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Attn: Emma Viljoen
Savills Australia

Dear Ms Viljoen

LINDFIELD LEARNING VILLAGE – FLOOD EMERGENCY RESPONSE

Thank you for your letter dated 12.12.2018 seeking comment from the Lindfield Learning Village – Flood Emergency Response.

The NSW SES is the agency responsible for dealing with floods, storms and tsunami in NSW. This role includes, planning for, responding to and coordinating the initial recovery from floods. As such, the SES has an interest in the public safety aspects of the development of flood prone land, in particular, the potential for changes to land use to either exacerbate existing flood risk or create new flood risk for communities in NSW. With limited resources the priority for the NSW SES is to deal with risk for existing communities. The Service would like to provide comment on this matter, however it may not be able to be provided by the required date.

Thankyou for the opportunity to comment and if you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact me on (02) 4251 6665.

Yours sincerely

Marcus Morgan
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