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West Pennant Hills NSW 2125

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Infrastructure Projects

Department of Planning and Environment

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Major Project Assessment

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Scanning Room

Re: NorthConnex Project – The ventilation extraction tunnel at the southern interchange.

To whom it may concern,

I have concerns about the air pollution that will affect the local population's health.

- 1. That the polluted air from the tunnel will not be filtered and that diesel emissions that cause cancer will be emitted into the air for everyone in the local area to breathe in.
- 2. The polluted air will affect asthmatics, babies, children, elderly, the infirm and pregnant women. I do not think this dirty air will not do them any good.

Can the polluted air from this proposed tunnel be filtered so our population's health is not at risk?

Can the ventilation extraction tunnel be placed in another location away from the many homes that are in this area?

Can you give documentary proof in detail that you will vent the polluted air from the tunnel to the southern ventilation stack?

Can the emissions from the proposed tunnel be constantly monitored by an independent group?

Please consider the effects on people's health before going ahead with this project. There is enough pollution in this area already we do not need any more!

Yours sincerely

Mrs Maria Panaia.