

# Request to the Independent Planning Commission Vickery Extension Project

Section 2.9 (1) (d) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*

I, the Minister for Planning, request the Independent Planning Commission to:

1. Conduct a public hearing into the carrying out of the Vickery Extension Project as soon as practicable after the public exhibition of the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the project.
2. Consider the following information:
  - a. EIS for the project;
  - b. submissions on the project;
  - c. any relevant expert advice; and
  - d. any other relevant information.
3. Publish a report to the Department of Planning and Environment within 12 weeks of the submissions being published on the Department's website, unless otherwise agreed with the Planning Secretary, that:
  - a. sets out the actions taken by the Commission in conducting this initial stage of the public hearing;
  - b. summarises the submissions made during the public exhibition of the EIS and any other relevant information provided to the Commission during this stage of the public hearing; and
  - c. identifies the key issues requiring detailed consideration by the Department of Planning and Environment in evaluating the merits of the project under section 4.6 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*.



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Minister for Planning