbol	Description	
BOULDERS		>200 mm	COARSE GRAINED SOILS More than 50% by dry mass less than 63mm is greater than 0.075mm	More than 50% of coarse grains are >2mm	GW	Well graded gravel and gravel-sand mixtures, little or no fines.	
COBBLES		63 to 200 mm			GP	Poorly graded gravel and gravel-sand mixtures, little or no fines.	
GRAVEL	Coarse	20 to 63 mm			GM	Silty gravel, gravel-sand-silt mixtures.	
	Medium	6 to 20 mm			GC	Clayey gravel, gravel-sand-clay mixtures.	
SAND	Fine	2 to 6 mm		More than 50% of coarse grains are <2 mm	SW	Well graded sand and gravelly sand, little or no fines.	
	Coarse	0.6 to 2 mm			SP	Poorly graded sand and gravelly sand, little or no fines.	
	Medium	0.2 to 0.6 mm			SM	Silty sand, sand-silt mixtures.	
Fine	0.075 to 0.2mm	SC			Clayey sand, sandy-clay mixtures.		
SILT		0.002 to 0.075 mm		FINE GRAINED SOILS More than 50% by dry mass less than 63mm is less than 0.075mm	Liquid Limit less < 50%	ML	Inorganic silts of low plasticity, very fine sands, rock flour, silty or clayey fine sands.
CLAY		<0.002 mm				CL	Inorganic clays of low to medium plasticity, gravelly clays, sandy clays, silty clays.
						OL	Organic silts and organic silty clays of low plasticity.
PLASTICITY PROPERTIES					Liquid Limit > 50%	MH	Inorganic silts of high plasticity.
						CH	Inorganic clays of high plasticity.
						OH	Organic clays of medium to high plasticity.
						PT	Peat muck and other highly organic soils.

PLASTICITY PROPERTIES



MOISTURE CONDITION

Symbol	Term	Description
D	Dry	Sands and gravels are free flowing. Clays & Silts may be brittle or friable and powdery.
M	Moist	Soils are darker than in the dry condition & may feel cool. Sands and gravels tend to cohere.
W	Wet	Soils exude free water. Sands and gravels tend to cohere.

Moisture content of cohesive soils may also be described in relation to plastic limit (WP) or liquid limit (WL) [» much greater than, > greater than, < less than, « much less than].

CONSISTENCY			DENSITY			
Symbol	Term	Undrained Shear Strength	Symbol	Term	Density Index %	SPT "N" #
VS	Very Soft	0. to 12 kPa	VL	Very Loose	< 15	0 to 4
S	Soft	12 to 25 kPa	L	Loose	15 to 35	4 to 10
F	Firm	25 to 50 kPa	MD	Medium Density	35 to 65	10 to 30
St	Stiff	50 to 100 kPa	D	Dense	65 to 85	30 to 50
VSt	Very Stiff	100 to 200 kPa	VD	Very Dense	Above 85	Above 50
H	Hard	Above 200 kPa				

In the absence of test results, consistency and density may be assessed from correlations with the observed behaviour of the material. # SPT correlations are not stated in AS1726 – 1993, and may be subject to corrections for overburden pressure and equipment type.

MINOR COMPONENTS

Term	Assessment Guide	Proportion by Mass
Trace	Presence just detectable by feel or eye but soil properties little or no different to general properties of primary component	Coarse grained soils: ≤ 5% Fine grained soil: ≤15%
Some	Presence easily detectable by feel or eye but soil properties little or no different to general properties of primary component	Coarse grained soils: 5 - 12% Fine grained soil: 15 - 30%

