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Director, Transport Assessments Department of Planning and Environment GPO Box 39 Sydney NSW 2001

Attention: James Sellwood

## Re: Parramatta Light Rail (Stage 1) Environmental Impact Statement

Dear James

Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment on the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the proposed Parramatta Light Rail (PLR) project. Sydney Water has an extensive network of water, wastewater and stormwater assets located within the vicinity of the proposed PLR corridor. We will also be providing future water related infrastructure to help facilitate the growth within the Greater Parramatta and Olympic Peninsula Priority Growth Area.

Sydney Water has been collaborating with Transport for NSW's (TfNSW) PLR team during their planning phase. Sydney Water assets impacted on across the full extent of the PLR corridor have been identified. We will continue to work closely with the PLR team to develop and implement an Interface Agreement. The Interface Agreement will set requirements for both parties during the design, construction, operation and maintenance of the PLR.

Key items to be addressed are:

- Sydney Water assets impacted on by the project will require relocation, adjustment, protection an upsizing to accommodate future growth. The Project needs to meet Sydney Water's Asset Adjustment Process or other requirements agreed to under the Sydney Water and TfNSW Interface Agreement.
- If any Sydney Water assets outside of the project boundary require change, TfNSW will need to obtain environmental approval to cover these works.
- The project includes the construction of a new Stabling Yard at Camellia. The Stabling Yard will need a connection to Sydney Water's water and wastewater system. TfNSW will be required to obtain a compliance certificate from Sydney Water for connection to our system.
- TfNSW must ensure Sydney Water's requirements for access to our infrastructure are met throughout the design, construction, operation and maintenance of the project. This includes access to operational sites such as Sydney Water's Sewage Pumping Station No. 67 (SPS067) at Camellia and ensuring access to our network assets is available from outside the PLR corridor.



 SPS067 is also a State Heritage listed item. TfNSW must consult with Sydney Water throughout the project in relation to any works taking place which may impact on pumping station site.

Sydney Water will continue to work with the PLR project team during future stages of the project to obtain the best outcomes for Sydney Water, TfNSW and the community. If you need any further information, please contact Cassie Loughlin on 8849 5243 or email cassandra.loughlin@sydneywater.com.au.

Yours sincerely

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