

Mr Doug Parris Program Director Western Harbour Tunnel and Beaches Link Transport for NSW 101 Miller Street North Sydney NSW 2060

11/03/2021

Dear Mr Parris

Beaches Link and Gore Hill Freeway Connection (SSI-8862) Response to Submissions

The exhibition of the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the above proposal ended on March 2021. All submissions received by the Department during the exhibition of the proposal are available on the Department's website at

https://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/project/10456

Please note that a submission from DPIE Water is pending and will be submitted to you upon receipt.

The Department requires that you provide a Response to Submissions report that addresses the issues identified in the submissions from members of the public, interest groups and government agencies. The Department strongly encourages you to consult with these government agencies during the preparation of the Response to Submissions.

Should components of the proposal be amended to improve the design of the project, respond to issues raised in submissions or reduce the impacts of the project, Transport for NSW must outline these changes to the project in an Amendment Report with any amended SSI application. The Department may exhibit and seek public comments on the Amendment Report.

If you have any questions, please contact Belinda Scott, who can be contacted on 8217 2080 or at belinda.scott@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

Glenn Snow Director

Transport Assessments

as delegate for the Planning Secretary