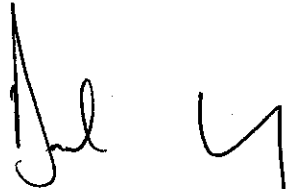


Modification of Minister's Approval

Section 75W of the *Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979*

As delegate of the Minister for Planning under delegation executed on 25 January 2010, I approve the modification of the project application referred to in Schedule 1, subject to the conditions in Schedule 2.



Director
Infrastructure Projects

Sydney 23 MARCH 2011

SCHEDULE 1

Project Approval:

MP 05_0089 granted by the Minister for Planning on 21 December 2006.

For the following:

Southern Sydney Freight Line

Modification:

MP 05_0089 MOD 5: To provide an alternative to offset plantings as required by condition 60(c)(ii), in the form of landscape enhancement measures and related revisions.

SCHEDULE 2

The approval is modified as follows:

1. replacing existing condition 1(g) with the following:

- g) the modification request dated 14 January 2011 and associated application dated 20 January 2011; and
- h) the conditions of this approval.

These CoA prevail in the event of any inconsistency with the requirements for the Construction and Operation of the Project arising out of the documents described in (a) to (g) above.

2. Adding the following to Abbreviations:

DECCW	Department of Environment, Climate Change and Water (including functions of the Environment Protection Authority and the National Parks and Wildlife Service)
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3. Deleting the following from Abbreviations:

DEC	Department of Environment and Conservation (including functions of the Environment Protection Authority and the National Parks and Wildlife Service)
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4. Adding the following to Definitions:

enhancement measures	On-ground works to improve the long term sustainability and ecological condition of existing endangered ecological communities by way of ongoing bushland rehabilitation, including, but not limited to, weed and pest animal control, additional planting, hydrological augmentation and reduced nutrient infiltration.
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5. replacing all references to DEC with DECCW.

6. replacing condition 60(c) (ii) with a new condition 60 (c) (ii), as follows:

(c) (ii) provision of plantings or enhancement measures to offset an equivalent area of all EEC cleared, in consultation with DECCW or Council, as relevant.

7. replacing condition 60 (e) with a new condition 60 (e), as follows:

(e) Performance and completion criteria for the management measures implemented as part of the BMSP (particularly the offset plantings or enhancement measures) and a program for reviewing and monitoring the effectiveness of the implemented management measures against these performance and completion criteria. Management methods will be reviewed where found to be ineffective.
