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Dear Ms Pollard

**Re: Access requirements for Power and Water Corporation's 19 Mile Depot**

There have been many discussions between staff at the Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics (DIPL) and Power and Water Corporation on the optimal access arrangements for 19 Mile Depot. The purpose of this letter is to provide our view on the upgrades that are required to ensure safe access to the site.

We note that the temporary approval for access to 19 Mile Depot has expired. We have received your report from August 2018 which includes new traffic information. We provided informal comments on this report in September 2018.

Based on our analysis of the site, we remain of the view that access to the site is required to be improved for safety reasons. We advise that an intersection upgrade is required to access the depot as the existing deceleration lane is less than the requirement for the designated speed. We consider access requires a deceleration lane of approximately 120m. We also note that the proposed treatment will need to be subject to an independent Road Safety Audit.

We look forward to discussing these issues in more detail. If you have any questions, please contact Mr Bruce Michael Executive Director, Transport Planning on 8946 5131 or [bruce.michael@nt.gov.au](mailto:bruce.michael@nt.gov.au).

Yours sincerely,



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