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Introduction

This Construction Management Plan (CMP) has been prepared in response to the Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements (SEAR's) key issues. It is part of the submission for 4-18 Doncaster Avenue, Kensington development to be submitted to the NSW Department of Planning and Environment.

The CMP will provide a summary of the works, what it entails and the proposed methodology on how the works will be constructed whilst minimising the impacts of construction activities on:

- Neighbours.
- Nearby residents.
- . Adjoining Sydney Light Rail maintenance facility.
- Users of public footpaths and roads.
- Parking near the site.
- . Surrounding streets used to access the site.

1.0 Project Overview

A Location Plan is shown in the following Figure 1.

The proposed student accommodation development comprises of basement level parking, ground floor common / management areas, and three levels of accommodation.

The proposed development is located within the suburb of Kensington located approximately five kilometres South of the Sydney's CBD. The existing site is surrounded by Doncaster Avenue to the West, Allison Road to the North, and existing residential development to the South. Bounding the site to the East is the recently constructed Sydney Light Rail Maintenance Facility and further this, Royal Randwick Racecourse.



Figure 1 – Location Plan

A Site Plan is provided which provides an appreciation of the site in the context of neighbouring properties and surrounding streets.

1.1 Project Brief

- The scope of the project can be broken down as follows:
- Protection of existing heritage building
- Demolition of existing dwellings
- Excavation of the new basement car park
- Construction of the new student accommodation
- External works



Figure 2 – Site Plan

2.0 Project Program & Milestones

At the time of this report the proposed start date of the project is mid 2019 (subject to statutory approvals and financing).

The overall duration of the project is expected to take a minimum 15 months.

Project completion August 2020 (estimated 15 months from construction commencement)

3.0 Site Establishment & Project Scope

Site Establishment

Site Establishment Plan to be developed prior to construction commencement.

3.1 Dilapidation Report

Dilapidation reports of the surrounding buildings, infrastructure and roads will be completed prior to construction and issued to the relevant parties.

The report will include photographs and site plans with location reference for ease of use. This report will form the basis for comparison with the dilapidation report that will be prepared after all construction works are completed.

3.2 Signage

Signage specifying any safety, security measures and key contact details shall be erected on the perimeter of the building site (i.e. attached to the fence or hoarding).

A 24-hour contact name and phone number shall be provided.

3.3 Site working Hours

The proposed work hours provide the greatest opportunity for the most efficient construction program as well as mitigating traffic impacts. The preferred working hours of the site are:

- Monday to Friday 7:00am to 5:00pm (TBC in approval conditions)
- Saturday 8:00am to 5:00pm (TBC in approval conditions)
- No work Sundays or Public Holidays (TBC in approval conditions)

The majority of the site activities / site personnel will work during the hours of 7am to 3:30pm (subject to approvals). The majority of the site activities / site personnel will work during the hours of 7am to 3:30pm (subject to approvals). From 3:30-5:00pm (Monday to Friday) the site activities generally reduce with fewer site personnel working overtime.

Rock excavators, jack hammers & pile drivers are site activities that may need to start later considering after consideration of the potential noise / vibration impacts on neighbours.

Regular communication with neighbours will occur prior to these activities occurring.

3.4 Stakeholder Management

The Contractor will maintain an open line of communication to stakeholders, including local neighbours & relevant authorities to address any issues and concerns if they arise.

3.5 Parking

The site is reasonable well served by public transport. Contractors will be encouraged to use public transport where possible. Site personnel when inducted to the site will be informed of this requirement, including details of available services.

The structure for the new carpark being constructed will be completed prior to the student accommodation areas and it is intended that the carpark can be utilised on a temporary basis for site carparking and site amenities.

3.6 Site Fencing, Hoardings & Security

The site will be appropriately secured by solid fences (chain wire or similar), hoardings and gates during the entire duration of the construction works. Gates will be installed to control access to the site.

Hoardings, gates and fences will be suitably lined to limit public viewing and ensure safe pedestrian flow. Attention will be paid to the effect of hoardings on pedestrian travel paths.

3.7 Site Amenities

Site amenities and facilities will be provided for workers and personnel including offices, toilets, lunch rooms, first aid rooms and change rooms. The location of the site facilities will be established prior to construction commencement and may vary as construction progresses.

3.8 Site Inductions

All site personnel will be site inducted prior to commencing work on site. The site inductions will be specific to Growthbuilt safety protocols including site specific requirements including:

- Site safety
- Site access, site amenities & site procedures
- Deliveries & parking
- Neighbour requirements including; dust, vibration & noise controls.

Head contractor policies & procedures

The head contractor and all sub-contractors must induct their employees into their safe work procedures. Induction register & copies of site SWMS will be available on site when required.

3.9 Hazardous Materials

For works that require hazardous and flammable products, storage shall be provided on site. The storage area shall be properly stored in secure areas located away from emergency exits, amenities, neighbouring properties & stormwater pits.

Storage and handling of materials shall be in accordance with Material Safety Data Sheets, the Occupational Health & Safety Act 2011 and the Occupational Health and Safety Regulations 2011.

Procedures will be implemented to control chemical storage and clean up and any spills if they were to occur.

3.10 Safety Inspections

An OH&S meeting will be held on a regular basis on site. This meeting will be conducted as per head contractor's OHS procedures.

An OH&S information board will be erected and a copy of the OH&S policy will be prominently displayed on the board. Safety inspections will also be displayed.

Sub-contractors will be required to submit an OH&S Plan / SWMS to the Contractor for review prior to commencement as per GrowthBuilt's policy & procedures. The sub-contractor is to incorporate and feedback from the Contractor and Superintendent into the OH&S Plan.

3.11 First Aid Facilities

First Aid facilities are to be provided and maintained as per OH&S legislative requirements. GowthBuilt and all subcontractors shall provide the name of a designated First Aid Officer to the Superintendent. There must always be at least one qualified first aider on site whenever any works are taking place.

3.12 Approved Plans to be on Site

A copy of the approved plans and certified plans, specifications and documents incorporating conditions of approval and certification shall be kept on site at all times.

3.13 Public Domain

All existing footpaths and bicycle paths adjacent to the site will be kept unobstructed from tripping hazards from hoarding or fences.

It is understood that the proposed cycleway from Kingsford to Centennial Park will include the installation of a bicycle lane adjacent to the development, along the eastern side of Doncaster Avenue. Exact dates and durations of the works are not available at this time as the project in still undergoing consideration and consultation, however should this take place during construction of the development, coordination with the Randwick City Council and appropriate traffic management will be required to safety accommodate the works and cyclists once the cycleway is complete. This may involve diversion, traffic control and temporary works to accommodate this infrastructure project.

All services extending over footpaths will be covered and fitted with a ramp to facilitate safe pedestrian access including access for persons with disabilities.

3.14 SiteAppearance

Materials stored on site shall be adequately secured, organised and stacked to prevent unnecessary and unsightly disposal of materials around the site and public areas.

Trucks leaving the site shall be cleaned to ensure soil, mud and other site debris is prevented from spilling onto adjoining roads and footpaths.

All loads shall be covered to prevent the accidental spilling of materials on roadways.

3.15 Environmental Controls – sediment controls, tree protection & dust control

Sediment and Erosion Controls: All sediment controls will be installed prior to works commencing. Maintenance of these controls will occur throughout the project duration.

These controls include the installation of silt control fabric at the low points of the site, at stormwater pit lids.

The sites is prone to some overland flow and flooding, as well as having a water table at approximately 2 metres in depth. Temporary dewatering will be required, particularly during the early works and bulk excavation following periods of prolonged and heavy rainfall when the groundwater table may temporarily rise. The dewatering and excavation methodology is detailed in the current geotechnical report and will likely include a series of spears pumping water into sedimentation tanks before it is discharged from site

Tree protection: Refer to Appendix A for the architectural plans indicating trees to be maintained and protected throughout the project duration. An arborist will be engaged to assess the health and protection of the retained trees throughout construction in accordance with the approved arborist report.