TERMS FOR ROCK MATERIAL STRENGTH AND WEATHERING

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STRENGTH

Symbol	Term	Point Load Index, $Is_{(50)}$ (MPa) #	Field Guide
EL	Extremely Low	< 0.03	Easily remoulded by hand to a material with soil properties.
VL	Very Low	0.03 to 0.1	Material crumbles under firm blows with sharp end of pick; can be peeled with knife; too hard to cut a triaxial sample by hand. Pieces up to 30 mm can be broken by finger pressure.
L	Low	0.1 to 0.3	Easily scored with a knife; indentations 1 mm to 3 mm show in the specimen with firm blows of pick point; has dull sound under hammer. A piece of core 150 mm long by 50 mm diameter may be broken by hand. Sharp edges of core may be friable and break during handling.
M	Medium	0.3 to 1	Readily scored with a knife; a piece of core 150 mm long by 50 mm diameter can be broken by hand with difficulty.
H	High	1 to 3	A piece of core 150 mm long by 50 mm diameter cannot be broken by hand but can be broken with pick with a single firm blow; rock rings under hammer.
VH	Very High	3 to 10	Hand specimen breaks with pick after more than one blow; rock rings under hammer.
EH	Extremely High	>10	Specimen requires many blows with geological pick to break through intact material; rock rings under hammer.

Rock Strength Test Results

▼ Point Load Strength Index, $Is_{(50)}$, Axial test (MPa)

◀ Point Load Strength Index, $Is_{(50)}$, Diametral test (MPa)

Relationship between rock strength test result ($Is_{(50)}$) and unconfined compressive strength (UCS) will vary with rock type and strength, and should be determined on a site-specific basis. UCS is typically 10 to 30 x $Is_{(50)}$, but can be as low as 5 MPa.

ROCK MATERIAL WEATHERING

Symbol	Term	Field Guide
RS	Residual Soil	Soil developed on extremely weathered rock; the mass structure and substance fabric are no longer evident; there is a large change in volume but the soil has not been significantly transported.
EW	Extremely Weathered	Rock is weathered to such an extent that it has soil properties - i.e. it either disintegrates or can be remoulded, in water.
DW	Distinctly Weathered	Rock strength usually changed by weathering. The rock may be highly discoloured, usually by iron staining. Porosity may be increased by leaching, or may be decreased due to deposition of weathering products in pores. In some environments it is convenient to subdivide into Highly Weathered and Moderately Weathered, with the degree of alteration typically less for MW.
SW	Slightly Weathered	Rock slightly discoloured but shows little or no change of strength relative to fresh rock.
FR	Fresh	Rock shows no sign of decomposition or staining.

ABBREVIATIONS AND DESCRIPTIONS FOR ROCK MATERIAL AND DEFECTS

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ROCK MATERIAL DESCRIPTION

Layering		Structure	
Term	Description	Term	Spacing (mm)
Massive	No layering apparent	Thinly laminated	<6
		Laminated	6 – 20
Poorly Developed	Layering just visible; little effect on properties	Very thinly bedded	20 – 60
		Thinly bedded	60 – 200
Well Developed	Layering (bedding, foliation, cleavage) distinct; rock breaks more easily parallel to layering	Medium bedded	200 – 600
		Thickly bedded	600 – 2,000
		Very thickly bedded	> 2,000

ABBREVIATIONS AND DESCRIPTIONS FOR DEFECT TYPES

Defect Type	Abbr.	Description
Joint	JT	Surface of a fracture or parting, formed without displacement, across which the rock has little or no tensile strength. May be closed or filled by air, water or soil or rock substance, which acts as cement.
Bedding Parting	BP	Surface of fracture or parting, across which the rock has little or no tensile strength, parallel or sub-parallel to layering/ bedding. Bedding refers to the layering or stratification of a rock, indicating orientation during deposition, resulting in planar anisotropy in the rock material.
Foliation	FL	Repetitive planar structure parallel to the shear direction or perpendicular to the direction of higher pressure, especially in metamorphic rock, e.g. Schistosity (SH) and Gneissosity.
Contact	CO	The surface between two types or ages of rock.
Cleavage	CL	Cleavage planes appear as parallel, closely spaced and planar surfaces resulting from mechanical fracturing of rock through deformation or metamorphism, independent of bedding.
Sheared Seam/ Zone (Fault)	SS/SZ	Seam or zone with roughly parallel almost planar boundaries of rock substance cut by closely spaced (often <50 mm) parallel and usually smooth or slickensided joints or cleavage planes.
Crushed Seam/ Zone (Fault)	CS/CZ	Seam or zone composed of disoriented usually angular fragments of the host rock substance, with roughly parallel near-planar boundaries. The brecciated fragments may be of clay, silt, sand or gravel sizes or mixtures of these.
Decomposed Seam/ Zone	DS/DZ	Seam of soil substance, often with gradational boundaries, formed by weathering of the rock material in places.
Infilled Seam	IS	Seam of soil substance, usually clay or clayey, with very distinct roughly parallel boundaries, formed by soil migrating into joint or open cavity.
Schistosity	SH	The foliation in schist or other coarse grained crystalline rock due to the parallel arrangement of platy or prismatic mineral grains, such as mica.
Vein	VN	Distinct sheet-like body of minerals crystallised within rock through typically open-space filling or crack-seal growth.

