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New Public School – Tallawong (SSD-51046975)
Timing to Vary Infrastructure Delivery, Condition D18

Dear Thu,

I refer to your letter dated 7 April 2026 with accompanying documents requesting the Planning Secretary to vary timing of infrastructure delivery post school operations in accordance with Condition D18 of SSD-51046975 (as modified). I acknowledge and thank you for your response to the Department's review comments, and request for further information (RFI).

I note that the request:

- was reviewed by the Applicant, and no issues were raised to the Department
- anticipates a completion date of the required road and public domain upgrade works by 25 January 2027
- includes final, stamped interim pedestrian and transport infrastructure design plans approved by Blacktown City Council under Section 138 of the Roads Act 1993, which are reflected in the School Transport Plan (STP)
- contains evidence demonstrating that TfNSW considers the interim arrangements are acceptable on a temporary basis, and
- was accompanied by a Road Safety Audit (RSA) which evaluated the hazards relating to interim road arrangements.

Accordingly, as nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the request to vary timing of infrastructure delivery to 25 January 2027, in accordance with Condition D18 of SSD-51046975. This approval is subject to the Applicant:

1. implementing the outcomes of the RSA
2. incorporating the outcomes of the RSA into the STP
3. implementing an approved STP during operation of the school, and
4. providing monthly written updates to the Department regarding the performance of the interim road arrangements, including:
 - a. any incidents or near misses (i.e., vehicle pedestrian collisions)
 - b. any proposed changes to road safety measures, and
 - c. progress of the final implementation of road and public domain upgrades.

You are reminded that if there are any inconsistencies between the submitted documents and the conditions of consent, the conditions will prevail.

Please ensure you make the submitted package of documents to vary timing of infrastructure delivery works for public access on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Shiraz Ahmed who can be contacted at shiraz.ahmed@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,



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As nominee of the Planning Secretary