Dust Control: Where appropriate adequate dust control measures will be in place to control wind driven dust. This will

3.16 Site Access

Site construction access will be via Doncaster Ave.

3.17 Existing services infrastructure

Existing authority services infrastructure surrounding the site will be surveyed for position and depth. This will allow conformation of their location to avoid accidental disruptions to the neighbouring properties and limit the risk of exposure to live services.

A dial before you dig report has already been completed and will be updated prior to commencement of construction.

Project Scope

3.18 Heritage

Appendix A shows the heritage building in the middle of the site that needs to be protected. As part of this process geotechnical and structure engineers to determine specific requirements and the appropriate measures will be implemented to protect the heritage building during demolition, excavation an construction.

3.19 Demolition

Regular consultation will be employed during the demolition works to notify neighbours of any noisy and / or otherwise disruptive works which will likely impact amenity.

The demolition will be carried out be a specialist demolition subcontractor using a combination of machinery selected to suit the site conditions. The works will remove any hazardous materials as per authority guidelines.

The demolition contractor will identify existing materials to be recycled or separated eg. Bricks, timber, and similar materials suitable for re-use. These materials will be removed from the site accordingly.

The duration to undertake the demolition works is anticipated to take approximately 3 weeks. It is anticipated that there would be up to 8-10 truck movements perday.

All relevant signage, scaffolding and dust control measures will be put in place.

3.20 Excavation

Bulk excavation for works will be completed using large excavators and excess spoil transported off site. Access for the bulk excavation will be via Doncaster Ave. In total approximately 7,500m3 spoil is currently estimated to be removed off site. The duration to undertake these works will be approximately 3 weeks. This will result in a truck movement of a, maximum of approximately 8 truck and dog (trailer) per day.

At the time of writing this report it was envisaged that the spoil being removed off site would generally be transported to the outer regions of Sydney. Due to most of the spoil being ENM / VENM nature, opportunities are being tested for possible acceptable receivers of this material.

3.21 Foundations

Piling, capping beams and structural footings will be engineered and constructed in such a way as to mitigate the risk of noise and vibration wherever possible.

3.22 Structure

During the construction of the structure deliveries of materials will consist mainly of formwork, reinforcement and concrete for the basement carpark and student accommodation building. During pouring of larger areas, e.g large floor area may result in 20 concrete trucks. The structure works for the project would have duration of approximately 16 weeks which will be staggered for the basement carpark and student accommodation building.

3.23 Façade

The façade system are likely to combine a mixture of masonry, glazing and cladding elements.

The duration of these works will be approximately 10 weeks.

3.24 Internal Finishes

The internal finishes and fitout will commence once the façade is installed and the buildings are directly water-tight.

The duration of these works will be for approximately 12 weeks.

3.25 Connection of Services

The services engineers are yet to determine specific locations for mains supply connections (water, gas, electricity, sewer, etc). As part of this process, the relevant Authorities will identify the need to upgrade/amplify the existing services (if required) to accommodate the development. The initial investigations show that the site is surrounded bey adequate authority services. Based on this preliminary feedback there will be little disruptions to the public domain for connection of new incoming services to the development.

4.0 Materials Handling

Materials handling will involve the movement of material around the site to construct the building. The planning of this work upfront will allow the efficient construction of the building including safety, minimise double handling of materials and accelerate construction.

It is anticipated the main materials handling equipment will include:

- Forklift to unload and relocate materials within the site compound.
- Cranes, both mobile and small tower crane, to lift materials to relevant floor areas and install structural elements such as formwork, reinforcement, precast concrete and structural steel.
 - Concrete pumps for pouring the structure.

Materials handling will be undertaken within the site compound where possible to minimise disruption to local traffic and pedestrian flow. Larger deliveries will be undertaken form the proposed Work Zone on Doncaster Avenue adjacent the site compound. Any overhead unloading of materials by crane lifting from the Work Zone will require the implementation of pedestrian and traffic management plans. There may be a need on some of the larger concrete pours to establish concrete pump and trucks on Doncaster Ave. As the floors are constructed, they will be preloaded with bulk fitout materials such as gyprock sheets & wall framework. This will reduce smaller deliveries latter in the project.

5.0 Construction Traffic Management Plan

A detailed construction traffic management plan is included in Appendix B. This Report has been prepared to address the transport, traffic, parking and access requirements of the NSW Department of Planning SEAR's requirements for SSD 9649.

The potential for cumulative traffic impacts with any nearby major developments will be considered during the comprehensive construction planning phase. At this time further detail and planning on loading, deliveries and traffic generation from the construction is considered alongside the local traffic, nearby developments and context at the given time. A traffic engineer has provided preliminary comments regarding cumulative traffic associated with the development and considers the site to have a low impact on local traffic. Further engagement with a traffic engineer during the comprehensive construction planning will be undertaken to confirm cumulative impacts are negligible.

6.0 Waste Management

A comprehensive survey of the existing site shall be conducted to identify existing materials for reuse or recycling. This will include salvageable materials include bricks, timber, and similar materials suitable for re-use.

Excavated materials needing to be excavated from the site will be sorted into separate soil classifications and managed according to EPA requirements.

7.0 Construction Noise Management

Refer to Appendix C for the detailed Noise Impact Assessment

This Report has been prepared to address the acoustic requirements of the NSW Department of Planning SEAR's requirements for SSD 9649.

8.0 Mitigation Measures

A comprehensive survey of the existing site shall be conducted to identify existing materials for reuse or recycling. This will include salvageable materials include bricks, timber, and similar materials suitable for re-use.

Excavated materials needing to be excavated from the site will be sorted into separate soil classifications and managed according to EPA requirements.

Concerns	Mitigation Measure		
1. Heritage & Archaeology	- Heritage survey conducted prior to works commencing on site		
	- followprescribedstructuralandgeotechnicalcontrolmeasures to protect adjoining heritage buildings during demolition, excavation and construction		
2. Noise works eg rock hammering or demolition	- construction equipment may be fitted with noise mitigation equipment wherever possible or reasonable		
	- noisyworkwillbeidentifiedandcommunicatedtoneighbours, giving them sufficient notice		
3. Dust	- appropriate hoardings to be provided around the site		
	- ensure construction vehicles have been appropriately cleaned before exiting the site		
	- ensure sufficient wetting-down is completed during demolition and excavation activities		
	- ensure stockpiles are sufficiently protected		
4. Sydney Light Rail maintenance facility (Stabling Yard)	- ensure adequate building setback from boundary (existing 5m high wall set back 4.5m from boundary provides adequate separation between the development site and Sydney Light Rail maintenance facility. The studentaccommodation building is set back a further 4m.)		
	- major construction equipment and plant to be located further away from Sydney Light Rail maintenance facility wherever possible.		

Concerns	Mitigation Measure
5. Hazardous materials being encountered	-hazardous materials survey conducted prior to works commencing on site -appropriate licenced contractors engaged to remove any hazardous materials found -appropriate signage and exclusion zones maintained during applicable works
6. Sediment run-off entering stormwater system or surrounding streets	-followprescribed sedimentation and erosion control measures as provided by the Civil Engineer -conduct regular visual inspections of silt socks and all other sedimentation controls to ensure integrity of the systems is maintained at all times -provided dedicated wash-out facilities for use by relevant Subcontractors
7. Unauthorised entry to the site (public, etc)	-appropriate hoardings will be provided which separate all construction activities from thepublic -signage
8. Vibration during excavation, piling and structural works	-maximise use of bored piles rather than driven piles

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Appendix A Hayball Architectural Plans



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BASEMENT PLAN

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1. Introduction

TRAFFIX has been commissioned by Blue Sky to prepare a preliminary Construction Traffic Management Plan (CTMP) report for the construction of a student accommodation development at 4-18 Doncaster Avenue, Kensington. The draft CTMP has been prepared specifically in response to SEARS requirements, in the knowledge that a final CTMP that can only be prepared following the appointment of a nominated builder, at which time the construction methodology will be determined. In that context, the subject report seeks to formulate the "principles" that will guide the final CTMP.