ABBREVIATIONS AND DESCRIPTIONS FOR DEFECT SHAPE AND ROUGHNESS

Shape	Abbr.	Description	Roughness	Abbr.	Description
Planar	PI	Consistent orientation	Polished	Pol	Shiny smooth surface
Curved	Cu	Gradual change in orientation	Slickensided	SL	Grooved or striated surface, usually polished
Undulating	Un	Wavy surface	Smooth	S	Smooth to touch. Few or no surface irregularities
Stepped	St	One or more well defined steps	Rough	RF	Many small surface irregularities (amplitude generally <1mm). Feels like fine to coarse sandpaper
Irregular	Ir	Many sharp changes in orientation	Very Rough	VR	Many large surface irregularities, amplitude generally >1mm. Feels like very coarse sandpaper

Orientation:

Vertical Boreholes – The dip (inclination from horizontal) of the defect.

Inclined Boreholes – The inclination is measured as the acute angle to the core axis.

ABBREVIATIONS AND DESCRIPTIONS FOR DEFECT COATING

DEFECT APERTURE

Coating	Abbr.	Description	Aperture	Abbr.	Description
Clean	CN	No visible coating or infilling	Closed	CL	Closed.
Stain	SN	No visible coating but surfaces are discoloured by staining, often limonite (orange-brown)	Open	O	Without any infill material.
Veneer	VNR	A visible coating of soil or mineral substance, usually too thin to measure (< 1 mm); may be patchy	Infilled	-	Soil or rock i.e. clay, talc, pyrite, quartz, etc.

APPENDIX B

LABORATORY TEST CERTIFICATES



SOIL CHEMICAL PROPERTIES REPORT

Client:	Environmental Investigations	Source:	BH2-3 1.5-1.95m
Address:	PO Box 215 St Peters, NSW, 2044	Sample Description:	silty CLAY
Project:	75 Mary Street, St Peters (E22317)	Report No.:	S1184-SCP
Job No.:	14-655	Lab No.:	14810 (S1184)

Test Procedure:	☒	AS1289 4.2.1	Soil Chemical Tests - Determination of a sulfate content of a natural soil and the sulfate content of the groundwater - Normal Method
	☒	AS1289 4.3.1	Soil Chemical Tests - Determination of the pH value of a soil - Electrometric method
	☒	AS 1289 4.4.1	Soil Chemical Tests - Determination of the electrical resistivity of a soil - Method for sands and granular material
	☐	RTA T123	pH value of a soil (electrometric method)
	☐	RTA T185	Resistivity of sands and granular road construction materials
	☐	RTA T200	Chloride content of roadbase
	☒	RTA T1010	Quantitative determination of chlorides in soil
	☐	RTA T1011	Quantitative determination of sulphates in soil
	☐	BS1377(1990 pt.3)	Water soluble sulphate content
	☐	TAI B117	Sulphides Present

Sampling:	Sampled by Client	Date Sampled:	24/09/2014
Preparation:	Prepared in accordance with AS1289 1.1		

Sulphides Present	-
Sulphate content (ppm)	424.1
Sulphate content (%)	0.04
Chloride ion content (ppm)	106.4
Chloride ion content (%)	0.01
pH	5.4
Electrical Conductivity (uS/cm)	-
Mean Resistivity Ω .m	120
(Resistivity) Density ratio (R_D)	90
(Resistivity) Density index (I_D)	-



