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Subject: Tree Report Package 5 & 6 Revision 11 for Sydney Metro Sydenham to Bankstown (E5 of SSI-8256)

Dear Mr Cerone

I refer to your submission dated 1 June 2022, requesting approval of the Tree Report Package 5 & 6 (Revision 11, 29 May 2022). I also acknowledge your response to the Department's review comments and requests for additional information.

I note the Tree Report Package 5 & 6 Revision 11:

- Has been prepared by an independent, experienced, and suitably qualified arborist;
- Has been prepared in consultation with councils;
- Has been reviewed by Sydney Metro and no issues have been raised with the Department; and
- Contains the information required by the conditions of approval.

As nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the Tree Report Package 5 & 6 (Revision 11, 29 May 2022) under Condition E5.

You are reminded that if there is any inconsistency between the approved document and the conditions of approval, then the requirements of the conditions of approval prevail.

Please ensure you make the document and this approval letter publicly available on the project website.

Please ensure that the approved plan is placed on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Minna Kilpelainen at [minna.kilpelainen@dpie.nsw.gov.au](mailto:minna.kilpelainen@dpie.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely



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As nominee of the Planning Secretary