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Dear Mr Rosel,

**Sydney International Convention, Exhibition and Entertainment Centre Precinct (SICEEP) –
'International Convention Centre Hotel' (ICC Hotel)**

We refer to correspondence from Heather Warton of the Department of Planning & Infrastructure dated 13 September 2013 inviting Ausgrid to make a submission on the above project.

A review of the project works has been undertaken in relation to potential impacts or interfaces with Ausgrid's electricity infrastructure. In general, no objections are raised, subject to the following considerations and recommended conditions:

Prior to commencement of works within each precinct, the Proponent:

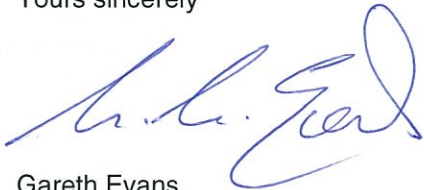
- i. must, unless otherwise agreed in writing with Ausgrid, enter into an Agreement to ensure Ausgrid's capacity to design, construct and operate existing and future infrastructure is not impeded;
- ii. must confirm with Ausgrid the location and status (e.g. live, de-energised, isolated, abandoned) of existing Ausgrid infrastructure;
- iii. must liaise with Ausgrid in relation to any aspects of the development that may impact or potentially impact Ausgrid's infrastructure or ability to safely operate and maintain its infrastructure. This includes but is not limited to effects of vibration, excavation, construction works;
- iv. must liaise with Ausgrid to determine the relocation of any existing Ausgrid infrastructure to the satisfaction of Ausgrid in its absolute discretion.
- v. must design the project taking into consideration the electric and magnetic fields (EMF) associated with Ausgrid's infrastructure;
- vi. must liaise with Ausgrid to agree appropriate work methodologies in the vicinity of Ausgrid's infrastructure.

During works within each precinct, the Proponent:

- vii. must ensure that work in the vicinity of Ausgrid's underground infrastructure, is undertaken in accordance with Ausgrid's Network Standard NS156 - Working Near or Around Underground Cables.

Should you wish to discuss these matters further, please contact Hal Hissey on 9269 2108 or via email hhissey@ausgrid.com.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'G. Evans', with a large, stylized loop at the end.

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