A Location Plan is shown in the following Figure 1.



Figure 1: Location Plan



2. Existing Conditions

2.1 Location and Site

The site is approximately 180 metres south of Centennial Park and 4.5 kilometres southeast of Sydney CBD. More specifically, it is bounded by Doncaster Avenue to the west and the Sydney Light Rail Randwick Stabling Yard to the east.

The site is rectangular in configuration with a total site area of 4,273.3m². It currently accommodates a total of five residential dwellings, with vehicular access available for each dwelling available from Doncaster Avenue. The site has a northern and eastern boundary to the Sydney Light Rail Randwick Stabling Yard of 40.17 metres and 106.38 metres, respectively. The southern boundary is shared with a neighbouring residential property of 40.17 metres, and the western frontage to Doncaster Avenue is 106.38 metres.

A Site Plan is provided in **Figure 2** which provides an appreciation of the site in the context of neighbouring properties and surrounding streets.





Figure 2: Site Plan



2.2 Road Network

The road hierarchy in the vicinity of the site is shown in **Figure 3** with the following roads of particular interest:

Alison Road: 0 an RMS main road (MR 327) that generally traverses in an eastwest direction between Arden Street in the east and Anzac Parade in the west. Due to on-going construction of the Sydney Light Rail, it is generally subject to a 50km/hr speed zoning and accommodates two lanes of traffic in each direction within the vicinity of the site. Alison Road permits sections of time restricted kerbside parking. Anzac Parade: an RMS main road (MR 171) that traverses in a north-south direction between Moore Park Road in the north and Little Bay Road in the south. Due to on-going construction of the Sydney Light Rail, it is generally subject to a 50km/hr speed zoning and accommodates one lane of traffic in each direction within the vicinity of the site. Anzac Parade does not permit kerbside parking. Doncaster Avenue: a local road that traverses in a north-south direction between Alison Road in the north and Gardeners Road in the south. It is subject to 50km/hr speed zoning however, a '40km/hr School Zone' speed restriction does apply between 8:00-9:30am and 2:30-4:00pm on school days. Doncaster Avenue accommodates a single lane of traffic in each direction and permits kerbside parking with various restrictions. It is noted that Doncaster Avenue comprises of two sections, separated by Kensington Park.

It can be seen from **Figure 3** that the site is conveniently located with respect to the arterial and local road systems serving the region. It is therefore able to effectively distribute traffic onto the wider road network, minimising traffic impacts.





Figure 3: Road Hierarchy



2.3 Public Transport

The subject site benefits from excellent bus services with eight bus stations provided within optimal walking distance (400 metres) of the site. These bus services are outlined in **Table 1** below.

Bus Service	Route	Bus Service	Route
338	Clovelly to Central Railway Square	396	Maroubra Beach to City Circular Quay
339	Clovelly to City Gresham Street	397	South Maroubra to City Circular Quay
372	Coogee to Central Railway Square	399	La Perouse to City Circular Quay via Malabar Beach and Maroubra Junction
373	Coogee to City Circular Quay via Belmore Road	L94	La Perouse to City Circular Quay
374	Coogee to City Circular Quay via Bream Street	M10	Maroubra Junction to Leichhardt via City
376	Maroubra Beach to Central Railway Square	M50	Coogee to Drummoyne
377	Maroubra Beach to City Circular Quay	X92	Little Bay to City Museum
391	La Perouse or Port Botany to Central Railway Square	X94	Le Perouse to City Museum
392	Little Bay to City Circular Quay via Eastgardens and Prince Henry Hospital	X96	Maroubra Beach to City Museum
393	Little Bay to Central Railway Square via Maroubra and Kingsford	X97	South Maroubra to City Museum
394	City Circular Quay to La Perouse via Maroubra and Kingsford	X99	Little Bay to City Museum
395	Maroubra Beach to Central Railway Square		

Table 1 – Bus Services and Routes

In addition, the subject site is located within close proximity to two future light rail stations for the CBD and South East Light Rail (CSELR), with the closest station being the Alison Road-Royal Randwick Station (approximately 180 metres east of the site) and Carlton Street-ES Marks (approximately 250 metres west of the site). These services will be available for both construction workers and visitors to the site during construction.



3. Traffic Management Arrangements

3.1 Construction Program

A Construction Program will be prepared by the Blue Sky in conjunction with the nominated Builder. The program will include, but not be limited to the following components:

- Construction stages and their duration
- Number of construction workers during each stage
- Parking arrangements for workers
- Construction Work Zones
- O Crainage requirements
- Pedestrian control and management
- Site access arrangements
- Traffic Control Plans
- Use of cranes, including Road Occupancy License requirements

Guiding principles for some of these matters are considered in the following sections.

3.2 Available Truck Routes

Trucks accessing the site will make use of proposed Works Zone on Doncaster Avenue. The proposed truck routes to and from the works zone are illustrated in **Figure 4** and are summarised as follows:

Routes to Site

- 1. Trucks will arrive on Alison Road (west)
- 2. Turn right into Doncaster Avenue (signals)
- 3. Turn left into the Works Zone



Routes from Site

- 1. Trucks will turn right from Works Zone into Doncaster Avenue
- 2. Turn left onto Alison Road (signals)



Figure 4: Truck Routes to and from the Site



Details regarding the routes prior to accessing and leaving Alison Road will be provided following commissioning of the Nominated Builder.

The above routes seek to make use of the arterial and collector road network as much as possible with the use of local streets only where required. All truck drivers will also be provided with a copy of these routes and all relevant matters prior to accessing the site. This would form part of their site induction training.

3.3 Access Swept Path Analysis

Swept path analysis has been undertaken at the entrance to the Works Zone, on Doncaster Avenue. These swept paths are provided in **Appendix A** and confirm that satisfactory access to the site or works zone can be achieved, in accordance with the requirements of AS 2890.2 (2002).

3.4 Pedestrian Control

The proposed work will not unduly impact pedestrian movements and their safety will be ensured during all stages of construction. Pedestrian access surrounding the site will be managed safely during all construction stages. Hoarding will be provided along Doncaster Avenue, with pedestrians only impacted by vehicles accessing the site, when gate barriers will be deployed. These arrangements are considered acceptable and will ensure that pedestrian safety is maintained at all times.

3.5 Crane Requirements

Use of crane will be determined following the commissioning of a Nominated Builder.

3.6 Traffic Control Plan

The Traffic Control Plan (TCP) included in **Appendix B** (TCP No. 1 – Works Zone (All Stages of Construction) shows the indicative signage / traffic management measures to be adopted for the construction stages. The TCP will ensure that truck and pedestrian movements are managed safely and efficiently. This TCP has been designed in accordance with the requirements of the *Roads and Maritime Traffic Control at Work Sites Manual* and AS 1742.3 (2009) and are recommended for adoption.



The final Traffic Control Plan/s should ultimately be implemented taking into account on-site conditions that will occur over the construction period. Accordingly, construction crew will be expected to respond in a pro-active manner to ensure that this plan is implemented to maximum effect, with no obvious safety issues being overlooked. In particular, the following matters are considered noteworthy:

- All signs are to be placed where clear visibility is available;
- Installations should be checked intermittently during the course of the day/s; and
- A minimum of one Roads and Maritimes Services certified Traffic Controllers shall be on-site at all times during work hours to supervise truck movements.

It is noted that the implementation of any CTP will be the responsibility of the project manager/builder.

3.7 Employee Vehicles

As discussed in Section 3.3, the site benefits from good access to public transport services, being situated less than 200 metres from a number of bus stops. In addition to these bus stops, the site is located close to two future light rail stations. This is expected to result in a reasonable level of public transport usage by workers, thereby minimising construction impacts and moderating parking impacts. It is also relevant that on-site secure storage will be available for worker's equipment and tools.

It is noted that contractors will not be permitted to park private vehicles within the proposed Works Zone, which are intended for the loading / unloading of materials and equipment.



