



28th May 2021

Mr Jim Betts
Secretary
Department of Planning, Industry and Environment
GPO Box 39
SYDNEY NSW 2001

Dear Mr Betts

Newcastle Inner City Bypass, Rankin Park to Jesmond, SSI 6888 Modification 1 – Additional Ancillary Facilities

I refer to the Department's letter of 9 December 2020 which included the Secretary's environmental assessment requirements (SEARs) for the preparation of a modification application for additional ancillary facilities for the Rankin Park to Jesmond project.

Please find attached the modification application, which has been prepared to address the SEARs for the project.

Your notification that the environmental impact statement is suitable for exhibition would be appreciated.

If you have any further questions, Melissa Mayfield-Smith, would be pleased to take your call on 0408 199 626. I hope this has been of assistance.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gill Geraghty'.

Gillian Geraghty,
Head of Regional Project Delivery