

Mr Justin Woodhouse
Senior Planner – Transport Assessments
NSW Department of Planning and Environment
Level 29, 320 Pitt Street
SYDNEY NSW 2001

Dear Mr Woodhouse

Request to Review NorthConnex Modification 2 – SSI 6636

I refer to your request dated 7 December 2017 to the NSW Environment Protection Authority (EPA) inviting comment on the Modification 2 SSI 6136 of the NorthConnex project approval.

The proposed NorthConnex Modification 2 includes a modification of Condition of Approval B2 to:

- Clarify the reference point for measuring the specified 20 metre height of each ventilation outlets; and
- Correct and clarify ventilation outlet tip heights as follows:
 - Northern ventilation outlet (Wahroonga) from a tip height of 194 metres to 200.8 metres (AHD); and
 - Southern ventilation outlet (Pennant Hills) from a tip height of 147 metres to 148 metres (AHD).

Based on the information provided that the outlet heights above ground level are not being reduced and the modelling does not indicate an increased impact, the EPA has no objection to the proposed modification.

If you wish to discuss this further, please contact Rashad Danoun on rashad.danoun@epa.nsw.gov.au or 9995 6370.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'M. Sharpin'.

MIKE SHARPIN
Unit Head Metropolitan Infrastructure
Environment Protection Authority