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POINT LOAD STRENGTH INDEX REPORT

AS4133 4.1

Client:	Environmental Investigations	Moisture Content Condition:	As received
Address:	PO Box 215 St Peters, NSW, 2044	Storage History:	Core Boxes
Project:	PGI - 75 Mary Street, St Peters NSW (E22317)	Report No:	S1188-PLT
Job No:	14-655	Date Tested:	7/10/2014

Test Procedure: ☒ AS4133 4.1 Rock strength tests - Determination of point load strength index

Sampling: Sampled by Client **Date Sampled:** 23-25/09/2014

Preparation: Prepared in accordance with the test method

Sample Number	Borehole ID	Depth (m)	Sample Description	Test Type	Average Width (mm)	Platen Separation (mm)	Failure Load (kN)	Point Load Index Is (MPa)	Point Load Index Is ₍₅₀₎ (MPa)	Notes
S1188	BH1	3.46-3.57	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.01	0.00	0.00	
				Axial	52.0	42.0	0.30	0.11	0.11	
S1189	BH1	6.65-6.75	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.65	0.24	0.24	
				Axial	52.0	38.0	0.67	0.27	0.27	
S1190	BH2	5.00-5.15	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.04	0.01	0.02	
				Axial	52.0	42.0	0.06	0.02	0.02	
S1191	BH2	7.00-7.13	Siltstone	Diametral	-	47.0	0.31	0.14	0.13	
				Axial	52.0	33.0	0.14	0.06	0.06	
S1192	BH2	7.82-7.92	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.35	0.13	0.13	
				Axial	52.0	44.0	0.72	0.25	0.25	
S1193	BH3	4.30-4.40	Shale	Diametral	-	52.0	0.07	0.03	0.03	
				Axial	52.0	45.0	0.31	0.10	0.11	
S1194	BH3	5.40-5.50	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.03	0.01	0.01	
				Axial	52.0	48.0	0.04	0.01	0.01	
S1195	BH4	6.12-6.21	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.19	0.07	0.07	
				Axial	52.0	39.0	0.36	0.14	0.14	
S1196	BH4	7.30-7.40	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.75	0.28	0.28	
				Axial	52.0	40.0	0.40	0.15	0.15	
S1197	BH5	5.45-5.55	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.04	0.01	0.02	
				Axial	52.0	46.0	0.04	0.01	0.01	

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Client:	Environmental Investigations	Moisture Content Condition:	As received
Address:	PO Box 215 St Peters, NSW, 2044	Storage History:	Core Boxes
Project:	PGI - 75 Mary Street, St Peters NSW (E22317)	Report No:	S1198-PLT
Job No:	14-655	Date Tested:	7/10/2014

Test Procedure: ☒ AS4133 4.1 Rock strength tests - Determination of point load strength index

Sampling: Sampled by Client **Date Sampled:** 23-25/09/2014

Preparation: Prepared in accordance with the test method

Sample Number	Borehole ID	Depth (m)	Sample Description	Test Type	Average Width (mm)	Platen Separation (mm)	Failure Load (kN)	Point Load Index Is (MPa)	Point Load Index Is ₍₅₀₎ (MPa)	Notes
S1198	BH5	6.89-7.00	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.11	0.04	0.04	
				Axial	52.0	40.0	0.12	0.05	0.05	
S1199	BH5	7.86-8.00	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.27	0.10	0.10	
				Axial	52.0	45.0	0.39	0.13	0.13	
S1200	BH6	5.19-5.29	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.03	0.01	0.01	
				Axial	52.0	42.0	0.07	0.03	0.03	
S1201	BH6	6.08-6.16	Siltstone	Diametral	-	47.0	0.34	0.15	0.15	Failure through defect
				Axial	52.0	*	*	*	*	*Unable to perform test due to diametral sample failure.
S1202	BH6	7.60-7.73	Siltstone	Diametral	-	52.0	0.50	0.18	0.19	
				Axial	52.0	38.0	0.58	0.23	0.23	

