Record of Minister's opinion for the purposes of Clause 6(1) of the State Environmental Planning Policy (Major Projects) 2005

I, the Director-General, as delegate of the Minister for Planning under delegation executed on 31 October 2005, have formed the opinion that the development described in the Schedule below, is development of a kind that is described in Schedule 1 of the State Environmental Planning Policy (Major Projects) 2005 – namely Group 7, Clause 18 "Hospitals" and Group 7, Clause 21 "Correctional Facilities" - and is thus declared to be a project to which Part 3A of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* applies for the purpose of section 75B of that Act.

Schedule

A proposal for the construction of two new hospitals (a forensic hospital and a prison hospital) within the Long Bay Gaol Correctional Complex, generally as described in a letter and appended supporting material dated 2 February 2006 from the Director-General of NSW Department of Health (Robyn Kruk) to the Director-General of the Department of Planning.

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Sam Haddad Director-General

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