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Dear Mr Parris,

**Western Harbour Tunnel and Warringah Freeway Upgrade (SSI 8863)
Nomination of Environmental Representative and Acoustic Advisors (Conditions A24, A30)**

I refer to your nominations on the 22 January 2020 for the roles of Environmental Representative (ER) and Acoustic Advisors (AA) in accordance with conditions of approval A24 and A30 of the Western Harbour Tunnel and Warringah Freeway Upgrade (SSI 8863) project approval.

I note your nominations of Mr Maurice Pignatelli (Optimising Environmental Assurance) as the ER and Mr Larry Clark (Acoustic Studio) as the nominated primary AA, Mr Dave Anderson (Acoustic Studio) and Ms Sav Shimada (Acoustic Studio) as the alternate AA's and that you have provided evidence to demonstrate that they:

- are suitably qualified and experienced;
- hold current memberships of a relevant professional bodies;
- were not involved in the preparation of the documents listed in **Condition A1**;
- are independent from the design and construction of the project; and
- meet the requirements set out in the *Environmental Representative Protocol* (DPIE, 2018) and *Seeking approval from the Department for the appointment of independent experts* (DPIE, 2020).

As nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the appointment of Mr Maurice Pignatelli as ER and Mr Larry Clark as the primary AA and Mr Dave Anderson and Ms Sav Shimada as alternative AAs, in accordance with A24 and A30 of SSI 8863.

Please ensure that Mr Maurice Pignatelli, Mr Larry Clark, Mr Dave Anderson and Ms Sav Shimada are made aware of their obligations and functions under the approval, and that you provide them with the information required to undertake their role in a timely and complete manner.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Carl Dumpleton on (02) 9274 6283 or at carl.dumpleton@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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As nominee of the Planning Secretary