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SOIL CLASSIFICATION REPORT

Client:	Environmental Investigations	Source:	BH1 - 3 - 1.5-1.95m
Address:	PO Box 215 St Peters, NSW, 2044	Sample Description:	silty CLAY
Project:	75 Mary Street, St Peters (E22317)	Report No:	S1182-PI
Job No:	14-655	Lab No:	S1182

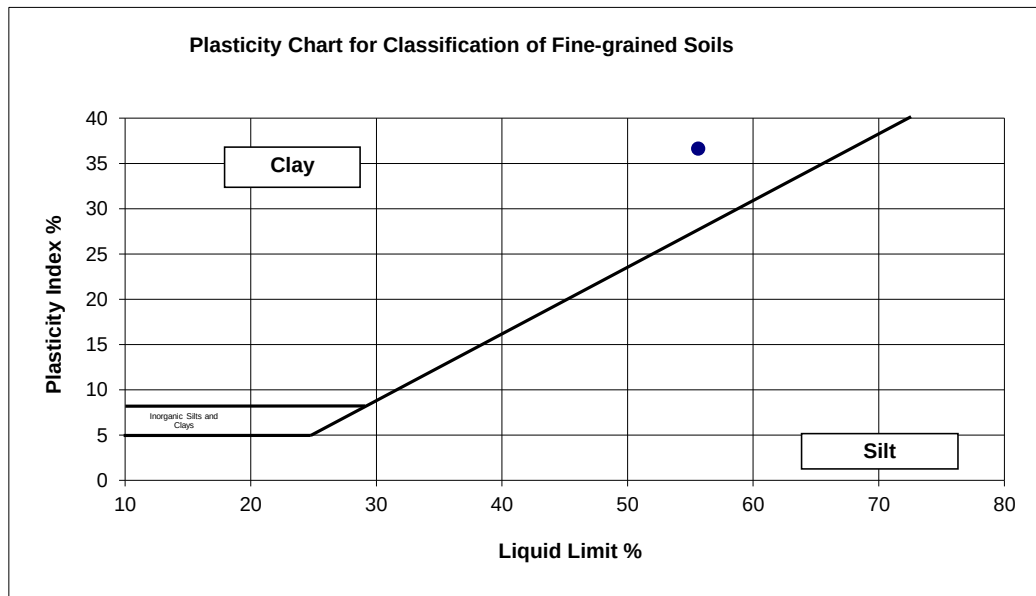
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	☒ AS1289 3.1.2 Soil classification tests - Determination of the liquid limit if a soil - One point Casagrande method (subsidiary method)
	☒ AS1289 3.2.1 Soil classification tests - Determination of the plastic limit of a soil - Standard method
	☒ AS1289 3.3.1 Soil classification tests - Calculation of the plasticity index of a soil
	☐ AS1289 3.4.1 Soil classification tests - Determination of the linear shrinkage of a soil - Standard method

Sampling:	Sampled by Client	Date Sampled:	24.09.14
Preparation:	Prepared in accordance with the test method		

Liquid Limit (%):
Linear Shrinkage (%):

Plastic Limit (%):
Field Moisture Content (%):

Plastic Index:



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SOIL CLASSIFICATION REPORT

Client:	Environmental Investigations	Source:	BH2 - 2 - 0.5-0.95m
Address:	PO Box 215 St Peters, NSW, 2044	Sample Description:	silty CLAY
Project:	75 Mary Street, St Peters (E22317)	Report No:	S1183-PI
Job No:	14-655	Lab No:	S1183

Test Procedure:	☒ AS1289 2.1.1 Soil moisture content tests (Oven drying method)
	☐ AS1289 3.1.1 Soil classification tests - Determination of the liquid limit of a soil - Four point casagrande method
	☒ AS1289 3.1.2 Soil classification tests - Determination of the liquid limit if a soil - One point Casagrande method (subsidiary method)
	☒ AS1289 3.2.1 Soil classification tests - Determination of the plastic limit of a soil - Standard method
	☒ AS1289 3.3.1 Soil classification tests - Calculation of the plasticity index of a soil
	☐ AS1289 3.4.1 Soil classification tests - Determination of the linear shrinkage of a soil - Standard method

