

BUSHFIRE HAZARD ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT PLAN Borallon Correctional Centre – Dog Squad Redevelopment

CLIENT: DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND ATTORNEY-GENERAL

The Department of Justice and Attorney-General proposed the redevelopment of the Dog Squad Facility at Borallon Correctional Centre as part of prison wide upgrades. Due to the dense vegetation surrounding the existing facility and the rural setting of the prison, potential bushfire risk was identified.

Under the Consolidated Ipswich Planning Scheme Bushfire Overlay, the entire site was mapped as a Bushfire Risk Area. The Single State Planning Policy (SPP) Bushfire Overlay map generally concurred with the ICC Overlay showing the entire site apart from a small portion on the central northern boundary as Medium Potential Intensity. The SPP also identified an area of High Potential Intensity at the frontage of the Borallon Correctional Centre lot

Accordingly, S5 Environmental completed the Bushfire Assessment for the site and developed a site specific Bushfire Management Plan to be integrated into the overarching Prison Safety and Evacuation Procedures. The Assessment included a risk assessment and a Bushfire Attack Level Assessment and developed realistic management strategies to mitigate the potential risk. A site specific Bushfire Management Plan was developed to address the assessed risk in the rural setting.

PROJECT OVERVIEW PROJECT

Borralon Correctional
Centre – Dog Squad
Redevelopment
SERVICES
Bushfire Assessment &
Management Plan
COMPLETION DATE
July 2015