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Director –Infrastructure Projects Department of Planning and Environment Number SSI 13-6136 Major Projects Assessment GPO Box 39 SYDNEY 2001

Dear Sir

NORTH CONNEX TUNNEL

I am writing to express my deep concern regarding the location of the exhaust stack that is currently proposed for the Wahroonga end of the above tunnel.

It goes without saying that the tunnel emissions could well have severe and serious health consequences for the huge number of residents who live in the nearby areas of the exhaust stack. This not only applies to residents but also the enormous number of pupils attending the several schools in the near vicinity of the exhaust stack.

The fact it may/would be more costly to position the stack elsewhere pales into insignificance when compared to the serious health problems that are very likely to otherwise result. I believe that the environmental impact study of this project has not been thoroughly carried out and accordingly I strongly request that the following actions be undertaken....

- 1. that the Department of Planning do not approve the project in its present form, and
- that alternative transport options be implemented to ease congestion on Pennant Hills Road such as an orbital surface route.

Yours sincerely

Raymond Lindsay

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