

Stuart Hodgson Director Environment, Sustainability and Planning Metro West Sydney Metro 680 George Street Sydney, NSW, 2000

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Dear Mr Hodgson

Sydney Metro West Stage 1 (SSI-10038) Phasing Report Revision 1.1

I refer to the Stage 1 Phasing Report (Revision 1.1, dated 24 August 2021) which was submitted to the Department for information in accordance with Condition A12 of the approval for the Sydney Metro West project (SSI-10038). Revision 1.1 is an update to the Phasing Report to outline the requirements of the planning approval for Phase C – Parramatta and Clyde Enabling Works and Phase E – Existing Rail Corridor Enabling Works.

I note that the Stage 1 Phasing Report Revision 1.1:

- contains details on the activities to be carried out in each phase and the general timing of each phase;
- considers cumulative impacts of phased construction;
- includes an assessment of the predicted level of environmental risk and community concern; and
- has been reviewed and endorsed by the project's Environmental Representative (ER).

I also note that Section 3 of the Phasing Report Revision 1.1 still refers to the document as relating to the Phase A works only. Please remove or update this text before submitting any future revisions of the Phasing Report.

As nominee of the Planning Secretary, in accordance with Condition C7 I nominate the project's ER to endorse the CEMP sub-plans in Table 7 for the Phase C works (noting that none are proposed for Phase E). No additional sub-plans to those outlined in Revision 1.1 for Phases C and E are requested to be submitted to the Planning Secretary for approval.

You are reminded that if there is any inconsistency between the Stage 1 Phasing Report Revision 1.1 and the conditions of approval, then the requirements of the conditions of approval will prevail.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Grant Brown at grant.brown@dpie.nsw.gov.au

Yours sincerely

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