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Mr Carl Cowie
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Dear Mr Cowie

PROPOSED NILLUMBİK PLANNING SCHEME AMENDMENT C131NILL

I refer to your council's application for authorisation to prepare an amendment to the Nillumbik Planning Scheme. The amendment proposes to modify the schedule to the Green Wedge Zone and the Rural Conservation Zone (Schedules 1 – 5) by inserting a permit trigger for earthworks which involve the receipt, importation, stockpiling or placement of more than 100 cubic metres of fill to all land.

Under delegation from the Minister for Planning, in accordance with section 8A of the *Planning and Environment Act 1987* I am advising your council that the application requires further review.

We are actively working on this authorisation request. A decision on the authorisation application will be made as soon as possible following further review.

If you have any further queries in relation to this matter, please contact Donnie Lussier, Senior Planner, Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning by email donnie.lussier@delwp.vic.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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