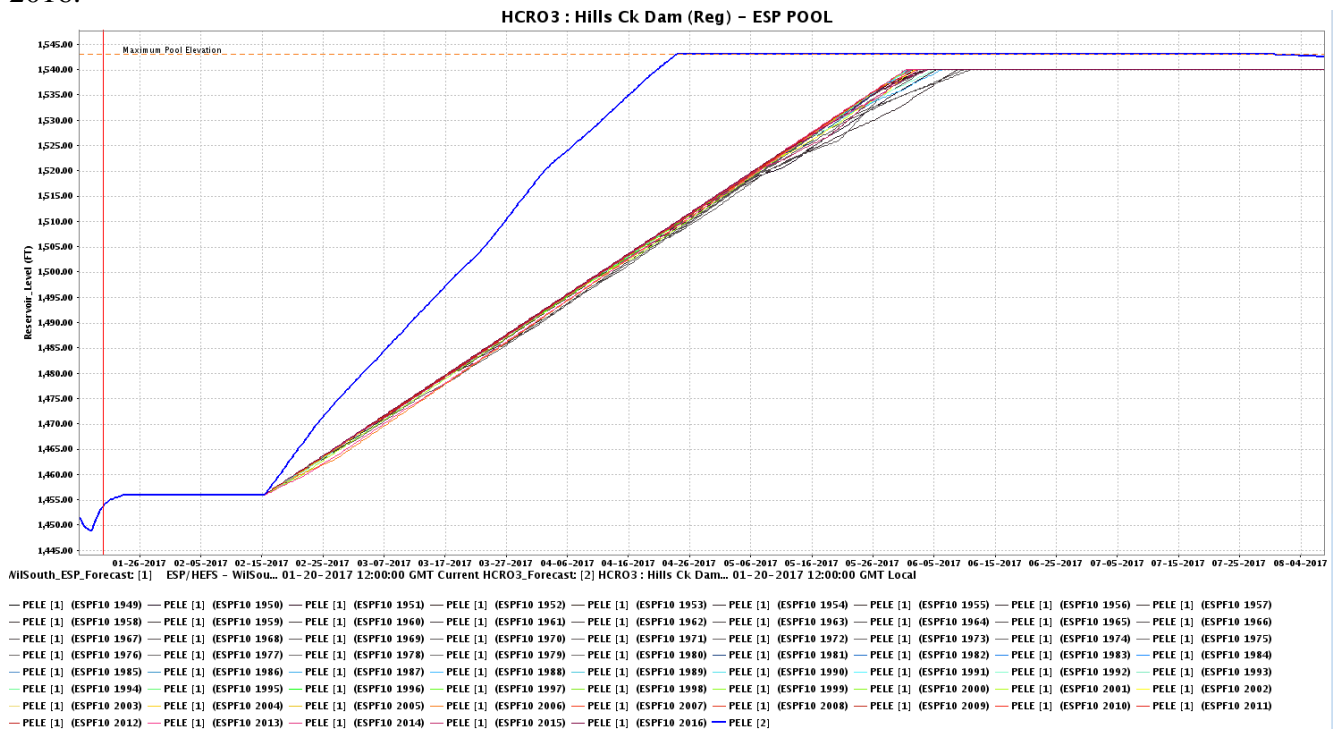


## MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

**TITLE** – 17HCR01 Hills Creek Delayed Refill**COORDINATION DATE** – 27 January 2017**PROJECT** – Hills Creek Dam**RESPONSE DATE** – 10 February 2017**Description of the problem**

Field investigation work was performed as part of a dam safety evaluation from November into mid-January at Hills Creek Dam. Additional geotechnical dam safety work requires refill to be delayed until mid-February that would typically begin February 1. An analysis of refill indicates a high probability of filling Hills Creek Reservoir with this delay.

Table 1. Hills Creek reservoir refill outlook modeling results utilizing data from 1949-2016.

**Dates of impacts/repairs**

February 1-15, 2017

**Expected impacts on fish**

Minimal impacts to fish

**Comments from agencies**

NA

**Final results**

Work to be completed by February 6, 2017 and refill of reservoir to resume.

Please email or call with questions or concerns.

Thank you,

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