4. Conclusions

This preliminary Construction Management Plan (CTMP) is considered satisfactory to guide the ongoing construction planning and will minimise disruptions to neighbouring residents, as well as pedestrians in the area. This plan meets all requirements of AS 2890.2, AS 1742.3, *Roads and Maritime Traffic Control at Work Sites Manual* and is recommended for adoption.

The final CTMP will be prepared once a Nominated Builder has been appointed, at which time a detailed construction methodology will be available.



Appendix A

Swept Path Analysis



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1 INTRODUCTION

Acoustic Logic Consultancy have been engaged to undertake an assessment of noise impacts associated with the proposed student accommodation development at 4-18 Doncaster Avenue, Kensington.

This report has been prepared to address the acoustic requirements of the NSW Department of Planning SEAR's requirements for SSD 9649, specifically:

- 4. Amenity
- 5. Noise and Vibration
- 11. Sydney Light Rail Maintenance Facility (Stabling Yard)

Relevant acoustic criteria to satisfy the requirements of the above have been derived from the following documents;

- Randwick City Council Development Control Plan;
- State Environment Planning Policy (Infrastructure) 2007
- NSW Department of Planning Development Near Rail Corridors and Busy Roads;
- NSW Environment Protection Authority (EPA) Noise Policy for Industry;
- Australian Standard AS2107:2016 Recommended Design Sound Levels and Reverberation Times for Building Interiors; and
- NSW EPA Interim Construction Noise Guidelines

The assessment has been conducted based on the Architectural drawings provided by *Hayball Architects,* project number 2309, Revision 1, dated 07/12/2018.

2 SITE DESCRIPTION

The proposed student accommodation development comprises of basement level parking, ground floor common/management areas, and three levels of accommodation. Investigation has been carried out by this office in regards to the existing properties and noise impacts surrounding the proposed development, which is detailed below:

- Bounding the site to the east is Doncaster Avenue with is existing multi storey residential development to the west of Doncaster Avenue
- Bounding the site to the east is the recently constructed Sydney Light Rail Maintenance Facility (Stabling Yard). Further this Royal Randwick Racecourse
- North of the site is Allison Road, which carries high volumes of traffic and is nominated as a classified road under SEPP (infrastructure) 2007; and
- South of the site is existing residential development.

The nearest noise receivers around the site are as follows:

- R1: Residential Receiver 1 Existing residential development to the south of the site along Doncaster Avenue
- R2: Residential Receiver 2 Existing residential development to the west of the site across Doncaster Avenue.

A site map and measurement locations is detailed in Figure 1.

The following noise sources have been identified and are assessed based on monitoring of a typical race meeting for operational noise, and an average day for road traffic noise to determine the potential for adverse noise impacts on the development:

- Alison Road, a six lane arterial road carrying in excess of 40, 000 vehicles per day;
- Sydney Light Rail Maintenance Facility (Stabling Yard);
- Doncaster Avenue, which carries moderate volumes of traffic;
- Race Day events at Royal Randwick. This covers the possible noise sources from the races, bus, car and taxi movements, public address systems and typical plant and equipment that are present during the events.
- Car park vehicle movements.
- Private events at Royal Randwick. These are events which are unrelated to horse racing such as private parties and functions, UNSW exams, etc.



Attended traffic noise measurement was conducted at 15m distance from carriage way

noise monitor location

Unattended horse training

Figure 1 – Proposed Development Site Map

2.1 **EXISTING ACOUSTIC ENVIRONMENT**

2.1.1 **Noise Descriptors**

Environmental noise constantly varies in level, due to fluctuations in traffic speed, vehicle types, road conditions and traffic densities. Accordingly, it is not possible to accurately determine prevailing traffic noise conditions by measuring a single, instantaneous noise level. To accurately determine the effects of traffic noise a 15-20 minute measurement interval is utilised. Over this period, noise levels are monitored on a continuous basis and statistical and integrating techniques are used to determine noise description parameters. These parameters are used to measure how much annoyance would be caused by a particular noise source.

In the case of environmental noise three principle measurement parameters are used, namely L₁₀, L₉₀ and L_{eq}.

The L_{10} and L_{90} measurement parameters are statistical levels that represent the average maximum and average minimum noise levels respectively, over the measurement intervals.

The L_{10} parameter is commonly used to measure noise produced by a particular intrusive noise source since it represents the average of the loudest noise levels produced by the source.

Conversely, the L_{90} level (which is commonly referred to as the background noise level) represents the noise level heard in the quieter periods during a measurement interval. The L₉₀ parameter is used to set the allowable noise level for new, potentially intrusive noise sources since the disturbance caused by the new source will depend on how audible it is above the pre-existing noise environment, particularly during quiet periods, as represented by the L_{90} level.

The L_{eq} parameter represents the average noise energy during a measurement period. This parameter is derived by integrating the noise levels measured over the measurement period. L_{eq} is important in the assessment of noise impact as it closely corresponds with human perception of a changing noise environment.

 L_{max} levels represent is the loudest noise event during a measurement period.

2.1.2 Existing Noise Environment

The existing noise environment at the monitor location is dominated by the distant traffic noise on Alison Road. Road traffic noise from Doncaster Avenue was not audible on our site visits and is unlikely to be an issue as all the houses and units along it screen the site.

Ambient noise monitoring has been conducted around the proposed site using an unattended noise monitor. The purpose of the monitoring was to:

- Establish the background noise level in the vicinity i.e. the typical minimum noise level occurring at the potentially affected properties surrounding the development.
- Establish the impact of existing environmental noise sources in the vicinity at the properties potentially most affected by noise emissions.

2.1.3 Unattended Background Noise Measurements

Background noise measurements were obtained over a number of days to characterise the existing noise environment.

2.1.4 Measurement Location

Background Noise Monitor Location: A background noise monitor was installed within the rear of the proposed site location with microphone close to the eastern boundary. The monitoring location is representative of noise receivers surrounding the project site.

2.1.5 Monitoring Period

Background Noise Monitor: the background noise monitoring was conducted between 15th and 19th May, 2014. The results of unattended noise monitoring area included in Appendix 1.

2.1.6 Monitoring Equipment

Ambient noise levels were continuously monitored using an unattended noise monitor. The unattended monitor used continuously measured noise levels and every 15 minutes stored statistical data within memory. The stored data was downloaded at the end of the measurement period. The monitor was set to A-weighted fast response. The monitor was calibrated before and after the measurement using a Rion NC-73 calibrator. No significant drift was recorded. There were no periods of adverse weather conditions during the measurement period.

2.1.7 Rating Background Noise Levels

Result of monitoring are detailed in Appendix 1. Table 1 lists the representative minimum background noise levels. The results are represented for the day, evening and night time periods.

Location	Period	Representative Background Noise Level (dB(A) L ₉₀)
	7am to 6pm (Day)	41
4-12 Doncaster Ave	6pm to 10pm (Evening)	40
	10pm to 7am (Night)	36

Table 1 – Rating Background Noise Levels at Receivers

3 EXTERNAL NOISE INTRUSION IMPACT

3.1 NOISE INTRUSION CRITERIA

Noise intrusion to the project site has been assessed with reference to the requirements of the following documents;

- NSW Department of Planning SEAR's requirements for SSD 9649
- Randwick City Council Development Control Plan;
- State Environment Planning Policy (Infrastructure) 2007
- NSW Department of Planning Development Near Rail Corridors and Busy Roads; and
- 3.1.1 NSW Department of Planning SEAR's requirements for SSD 9649

4. Amenity

The EIS shall:

• Address how the proposal achieves a high level of environmental and residential amenity including consideration of solar access, acoustic impacts, natural ventilation, visual privacy, and noise and vibration emanating from the adjoining light rail holding yard.

