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General Manager Pittwater Council PO Box 882 Mona Vale NSW 1660

GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING ADDENDUM_3

Re: Alterations & Additions @ "Kumale" 949 Barrenjoey Rd, Palm Beach, NSW 2108

1. Introduction

The purpose of this geotechnical addendum is to:

Support proposed alteration and addition at the above address to comply with Pittwater Council condition/s for DA Application Issue,

a. New garage as depicted on Figures 1 and 2,

The components shown in drawings as per WM Wood / Marsh Architecture Pty Ltd project #306 at the address as above shown have been checked and analysed by VDM Consulting Engineers Pty Ltd (VDM) in geotechnical terms to ensure that the new changes do not cause lines of failure which in turn would cause a land slip / land slide.

The proposed Garage will partially cover the existing sandstone retaining wall. This wall encompass two components,

- a) Sandstone façade which is a feature only and is not a structural element and
- b) Hidden behind it there is a reinforced concrete block wall which in turn has been anchored to the rock ledge.

Note: VDM has structural engineering details of the design and construction of the wall.

2. Conclusion

The changes to confirm are; that there are no changes or list of changes to the original Geotechnical Report submitted with DA175/12 as described above and will not affect the geology of the site. Nor there is a need to alter previous geotechnical assessments and reports. The site has been progressively geotechnical assessed during the construction process up-to-date.

However, in the event that retaining wall is considered to be a structural element to support the garage a rigorous structural engineering analysis will need to be perform. The analysis results will also need to be approved by the Geotechnical Engineer

This certificate shall not construe as relieving any other party of their responsibilities, liabilities or contractual obligations.

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3.	References			Л
a)	Architectural Projects Pty Ltd – September 2013	Χł	-4!	M
b)	Assessment of retaining walls @ "Kumale" – 949 Barrenjoey Rd., Palm Beach,	VDM	1, 200	08
c)	Assessment of Cliff Faces @ "Kumale" – 949 Barrenjoey Rd., Palm Beach, VD	ом, 20)08,	
d)	Geotechnical Assessment – PROPOSED ADDITIONS & ALTERATIONS @	'KUM	IALF	<u>.</u> "
	949 BARRENJOEY RD, PALM BEACH, NSW 2108 - VDM 2008			
e)	Assessment of Retaining Walls @ "Kumale", a report by VDM, May 2008,			
f)	Assessment of Cliff Stability @ "Kumale", a report by VDM May 2008			
g)	Architectural Drawings (including plans and sections), Di Qual Studio, Novemb	oer 20	07	
h)	Geotechnical Assessment – "Geotechnical Assessment, Proposed Alterations, K	Cumal	e", a	
	report by Douglas Partners, 2004,			
i)	Geotechnical Engineering Addendum_2 – report by VDM, October 2013			
CERTI	FICATION			
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