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ABORIGINAL CULTURAL HERITAGE ASSESSMENT REPORT

DATE	PROPERTY OWNER/ DEVELOPER/CONSULTANT	CONTACT DETAILS
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SITE LOCATION:	1022 Crescent Head Road, Crescent Head
SITework DATES:	14/9/2021
SITE OFFICERS:	KLALC Senior Sites Officer Kevin Smith
PROPOSED PROJECT DEVELOPMENT:	Residential Subdivision
DESKTOP ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESEARCH & ABORIGINAL HERITAGE INFO. MANAGEMENT SYS. (AHIMS) DATA:	Research and AHIMS records indicate Nil Aboriginal places and sites located in vicinity. Other sites are unrecorded.
COMMUNITY CONSULTATIONS:	Historically known, Dunghutti people gathered for ceremonial and significant events along coastal Crescent Head. A significant stone arrangement located south of the proposed development site and isolated stone flakes detected around Maria River area.
SENIOR SITES OFFICER SURVEY RESULTS:	A Cultural Heritage Impact survey was conducted on proposed two (2) lot subdivision of DP 818185 Crescent Head Road. The Lot 2 survey was limited due to the amount of grass covering most of the proposed lot with some exposed soil visible. Surveyed area showed a Nil find result. Located on Eastern side of proposed lot detected a River rock. Uncertain of cultural value of River rock as there is no indication of other cultural materials in survey area. Possibly dumped by unknown person. Survey Result: No evidence of Aboriginal Cultural activity in surveyed area.
RECOMMENDATION:	All work is to cease immediately on detection of Aboriginal artefacts. In the event of Skeletal Remains detection, NSW Police is to be immediately notified. Kempsey LALC & NPWS will manage the Artefacts as per mutual agreement. Follow up Survey not required.