11. Sydney Light Rail Maintenance Facility (Stabling Yard)

The EIS shall undertake the assessment to identify the impacts of the Sydney Light Rail maintenance facility on the proposed development and the impact of the proposed development and the impacts of the proposed development on the Sydney Light Rail maintenance facility. The assessment shall include but not be limited to the following:

• Noise assessment and associated acoustic treatments for the proposed development

3.1.2 Randwick City Council Development Control Plan

C2 Medium Density Residential

5.4 Acoustic Privacy

iv) For developments fronting arterial roads, provide noise mitigation measures to ensure an acceptable level of living amenity for the dwelling units is maintained. A noise assessment report prepared by a qualified acoustic consultant must be submitted with suitable noise mitigation solutions. The intention is to achieve an acceptable level of noise exposure in the interior space, without relying on mechanical ventilation.

3.1.3 NSW Department of Planning – State Environmental Planning Policy (SEPP) (INFRASTRUCTURE) 2007

Clause 102 of the NSW SEPP for road traffic noise stipulates

"This clause applies to development for any of the following purposes that is on land in or adjacent to the road corridor for a freeway, a tollway or a transit way or any other road with an annual average daily traffic volume of more than 40,000 vehicles (based on the traffic volume data published on the website of the RTA) and that the consent authority considers is likely to be adversely affected by road noise or vibration:

- (a) a building for residential use,
- (b) a place of public worship,
- (c) a hospital,
- (d) an education establishment or child care centre.

If the development is for the purposes of a building for residential use, the consent authority must not grant consent to the development unless it is satisfied that appropriate measures will be taken to ensure that the following LAeq levels are not exceeded:

(a) in any bedroom in the building – 35 dB(A) at any time between 10 pm and 7am,

(b) anywhere else in the building (other than a garage, kitchen, bathroom or hallway) – 40 dB(A) at any time."

Map 16 of the traffic volume maps for Infrastructure SEPP (from the road and maritime services website) classifies the section of Alison Road adjoining the subject site as a carriageway carrying more than 40,000 vehicles per day. Refer to Figure 2 for map and site location.



Figure 2 - Site Location and SEPP (Infrastructure) 2007 Classified Roads

3.1.4 NSW Department of Planning – Development near Rail Corridors or Busy Roads – Interim Guideline

Section 3.5 of the NSW Department of Planning's 'Development near Rail Corridors and Busy Roads (Interim Guideline)' states:

"The following provides an overall summary of the assessment procedure to meet the requirements of clauses 87 and 102 of the Infrastructure SEPP. The procedure covers noise at developments for both Road and Rail.

- If the development is for the purpose of a building for residential use, the consent authority must be satisfied that appropriate measures will be taken to ensure that the following LAeq levels are not exceeded:
 - in any bedroom in the building: 35dB(A) at any time 10pm-7am
 - anywhere else in the building (other than a garage, kitchen, bathroom or hallway): 40dB(A) at any time."

3.1.5 Australian Standard AS2107:2016 – *Recommended Design Sound Levels and Reverberation Times for Building Interiors*

Australian Standard AS 2107-2016: Recommended design sound levels and reverberation times for building interiors specifies allowable internal noise levels for internal spaces within residential and commercial buildings. Table 2 presents the sound levels applicable to the proposed redevelopment.

Space /Activity Type	Recommended Maximum Design Sound Level	
Residential (near major roads) – Living Areas	45 dB(A)L _{eq(1hour)}	
Residential (near major roads) – Sleeping Areas (night time)	40 dB(A)L _{eq(1hour)}	

Table 2 – Recommended Design Sound Levels of AS2107:2016

3.1.6 Summarised External Noise Intrusion Criteria

Summarised internal noise criteria adopted for each internal space is summarised below.

Table 3 – Adopted Internal Noise Levels

Space / Activity Type	Design Internal Noise Level
Residential Living Areas	40 dB(A) L _{eq (15hr)} For Noise Intrusion from Traffic 45 dB(A) L _{eq(1hr)} For Noise Intrusion from Other Noise Sources
Residential Sleeping Areas (night time)	35 dB(A) L _{eq (15hr)} For Noise Intrusion from Traffic 40 dB(A) L _{eq(1hr)} For Noise Intrusion from Other Noise Sources

3.2 NOISE INTRUSION SOURCES SURROUNDING SITE

3.2.1 Traffic Noise Measurements

Traffic noise measurements were performed generally in accordance with the Australian Standard AS 1055 - "Description and measurement of environmental noise - General Procedures".

3.2.1.1 Measurement Positions

A manned morning peak hour measurement was used for the assessment. The measurement location was approximately 15m distance from Alison Road as detailed in Figure 1 of this report.

3.2.1.2 Time of Measurements

Attended noise measurements were carried out between 7am and 9am on 16th May 2014.

3.2.1.3 Measurement Equipment

SVAN 958 Four Channels Sound and Vibration Analyser was used for the noise measurements. The analyser was set to fast response and calibrated before and after the measurements using a SVANTEK SV03A calibrator. No significant drift was noted.

3.2.1.4 Measured Noise Levels

The external noise levels from the measurements taken at 15m distance from Alison Road and the results are tabulated below in Table 2.

Table 4 - External Maximum Repeatable Traffic Noise Levels

Location	Measured Traffic Noise Level dB(A) L _{eq} (1hr)	
15m Distance from the Alison Road	68	

3.2.2 AJC Morning Horse Training Noise Measurements

As part of this assessment a review of potential noise impacts from actives associated with morning horse training has been undertaken. The assessment has been conducted based on noise level measurements previously undertaken by this office at the site and detailed below.

The Horse training noise from AJC was performed generally in accordance with the Australian Standard AS 1055 - "Description and measurement of environmental noise - General Procedures". This office has been advised that the horse training start from 3am in the morning.

3.2.2.1 Measurement Positions

An unmanned noise monitor was set up at the north western corner of AJC to record the horse training noise levels as detailed in Figure 1 of this report.

3.2.3 Time of Measurements

The noise monitoring was conducted in April 2010 and remains relevant as the activities on the site remain similar. The results of monitoring are included in Appendix 2.

3.2.3.1 Measurement Equipment

Equipment used consisted of an Acoustic Research Laboratories Pty Ltd noise logger. The logger was programmed to store 1-minute statistical noise levels throughout the monitoring period. The equipment was calibrated at the beginning and the end of the measurement using a Rion NC-73 calibrator; no significant drift was detected. All measurements were taken on A-weighted fast response mode. There were no significant periods of adverse weather conditions during the measurement period.

3.2.3.2 Measured Noise Levels

The typical horse training noise measurements taken at the north western corner of AJC are tabulated below in Table 4.

Location	Measured Morning Training Noise Levels dB(A)	
AJC Noise monitoring Location	48 dB(A) L _{eq} (1hour) 63 dB(A) L ₁	

Table 5 - External Maximum Repeatable Noise Levels

Randwick Racecourse Event Noise Measurements 3.2.4

The assessment of the operational noise impact is related to the operation of the Royal Randwick race course which is adjacent to the Eastern site boundary. The assessment has been undertaken in conjunction with a noise survey previously conducted by this office of typical noise sources within the race course and detailed in this section of the report.

3.2.4.1 Attended Noise Measurements

This office has previously undertaken a detailed noise survey of the noise sources associated with Royal Randwick Racecourse. Noise measurements were carried out on the typical Race meeting and include a major event including racing and the use of facilities on the site including a marque.

Site location Attended noise measurement locations Unattended noise monitor was located on the roof of awning Attended noise measurement location

The measurement locations selected are indicated in Figure 2 below.

Figure 3 Horse Racing Noise Measurement Locations

- Noise Measurement Location 1 and 2- Peak Hour Traffic Noise Measurements before and during horse racing.
- Noise Measurement Location 3- Peak hour patron's entry noise.
- Noise Measurement Location 4- Peak hour bus movement and patron noise.
- Noise Measurement Location 5- Taxi Bay vehicle movement and patron noise.
- Noise Measurement Location 6- Horse racing and patrons screaming noise.

In summary the selected locations were the nearest accessible spots to take representative measurements. The measured activities included crowd noise in the courtyard at the Super TV screen, the actual race and catering movements. All measurements were taken between taxi movements wherever possible or by pausing the measurement during the taxi pass-bys.

