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Pacific Highway Upgrade, Woolgoolga to Ballina Project (SSI-4963): Sections 1 and 2 Ministers Condition of Approval D6 & D8 Prepare and Implement a Nest Box Plan & Microbat Management Plan.

Dear Shelley,

I refer to the Planning Approval SSI-4963 dated 24 June 2014 for the Pacific Highway Upgrade, Woolgoolga to Ballina (W2B).

In accordance with Ministers Conditions of Approval (MCoA) D6 & D8, Transport for NSW (TfNSW) have prepared and implemented the approved nest box and microbat management plans for W2B Sections 1 and 2. As part of the implementation of the plans, TfNSW undertook monitoring and maintenance of installed nest boxes, bat boxes and relevant culverts during 2020 and 2021.

The report includes the recommendation to continue monitoring as per the relevant plans, with the final autumn and spring monitoring rounds to be undertaken in 2023. This is endorsed by TfNSW, and will be implemented.

TfNSW is submitting the W2B Sections 1 and 2 nest box and microbat monitoring report (2010/21). As required by the MCoA, a copy of this report will be uploaded on our project website and provided to the Environment Protection Agency.

Should you require any further information, please contact Shayne Walker on 0467818189.

Yours sincerely

12/11/20221

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## **Attachments**

W2B Sections 1 and 2 Nest Box and Microbat Monitoring Report 2020/21