

17 February 2020

Department of Planning, Industry & Environment
Key Sites Assessments
GPO Box 39
SYDNEY NSW 2001

Attention: Matthew Rosel

**SSD 9262 – RESPONSE TO SUBMISSIONS – UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE,
HONEYSUCKLE CITY CAMPUS DEVELOPMENT, LOTS: 1-3 DP: 1163346, LOT: 21 DP:
1165985, LOT:2 DP:1226145, 16 HONEYSUCKLE DRIVE NEWCASTLE**

Transport for NSW (TfNSW) advises that legislation to dissolve Roads and Maritime Services and transfer its assets, rights and liabilities to TfNSW came into effect on 1 December 2019. It is intended that the new structure will enable TfNSW to deliver more integrated TfNSW services across modes and better outcomes to customers and communities across NSW.

For convenience, correspondence, advice or submissions made to or by Roads and Maritime Services prior to its dissolution, are referred to in this letter as having been made to or by 'TfNSW'.

On 24 January 2020 TfNSW accepted the referral by Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (DPIE) through the Planning Portal regarding the abovementioned SSD application. DPIE referred the Development Application to TfNSW for comment in accordance with Clause 104 / Schedule 3 of the *State Environmental Planning Policy (Infrastructure) 2007*. This letter is a submission in response to that referral.

TfNSW understands the application to be for the response to submissions.

TfNSW Response

TfNSW's primary interests are in the road network, traffic and broader TfNSW issues. In particular, the efficiency and safety of the classified road network, the security of property assets and the integration of land use and TfNSW.

Honeysuckle Drive is a local road. Council is the roads authority for this and all other public roads in the area, in accordance with Section 7 of the *Roads Act 1993*.

TfNSW has reviewed the information provided and raises no objection to the proposed development as it is considered there will be no significant impact on the nearby classified (State) road network.

On Council's determination of this matter, please forward a copy of the Notice of Determination to TfNSW for record and / or action purposes. Should you require further information please contact Marc Desmond on 0475 825 820 or by emailing development.hunter@rms.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Peter Marler', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Peter Marler
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