



Transport



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Attention: Ben Eveleigh

Dear Ms Warton,

**MODIFICATION REQUEST FOR HONEYSUCKLE CENTRAL,
LOT 25 HONEYSUCKLE DRIVE, NEWCASTLE**

I refer to your letter dated 18 May 2011 regarding the application for the Modification of the Environmental Assessment for the Honeysuckle Central Development. The Department of Transport appreciates the opportunity to comment on this application.

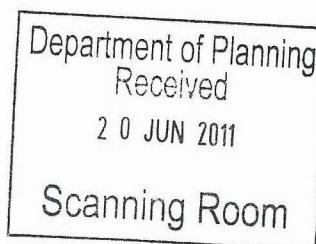
The Department of Transport has reviewed the Environmental Assessment and attached Traffic and Car Parking Assessment, and has no objections to the proposed modification.

However, the Department of Transport recommends that the number of car parking spaces proposed be reduced to the minimum number as required by Council's DCP to discourage, where possible, private vehicle trips and promote travel by public transport, walking and cycling.

Should you have any questions, please contact Lauren O'Connor on 02 8202 2292 or Lauren.O'Connor@transport.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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