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**Sent:** 14/12/2023 11:15:21 AM  
**Subject:** DA2023/0577 - 1168 Barrenjoey Road PALM BEACH

Attn: Alex Keller

Dear Alex,

**Development Application No. DA2023/0577**

**Description: Demolition works and construction of a dwelling house including swimming pool**

**Address: 1168 Barrenjoey Road PALM BEACH**

Reference is made to the proposed development at the above area and Aboriginal heritage.

A site inspection was completed by the Aboriginal Heritage Office on 12 December 2023. Visibility was very low to nil.

There are known Aboriginal sites in the area. No sites are recorded in the current development area, however, the area of the proposed development is identified as having high potential for unrecorded Aboriginal sites. As a condition of consent the Aboriginal Heritage Office recommends a subsequent site inspection after the area of proposed development area has been cleared.

During clearing care must be taken to avoid any permanent damage such as gouging, grooving or scratching.

Under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974 (NPW Act) all Aboriginal objects are protected. Should any Aboriginal Cultural Heritage items be uncovered during earthworks, works should cease in the area and the Aboriginal Heritage Office assess the finds. Under Section 89a of the NPW Act should the objects be found to be Aboriginal, Heritage NSW and the Metropolitan Local Aboriginal Land Council (MLALC) should be contacted.

Kind regards

**Susan Whitby MCISc PLV**

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I acknowledge and pay my respects to the traditional owners and ancestors of the lands in which the AHO work across.