3.2.4.2 Measurement Period

The attended noise measurements were conducted over a busy race weekend event and include all noise sources from the racecourse including racing and associated patron activities including a marque. Noise levels at the site where conducted over a race day event between 11am and 2pm.

3.2.4.3 Measurement Equipment

Attended noise measurement: A Norsonic type SA140 Sound Analyser was used for the noise measurements. The analyser was set to fast response and calibrated before and after the measurements using a Norsonics Sound Calibrator type 1251. No significant drift was noted.

3.2.4.4 Measured Activity Noise Levels

Table 4 lists the measured activity noise levels at the three locations shown in Figure 2.

Location	Measurement Time	Activity	Noise Level (dB(A) L _{eq})	Noise Level (dB(A) L ₉₀)	Noise Level (dB(A) L _{max})
1	11:20am- 11:35am	Traffic noise from Alison Rd	61	58	74
2	11:00am- 11:15am	Traffic noise from Alison Rd	60	56	75
3	1:15pm- 1:30pm	Entry patron noise + PA	73	62	83
4	11:40am- 11:55am	7 Bus in/out + patron noise	68	64	82
5	12:20pm- 12:35pm	Taxi movements and patron noise	54	51	65
6	12:55pm- 1:10pm	Horse racing + Patron Noise	54	51	65

Table 6 - Measured Activity Noise Levels

3.3 NOISE FROM SYDNEY LIGHT RAIL MAINTENANCE FACILITY (STABLING YARD)

An acoustic assessment of potential noise impact from the future light rail on the future development has conducted and the included the following documents:

- The CBD and South Light Rail approval SSI 6042 dated 4 June 2014, and incorporated documents including 'Additional Information provided to Department of Planning and Environment to support the assessment of the CBD and South East Light Rail Project'; and
- Policy documents such as Development near Rail Corridors and Busy Roads Interim Guidelines 2008 published by the Department of Planning.

3.3.1 CBD and South Light Rail Approval SSI 6042

The relevant sections of the approval relating to noise emissions at the proposed development has been presented below.

Schedule B, Part C – Operations

Noise and Vibration

Operational Noise and Vibration from Light Rail

C1. The SSI shall be designed and operated with the objective of not exceeding the air-borne and ground borne noise trigger levels as defined in the Rail Infrastructure Noise Guideline (EPA, 2012) and the vibration levels defined in the Assessing Vibration: A Technical Guideline (DEC, 2006).

Operational Noise from Stationary Sources

C2. The Applicant shall ensure that noise emanating from stationary sources complies with the noise limits at the nearest sensitive receivers in accordance with the NSW Industrial Noise Policy or as specified in Table C1 and Table C2. Noise generated from these facilities shall also include associated traffic movements.

However, these limits do not apply if the Applicant has an agreement with the owner/s of the relevant residence to generate higher noise levels, and the Applicant has advised the Department in writing of the terms of this agreement.

Table C1 – Operational Noise Limits for Stabling and Maintenance Facilities at Sensitive Receivers (dBA)

Location	Day	Evening	Night	Night
	L _{Aeq(15 min)}	L _{Aeq(15 min)}	L _{Aeq(15 min)}	LA1, (1 min)
Randwick Stabling Facility	49	49	43	53

Table C2 – Operational Noise Limit	s for Substations at	Sensitive Receivers (dBA)
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Location	L _{Aeq(15 min)} at All Times	Receiver Description
Randwick Racecourse	44	Residential

Operational Noise from Rail Traffic

C3. Ground borne noise from rail traffic shall not exceed the following criteria as measured at the nearest residential receiver:

- (a) L_{ASmax} 40 dBA between the hours of 6.00pm and 10.00pm; and
- (b) L_{ASmax} 35 dBA between the hours of 10.00pm and 7.00am

Note: Ground borne noise level values are only relevant where they are higher than the airborne noise from railways and where the ground-borne noise levels are expected to be, or are, audible within habitable rooms (RING, EPA 2013)

Operational Noise from Ancillary Systems

C5. The Applicant shall ensure that unless they are required for safety reasons, no public address system shall be used as part of the normal operations of the SSI. Any emergency public address system shall be designed to minimise noise spillage from the site. Speakers shall be installed with their pointing axis directed away from residential buildings and sensitive receivers unless other specifies in the Operational Noise and Vibration Management Plan.

3.3.2 Discussion

The light rail project is required to be designed to comply with the noise and vibration requirements of the NSW Environment Protection Authority's Industrial Noise Policy.

As the subject site's current use is for residential dwellings, the rail facility would need to meet the INP noise emission requirements for residential receivers. Therefore, compliance with their consent conditions means the subject project would not need to be acoustically upgraded to ensure adequate amenity the future residences of the subject development.

Previous experience with similar infrastructure vibration from the light rail infrastructure is not expected to generate magnitudes of vibration which will negatively impact on the proposed development, based on measured vibration from the existing light rail within the Sydney CBD. Notwithstanding this, any adverse vibration generated by the operation of the maintenance facility would need to be addressed by the operators of that facility.

The "Additional Information provided to Department of Planning and Environment to support the assessment of the CBD and South East Light Rail Project and the CBD and South East Light Rail Project Independent Review of Noise/Vibration Assessment Response to Issues Raised" review conducted by SLR, and included as an appendix to the report, concludes that the impact of light rail on residential receivers within the proximity to the future line will be similar or less than the existing environmental noise levels currently experienced.

The assessment of noise from light rail operation conducted by SLR includes the following:

• In Randwick, the maximum noise levels from buses on High Street are expected to be similar to maximum noise levels from light rail. While the existing background noise level on High Street is low, the existing L_{Aeq} noise levels are around 9 dB higher than the light rail L_{Aeq} noise goals. The number of light rail services relative to existing bus numbers is unlikely to result in an increase in the number of higher night>time noise events along High Street. Acceptance of the predicted light rail noise impacts of 2 dB to 3 dB above the RING trigger levels along High Street in Randwick is considered reasonable in light of the existing road traffic noise impacts.

Along Wansey Road, there is a low incidence of existing road traffic noise and consideration of mitigation of light rail noise would be required at any locations where the RING trigger levels are exceeded, noting that no exceedances are anticipated at this location.

• In Kensington and Kingsford acceptance of light rail noise impacts above the RING trigger levels along Anzac Parade is considered reasonable in light of the existing high road traffic noise impacts, as mitigating light rail noise would not reduce the overall future road traffic noise levels.

Although this does not specifically detail noise levels for Doncaster Avenue, given that the site would be less impacted given the location of the light rail alignment to the north of Allison Road, it can reasonably be concluded that the future noise levels from the Light Rail will not result in noise levels which are either above existing levels or will be with the acceptable RING Trigger levels.

It is concluded the recommended treatments to the external façade of the building as detailed in this report to address existing noise sources will also result in an suitable acoustic amenity for future residences when the light rail commences operation.

3.4 EVALUATION OF NOISE INTRUSION

External noise intrusion into the proposed development has been assessed using the measured external noise levels reported in above as a basis. The assessment has been conducted based on the Architectural drawings provided by *Hayball Architects*, project number 2309, Revision 1, dated 07/12/2018.

Calculations were undertaken taking into account the orientation of windows, roof area barrier effects (where applicable), the total area of glazing, facade transmission loss and room sound absorption characteristics. In this way the likely interior noise levels can be predicted.

3.4.1 Glazing Constructions

The recommended glazing assemblies are indicated in Table 7. In all cases, the selected glazing type reduces internal noise levels to within the nominated criterion for the various space types. The recommended glazing has been designed to control traffic noise intrusion as well as noise from adjacent noise sources (such as Randwick Racecourse and Sydney Light Rail facilities).

The glazing thicknesses recommended are those needed to satisfy acoustic requirements and do not take into account other requirements such as structural, safety or other considerations. These additional considerations may require the glazing thickness to be increased beyond the acoustic requirement.

The recommended glazing for the proposed development is detailed in Table 6. Glazing to all units not listed in the table may be 4mm thick float glass for windows and doors, no acoustic seals.

