



Mr Andrew Grainger
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29/09/2020

Dear Andrew

**Newcastle Inner City Bypass – Ranking Park to Jesmond (SSI 6888)
Out of Hours Works Protocol**

I refer to your submission dated 28 July 2020 requesting approval of the Out of Hours Works Protocol (the Protocol), Revision 7, dated 4 September 2020 in accordance with condition E31 of SSI 6888. I also acknowledge your responses to the Department's review and comments.

The Department has carefully reviewed the document and is satisfied that the Protocol:

- has been reviewed by Transport for NSW and no issues have been raised,
- has been reviewed by the Environmental Representative, and
- contains the information required by the conditions of approval.

As nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the Out of Hours Works Protocol, Revision 7, dated 4 September 2020 under condition E31 of SSD 6888. Please ensure that the approved plan is placed on the project website at the earliest convenience.

Please note, if there are any inconsistencies between the approved documents and the conditions of approval, then the requirements of the conditions of approval prevail.

If you wish to discuss further, please contact Lee McCourt at Lee.McCourt@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Erica van den Honert'.

Erica van den Honert
Director
Infrastructure Management

As nominee of the Planning Secretary