Sampling:	Sampled by Client	Date Sampled:	24.09.14
Preparation:	Prepared in accordance with the test method		

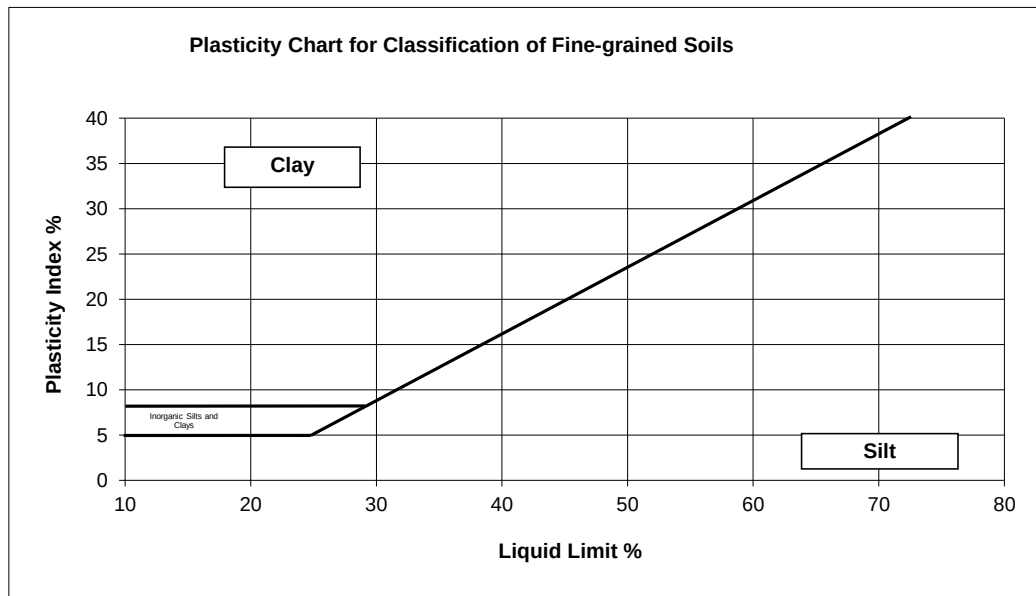
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Linear Shrinkage (%): -

Plastic Limit (%): 23

Field Moisture Content (%): 42.9

Plastic Index: 41



Soil Preparation Method: Dry Sieved

Soil History: Oven Dried

Soil Condition: NA



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SOIL CLASSIFICATION REPORT

Client:	Environmental Investigations	Source:	BH3 - 3 - 1.5-1.95m
Address:	PO Box 215 St Peters, NSW, 2044	Sample Description:	silty CLAY
Project:	75 Mary Street, St Peters (E22317)	Report No:	S1185-PI
Job No:	14-655	Lab No:	S1185

Test Procedure:	☒ AS1289 2.1.1 Soil moisture content tests (Oven drying method)
	☐ AS1289 3.1.1 Soil classification tests - Determination of the liquid limit of a soil - Four point casagrande method
	☒ AS1289 3.1.2 Soil classification tests - Determination of the liquid limit if a soil - One point Casagrande method (subsidiary method)
	☒ AS1289 3.2.1 Soil classification tests - Determination of the plastic limit of a soil - Standard method
	☒ AS1289 3.3.1 Soil classification tests - Calculation of the plasticity index of a soil
	☐ AS1289 3.4.1 Soil classification tests - Determination of the linear shrinkage of a soil - Standard method

Sampling:	Sampled by Client	Date Sampled:	24.09.14
Preparation:	Prepared in accordance with the test method		

