



NEW SOUTH WALES

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Dear Mr Brown

I refer to your correspondence to the Hon Frank Sartor MP, Minister for Planning, asking the Minister to rezone an additional 300 hectares of land for Regional Park on the former ADI site at St Marys. The Minister has asked me to respond on his behalf, and extend his apologies for being unable to meet with you at this time, given his Ministerial commitments.

The Minister has noted the concerns you have raised in your letter. The Department of Planning is undertaking the process of amending the Sydney Regional Environmental Plan 30 (SREP) - St Marys to include an additional 270 hectares of land to be rezoned for Regional Park, to reflect the Commonwealth decision to conserve all of the land listed on the Register of the National Estate.

The draft SREP was on exhibition from 23 November to 21 December 2005. The Department is currently considering the issues raised in the submissions received, before reporting to the Minister on the draft plan.

Should you have any further enquiries about this matter, I have arranged for Mr Andrew Watson, Regional Director, Sydney West, of the Department of Planning, to assist you. He can be contacted on 9895 7709.

Yours sincerely

**Ross Neilson**  
**Chief of Staff**