Level	Façade Location	Space	Glazing Thickness/R _w Rating	Acoustic Seals
All Levels	Northern Façade		10.38mm Lam/35	Yes
	Eastern Façade	Residential	6.38mm Lam/30	Yes
	Southern Façade	Studios	6.38mm Lam/30	Yes
	Western Façade		6.38mm Lam/30	Yes

Table 7 – Glazing Thickness Required

3.4.2 External Wall Construction

External walls are of masonry construction and are acoustically acceptable without any further treatment. In the event any penetrations are required through the external lining of any of the system for other building services, gaps, etc should be acoustically treated/sealed to ensure compliance with acoustic criteria stipulated within this report.

3.4.3 External Roof and Ceiling Construction

Roof is of masonry construction and is acoustically acceptable without any further treatment. In the event any penetrations are required through the external lining of any of the system for other building services, gaps should be acoustically treated/sealed to ensure compliance with acoustic criteria stipulated within this report.

4 NOISE EMISSION ASSESSMENT

4.1 NOISE EMISSION CRITERIA

Noise emissions from the project site has been assessed with reference to the requirements of the following documents;

- NSW Department of Planning SEAR's requirements for SSD 9649
- Randwick City Council Development Control Plan;
- NSW Department of Environment and Heritage, *Environmental Protection Agency document* – *Noise Policy for Industry (NPI) 2017*.

4.1.1 NSW Department of Planning SEAR's requirements for SSD 9649

4. Amenity

The EIS shall:

• Demonstrate the impacts of the proposal on the amenity of surrounding development and public domain, including measures to minimise potential overshadowing, noise, visual privacy, wind, daylight and view impacts.

4.1.2 Randwick City Council Development Control Plan

It is noted that there is no specific numerical criteria for noise emissions from the development detailed in the Randwick City Council DCP. In this regard, the NSW EPA Noise Policy for Industry (2017) will be adopted.

4.1.3 NSW EPA Noise Policy for Industry (NPI) 2017

The EPA NPI has two criteria which both are required to be satisfied, namely Intrusiveness and amenity. The NPI sets out acceptable noise levels for various localities. The policy indicates four categories to assess the appropriate noise level at a site. They are rural, suburban, urban and urban/industrial interface. Under the policy the nearest residential receivers would be assessed against the suburban criteria.

Noise levels are to be assessed at the property boundary or nearby dwelling, or at the balcony or façade of an apartment.

4.1.3.1 Intrusiveness Criterion

The guideline is intended to limit the audibility of noise emissions at residential receivers and requires that noise emissions measured using the L_{eq} descriptor not exceed the background noise level by more than 5dB(A). Where applicable, the intrusive noise level should be penalised (increased) to account for any annoying characteristics such as tonality.

Background noise levels adopted are presented in Table 1. Noise emissions from the site should comply with the noise levels presented below when measured at nearby property boundary.

4.1.3.2 Project Amenity Criterion

The guideline is intended to limit the absolute noise level from all noise sources to a level that is consistent with the general environment.

The EPA's NPI sets out acceptable noise levels for various localities. The recommended noise amenity area is based upon factors including the measured background noise levels at the sensitive receiver, land use zoning and the presence of traffic or industrial noise sources around the site. Based on the guidelines in the NPI the surrounding sites have characteristics of Urban and Suburban residential receiver categories. The Noise Policy for Industry 'suburban' categorisation has been adopted as a conservative measure.

The NPI requires project amenity noise levels to be calculated in the following manner;

 $L_{Aeq,15min}$ = Recommended Amenity Noise Level – 5 dB(A) + 3 dB(A)

The amenity levels appropriate for the receivers surrounding the project site are presented in Table 8.

Type of Receiver	Time of day	Recommended Noise Level dB(A)L _{eq(period)}	Project Amenity Noise Level dB(A)L _{eq(period)}
	Day	55	53
Residential – Suburban	Evening	45	43
	Night	40	38
Commercial premises	When in use	65	63
Industrial premises	When in use	70	68

Table 8 – EPA Amenity Noise Levels

The NSW EPA Noise Policy for Industry (2017) defines;

- Day as the period from 7am to 6pm Monday to Saturday and 8am to 6pm Sundays and Public Holidays;
- Evening as the period from 6pm to 10pm.
- Night as the period from 10pm to 7am Monday to Saturday and 10pm to 8am Sundays and Public Holidays

4.1.4 Sleep Arousal Criteria

The Noise Policy for Industry recommends the following noise limits to mitigate sleeping disturbance:

Where the subject development / premises night -time noise levels at a residential location exceed:

- *L_{Aeq,15min}* 40 dB(A) or the prevailing RBL plus 5 dB, whichever is the greater, and/or
- *L_{AFmax}* 52 dB(A) or the prevailing RBL plus 15 dB, whichever is the greater,

a detailed maximum noise level even assessment should be undertaken.

Table 9 - Sleep Arousal Criteria for Residential Receivers

Receiver	Rating Background Noise Level (Night) dB(A)L90	Emergence Level
Residences Surrounding Site Night (10pm – 7am)	36 dB(A) L ₉₀	41 dB(A)L _{eq, 15min} ; 52 dB(A)L _{Fmax}

4.2 SUMMARISED NOISE EMISSION CRITERIA (FOR PLANT)

Table 10 – EPA NPI Noise Emission Criteria (Residents Surrounding Project Site)

Time Period	Assessment Background Noise Level dB(A)L ₉₀	Project Amenity Criteria dB(A) L _{eq}	Intrusiveness Criteria L _{eq(15min)}	NPI Criteria for Sleep Disturbance
Day	41	53	46	N/A
Evening	40	43	45	N/A
Night	36	38	41	41 dB(A)L _{eq, 15min} ; 52 dB(A)L _{Fmax}

Table 11 – EPA NPI Noise Emission Criteria (Non-Residential)

Receiver	Time of Day	Amenity Criteria dB(A) L _{eq}
Commercial	When in use	63
Industrial	When in use	68

4.3 ASSESSMENT OF NOISE EMISSIONS FROM FUTURE MECHANICAL PLANT

Primary mechanical plant and equipment will likely consist of external condenser units (servicing residential and common areas of the development) and ventilation equipment to service basement carpark.

The current proposal has allowed for rooftop plant enclosures to house mechanical plant to service site. Additionally, ventilation fans may be located within the basement area to service the ventilation requirements of the car parking levels.

Detailed plant selection and location has not been undertaken at this stage. Noise emissions can be controlled to satisfactory levels through appropriate plant selection, location and if necessary, standard acoustic treatments such as duct lining, acoustic silencers, screening and enclosures.

Cumulative assessment of all plant noise is recommended when conducting acoustic design of plant items, particularly for assessing emissions at the southern property boundary, due to the proximity of adjacent residential receivers.

Compliance with EPA acoustic criteria (as set out in Section4.2) will be achievable, provided that detailed acoustic review of plant items is undertaken once plant is selected, and acoustic treatments similar to those outlined above are adopted.

5 CONSTRUCTION NOISE AND VIBRATION

5.1 CONSTRUCTION NOISE

Relevant guidelines for noise emissions from construction activities are:

- NSW Environmental Protection Authority (EPA) document *"Interim Construction Noise Guideline (ICNG) 2009"*; and
- Australian Standard AS2436:2010 "Guide to noise and vibration control on construction, demolition and maintenance sites".

5.1.1 NSW Environmental Protection Authority (EPA) document – "Interim Construction Noise Guideline (ICNG) 2009"

This guideline nominates acceptable levels of noise emissions above the background noise level. For projects within the recommended standard hours the guideline recommends a noise level of 10dB(A) above the background for residential receivers – this level is referred to as the "noise affected level". The noise emission goals for nearby development is as follows:

Noise Receiver	Measured Background Noise Levels dB(A)L _{90(7am-6pm)}	Noise Affected Level BG + 10dB(A)L _{eq(15min)}	Highly Affected Level dB(A)L _{eq(15min)}
Residential Receivers (R1 & R2)	41	51	75

Table 12 – Noise Emission Goal – Residential Properties

Where noise from the construction works is above the "noise affected level", the proponent should apply any feasible and reasonable work practices to minimise noise.