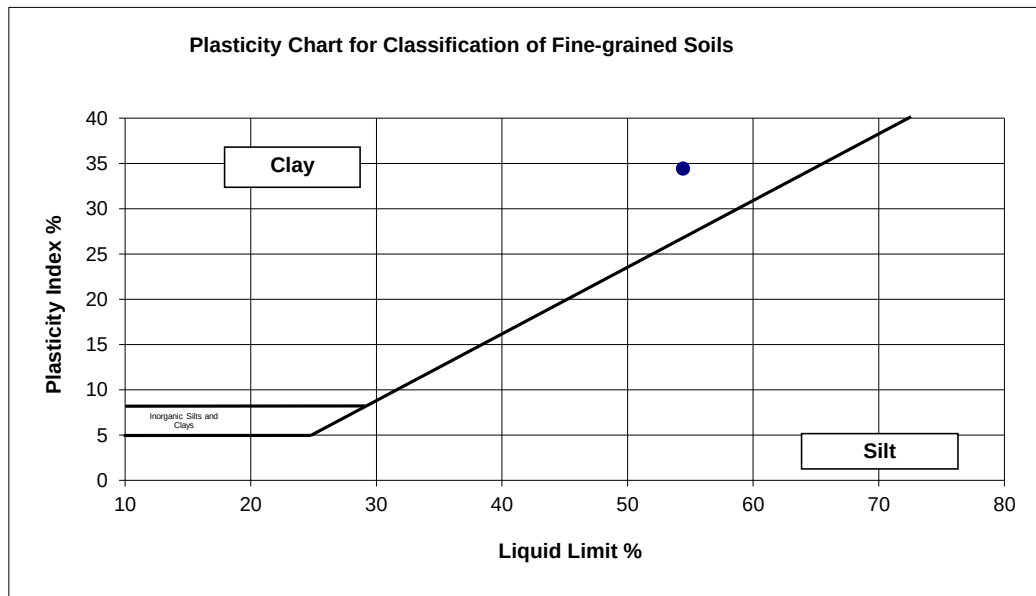
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Linear Shrinkage (%): -

Plastic Limit (%): 20

Field Moisture Content (%): 18.3

Plastic Index: 34



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SOIL CLASSIFICATION REPORT

Client:	Environmental Investigations	Source:	BH4 - 2 - 0.5-0.95m
Address:	PO Box 215 St Peters, NSW, 2044	Sample Description:	silty CLAY
Project:	75 Mary Street, St Peters (E22317)	Report No:	S1186-PI
Job No:	14-655	Lab No:	S1186

Test Procedure:	☒ AS1289 2.1.1 Soil moisture content tests (Oven drying method)
	☐ AS1289 3.1.1 Soil classification tests - Determination of the liquid limit of a soil - Four point casagrande method
	☒ AS1289 3.1.2 Soil classification tests - Determination of the liquid limit if a soil - One point Casagrande method (subsidiary method)
	☒ AS1289 3.2.1 Soil classification tests - Determination of the plastic limit of a soil - Standard method
	☒ AS1289 3.3.1 Soil classification tests - Calculation of the plasticity index of a soil
	☐ AS1289 3.4.1 Soil classification tests - Determination of the linear shrinkage of a soil - Standard method

Sampling:	Sampled by Client	Date Sampled:	24.09.14
Preparation:	Prepared in accordance with the test method		

