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Dear Grant,

I am writing to you to confirm that the species selected for the landscaping of the proposed Black Bear Lodge Redevelopment at Kosciuszko Thredbo Alpine Resort are current and valid. I am a professional horticulturist with a Master of Applied Science in horticulture from Melbourne University. I have specialist skills in high altitude ecosystems and have worked in the Australian Alps for over 30 years in land rehabilitation and landscaping of subalpine and alpine areas. My website is: alpinflora.com and can provide you with more details as to the validity of my qualifications and the basis for the plant selection for the Black Bear site.

To ensure the success of the landscaping for the Black Bear site redevelopment I highly recommend that the site only be planted in the late spring or early autumn as this will help guarantee the success of the landscaping works. Given the high numbers of grazing animals (deer, rabbits, hares, wallabies and wombats) around Thredbo, I also recommend that temporary tree guards are included to protect the planting areas from unwanted grazing animals.

Yours sincerely

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