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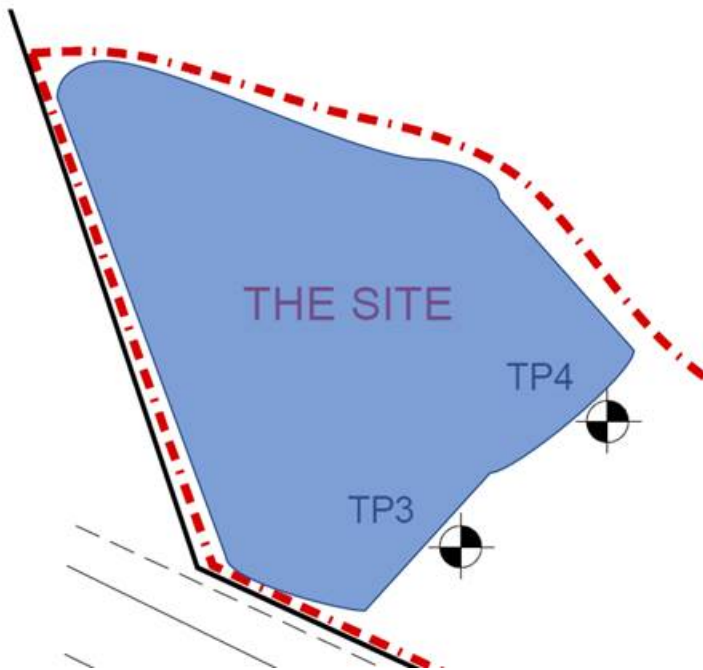
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Hi James

Thanks for sending over the results.

The sampled soils appear to be largely uncontaminated.

However, the coverage of the filled area is not sufficient to conclude it is representative of the site. See map below. The shaded part of the site has not been investigated.. Do you know why this would be? There is context to the samples and no indication of the depth of the imported materials over the natural soils



Another issue is that amosite (brown asbestos) has been picked up as loose fibres. Although the concentration is below the threshold for hazardous waste, asbestos as free fibre can be eroded and entrained with surface dusts so its presence is a concern. It may also be an indicator of more unidentified asbestos contamination at the site.

In short the information is not sufficient to make any definitive judgement about the quality of imported soils.

Happy to discuss if you would like further information or advice.

regards

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