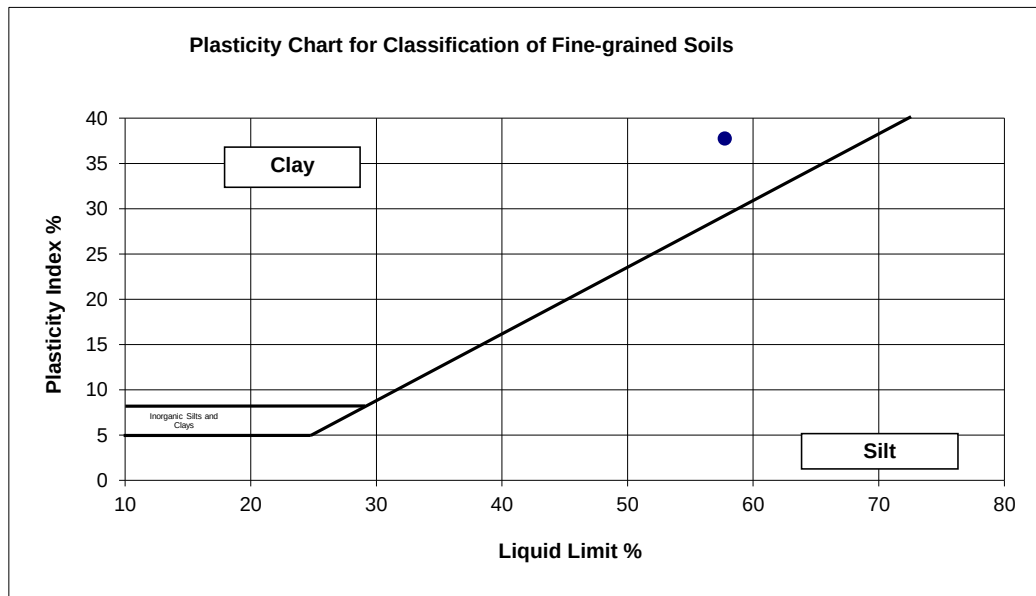
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Linear Shrinkage (%): -

Plastic Limit (%): 20

Field Moisture Content (%): 35.4

Plastic Index: 38



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SOIL CLASSIFICATION REPORT

Client:	Environmental Investigations	Source:	BH5 - 4 - 1.5-1.95m
Address:	PO Box 215 St Peters, NSW, 2044	Sample Description:	silty CLAY
Project:	75 Mary Street, St Peters (E22317)	Report No:	S1187-PI
Job No:	14-655	Lab No:	S1187

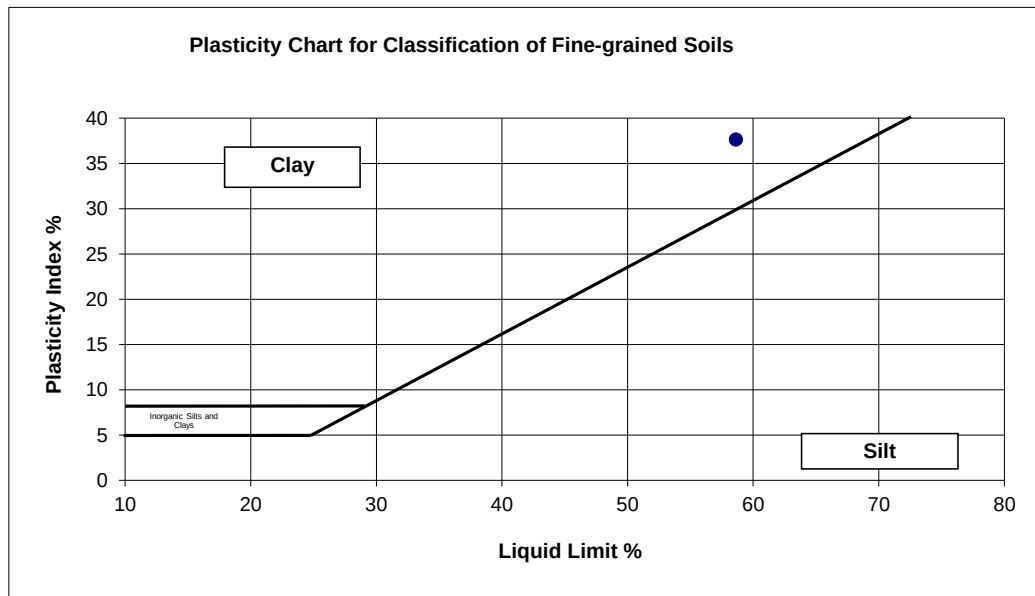
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Sampling:	Sampled by Client	Date Sampled:	24.09.14
Preparation:	Prepared in accordance with the test method		

Liquid Limit (%):
Linear Shrinkage (%):

Plastic Limit (%):
Field Moisture Content (%):

Plastic Index:



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APPENDIX C

IMPORTANT INFORMATION



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