

Executive Summary

Landscape and visual monitoring and site audits were carried on 6th and 20th September 2006. Vegetation clearance and site formation is being carried out at present. The Contractor shall take measures to improve the condition of damaged trees described in this report.

Environmental Site Auditing

The landscape and visual monitoring and site audits were carried out on 6th and 20th September 2006. During the site audit, site formation, vegetation clearance works and building construction were being carried out.

Damaged trees next to administration building were still unprotected after being damaged by the adjacent construction activities.

Tree T1014 was transplanted in this month and is in fair condition. All other transplanted trees were in fair condition. Mal-pruning of transplanted trees has not been rectified. Construction material was stockpiled within tree protection zones. A statement on the cause of death of tree T925 recorded in the last report was still outstanding.

Recommendations and Conclusion

Regarding the retained trees, the Contractor shall take the following measures:

- Carry out surgery to damaged trees;
- Report the cause of death of tree T925; and
- Maintain the tree protection zone required and remove all construction material / debris from the tree protection zone.

The Contractor shall rectify the mal-pruning practice of the transplanted trees. Bulk hydroseeding works shall continue when practical.