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Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: EIS Submission – NorthConnex Proposal Application number - SSI 13\_6136

I am a Wahroonga resident and have lived in Ku ring gai for most of my life. This is the area where I most want to bring up my children as it has always offered a rarefied existence in terms of the beautiful, clean environment. I can't understand why any government would allow an emissions stack to be built in close proximity to over 9000 school children let alone residents and local workers. I have reviewed the science and I am most perplexed with the outcome facing Wahroonga should the emissions stack proposed by NorthConnex be built. There is a solution available to the government that will not destroy the amenity of Wahroonga and will surely esteem the government for making choices in the BEST INTERESTS OF THE POPULATION.

The Equilibria Proposal provides so many benefits to the community and solves the problem of harmful emissions in a densely populated area. Also, to further improve Wahroonga by unifying the suburb once more and developing the southern section of the M1 is truly unique and sets a high benchmark for infrastructure development in Australia. The fact that the development will fund a tunnel extension is a tremendous bonus that the government should take notice of.

So please, make the smart choice, listen to the community and amend the NorthConnex Proposal by adopting the Equilibria Proposal.

Yours faithfully,

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