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Dear Ms Davis

Requesting Gateway Determination for a Planning Proposal intending amendments to Kiama LEP 2011 for Lot 208 DP 792192 O'Connell Place, Gerringong, NSW 2533

Enclosed is a Planning Proposal document prepared by Kiama Municipal Council for Lot 208 DP 792192 for initial Gateway determination.

This Planning Proposal seeks to re-classify the subject lot from Community Land to Operational Land.

Council endorsed the preparation of a Planning Proposal at it Ordinary meeting on 17 November 2015, where the following recommendation was endorsed:

Item 13.2 Leasing agreement Housing Trust

Committee Recommendation that Council commence the process to reclassify Lot 208 DP 792192 as operational land under the Local Government Act 1993 in order to maximize options for the long term use of the property for social housing purposes and that an independent consultant be appointed to facilitate this reclassification process.

It is noted that the PP does not address Section 117 Direction 5.10 Implementation of Regional Plans, however it is considered that due to the minor nature of the PP it does not contradict the objectives and actions of the Illawarra-Shoalhaven Regional Plan.

Supporting Information

The following information accompanies this letter:

- 1. The Planning Proposal prepared on behalf of Council by MMJ Wollongong dated November 2016;
- 2. The DoPE Attachment 1 *Information Checklist* prepared by Kiama Municipal Council.

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- 3. The DoPI Evaluation criteria for the delegation of plan making functions prepared by Kiama Municipal Council.
- 4. A copy of the Council resolution endorsing the preparation of the planning proposal to re-classify the subject land dated 17 March 2015.

Council requests delegations for this Planning Proposal and that the Department provides a gateway consideration of this Planning Proposal at its earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully

Mark Lyndon

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