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Dear Mr Brown,

I refer to your email to the Hon Carl Scully MP, Minister for Utilities, regarding the provision of recycled water to the St Mary's ADI development. The Minister has asked me to reply on his behalf.

I am advised that the situation concerning the provision of recycled water to the St Mary's site is the same as previously communicated to you by the Hon Frank Sartor MP, the former Minister for Energy and Utilities.

Following your previous letter, Sydney Water has continued in its negotiations with the developer of the St Mary's ADI site (Lend Lease). These negotiations continue to progress on a cooperative basis. The focus of the negotiations has been on funding and procurement arrangements as well as the timing and location of recycled water treatment and delivery infrastructure. Sydney Water has confirmed that Lend Lease would be responsible for constructing and funding the proposed recycled water scheme for the St Mary's site. Overall scheme costs are not available at this point.

The timing of recycled water availability is dependant on the scheduling of the Lend Lease development and ongoing negotiations between Sydney Water and Lend Lease.

Thank you for bringing this matter to my attention.

Yours sincerely,

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Parliamentary Secretary for Utilities