If noise emissions are likely to exceed 75dB(A) $L_{eq(15min)}$, the receiver is deemed to be "highly noise affected". Introduction of management controls such as scheduling of noisy periods, or respite periods is recommended.

5.1.2 Australian Standard 2436-1981 "Guide to Noise Control on Construction Maintenance and Demolition Site"

Where the NML's established using the with ICNG cannot be achieved, noise emissions are to be managed in accordance with principles in AS2436:

- That reasonable suitable noise management levels is established (i.e. adopt DECC/Council guidelines).
- That all practicable measures be taken on the building site to regulate noise emissions, including the siting of noisy static processes on parts of the site where they can be shielded, selecting less noisy processes, and if required regulating construction hours.
- The undertaking of noise monitoring where non-compliance occurs to assist in the management and control of noise emission from the building site.

5.2 CONSTRUCTION VIBRATION

Vibration caused by construction should be limited to:

- For structural damage vibration, German Standard DIN 4150-3 Structural Vibration: Effects of Vibration on Structures; and
- For human exposure to vibration (amenity), the evaluation criteria presented in the British Standard BS 6472:1992 *Guide to Evaluate Human Exposure to Vibration in Buildings (1Hz to 80Hz)* for low probability of adverse comment

The criteria and the application of this standard are discussed in separate sections below.

5.2.1 Structure Borne Vibrations

German Standard DIN 4150-3 (1999-02) provides vibration velocity guideline levels for use in evaluating the effects of vibration on structures. The criteria presented in DIN 4150-3 (1999-02) are presented in Table 1.

It is noted that the peak velocity is the absolute value of the maximum of any of the three orthogonal component particle velocities as measured at the foundation, and the maximum levels measured in the x- and y-horizontal directions in the plane of the floor of the uppermost storey.

TYPE OF STRUCTURE		PEAK PARTICLE VELOCITY (mms ⁻¹)				
		At Foundation at a Frequency of			Plane of Floor of Uppermost Storey	
		< 10Hz	10Hz to 50Hz	50Hz to 100Hz	All Frequencies	
1	Buildings used in commercial purposes, industrial buildings and buildings of similar design	20	20 to 40	40 to 50	40	
2	Dwellings and buildings of similar design and/or use	5	5 to 15	15 to 20	15	
3	Structures that because of their particular sensitivity to vibration, do not correspond to those listed in Lines 1 or 2 and have intrinsic value (e.g. buildings that are under a preservation order)	3	3 to 8	8 to 10	8	

Table 13 – DIN 4150-3 (1999-02) Safe Limits for Building Vibration

5.2.2 Assessing Amenity

Department of Environment and Conservation NSW "Assessing Vibration: A Technical Guideline" (Feb 2006) is based on the guidelines contained in BS 6472:1992. This guideline provides procedures for assessing tactile vibration and regenerated noise within potentially affected buildings.

The recommendations of this guideline should be adopted to assess and regulate vibration within the construction site.

RMS acceleration (m/s ²)		eleration /s ²)	RMS veloc	ity (mm/s)	Peak veloo	city (mm/s)	
Place	Time	Preferred	Maximum	Preferred	Maximum	Preferred	Maximum
Continuous Vibration							
Residences	Daytime	0.01	0.02	0.2	0.4	0.28	0.56
Impulsive Vibration							
Residences	Daytime	0.3	0.6	6.0	12.0	8.6	17.0

Table 14 – EPA Recommended Vibration Criteria

5.3 NOISE IMPACTS FROM CONSTRUCTION

Noise levels from typically noisy construction activities have been predicted to nearby sensitive receivers. The predicted noise levels during excavation and construction will be dependent on:

- The activity undertaken;
- The distance between the work site and the receiver. For many of the work areas, the distance between the noise source and the receiver will vary depending on which end of the site the work is undertaken. For this reason, the predicted noise levels will be presented as a range.

Predicted noise levels are presented below. Predictions take into account noise reduction as a result of distance. The A-weighted sound power levels for all the component parts of the above-described activities are outlined in the table below.

Equipment / Process	Sound Power Level dB(A)	
Rock Hammering	120	
Excavator (in clay / soil)	110	
Bored Piling Rig	110	
Concrete Pump	110	
Crane (Electric)	95	
Trucks	100	
Powered Hand Tools	95-100	

Table 15 – Sound Power Levels (SWL) of the Typical Construction Equipment

The noise levels presented in the above table are derived from the following sources, namely:

- On-site measurements;
- Table A1 of Australian Standard 2436-2010;
- Data held by this office from other similar studies.

5.3.1 Predicted Noise Levels

The following table presents the predicted noise levels from construction activities.

Work Item	Receiver	Predicted Noise Level dB(A)L _{eq,} ^{15min}	Noise Management Levels	Comments
Excavation	Receiver 1 (Residences Bounding Site to the South)	58 - 86	51dB(A) L _{eq(15 minute)} (Noise Affected Level) 75dB(A)L _{eq(15} minute) (Highly Noise Affected Level)	A further detailed assessment is recommended to be undertaken at CC stage once further detailed knowledge of proposed construction methodologies are known.
	Receiver 2 (Residences to the East)	57 – 84		
Construction	Receiver 1 (Residences Bounding Site to the South)	48 - 75		
	Receiver 2 (Residences to the East)	47 – 74		

Table 16 – Predicted Construction Noise Level

The predicted noise levels exceed the noise management level (BG +10) when close to each receiver.

Noise management for the excavation and construction of project site is required (particularly when operating very noisy plant such as hammering in rock). Management measures and would include, for example, acoustic barriers, respite hours, noise monitoring, contingency plan, etc.

Details shall be determined at Construction Certificate stage (once a construction program and work methods have been determined) to ensure that the noise impacts to residential receivers around is minimised to the extent required by the ICNG.

5.3.2 Vibration Impacts

Primary vibration generating activities are bulk excavation (if in rock) and demolition. It is recommended that vibration monitoring be undertaken at the southern residential boundary during the demolition and excavation stage of the construction period to ensure that vibration levels do not exceed the requirements detailed in Section 5.2

6 CONCLUSION

Acoustic Logic Consultancy have undertaken an assessment of noise impacts associated with the proposed student accommodation development at 4-18 Doncaster Avenue, Kensington. Assessment has been undertaken with reference to the relevant NSW Department of Planning SEAR's requirements, NSW Department of Planning guidelines with respect to traffic noise and NSW EPA guidelines with respect to noise emissions from the project site.

An analysis of noise intrusion to the development indicates that the site can be appropriately designed to achieve relevant internal noise requirements. Minimum façade acoustic ratings are provided in the report to address noise intrusion from the surrounding industrial, rail and traffic noise sources.

A preliminary assessment of noise emissions with respect to mechanical plant has been undertaken. This indicates that with appropriate plant selection and treatment noise emissions are capable of achieving the requirements of the NSW EPA Noise Policy for Industry and emissions would therefore not adversely impact surrounding receivers.

A preliminary review of construction noise and vibration impacts from the site indicates that due to the proximity of sensitive receivers, management of activities and emissions would need to be undertaken. A detailed assessment of construction noise impact and the development of a project construction noise and vibration management plan is recommended prior commencement of construction. The purpose of the assessment and plan is to assess emissions form the actual construction methodologies selected and then determine and document appropriate mitigation and management measures that will be adopted to address any residual impacts in accordance with the ICNG methodology.

We trust this information is satisfactory. Please contact us should you have any further queries.

Yours faithfully,

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APPENDIX ONE – UNATTENDED NOISE MONITORING – DONCASTER AVENUE



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APPENDIX TWO – UNATTENDED MORNING HORSE TRAINING NOISE MEASUREMENTS



AJC Horse Training Noise Measurements

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APPENDIX THREE – UNATTENDED HORSE RACING EVENT NOISE MEASUREMENT





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Appendix D Site Survey Plan

