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Savills Project Management Level 7 50 Bridge Street SYDNEY NSW 2000

Attention: Ms Marie Khoury

Dear Marie

## SYDNEY OPERA HOUSE – VAPS PROJECT QUANTITY SURVEYOR CERTIFICATE OF COST

As requested we have prepared this Quantity Surveyor's Certificate of Cost to verify the Capital Investment Value of the project in accordance with the definition contained in the State Environment Planning Policy (Major Development) 2005.

Under this policy the Capital Investment Value has the same meaning as in the Environmental Planning Assessment Regulation 2000 which was amended on 7 May 2010 to the following;

Capital Investment Value of a development or project includes all costs necessary to establish and operate the project, including the design and construction of buildings, structures, associated infrastructure and fixed or mobile plant and equipment, other than the following costs:

- (a) amounts payable, or the cost of land dedicated or any other benefit provided, under a condition imposed under Division 6 or 6A of Part 4 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act or a planning agreement under that division;
- (b) costs relating to any part of the development or project that is the subject of a separate development consent or project approval;
- (c) land costs (including any costs of marketing and selling land);
- (d) GST (within the meaning of A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999 of the Commonwealth).



Based on the this definition, we advise that our estimate of Capital Investment Value for this project is \$117,678,554 excluding GST as summarised below;

Building works	\$95,728,458
Roadworks	\$6,600,719
Stormwater diversion	Excluded
Consultant and project management fees	\$10,232,918
Design Development Contingency	\$5,116,459
Long Service Leave Levy	Included
TOTAL	\$ <u>117,678,554</u> excluding GST

We note our estimate excludes allowances for the following items based on advice provided by the NSW Department of Planning;

- Development Application and Construction Certificate fees
- Authority fees
- Escalation for potential cost increases beyond June 2010
- Loose furniture, fittings and equipment
- Finance costs

We confirm our estimate is based on the following information;

- Architectural concept design documents as Johnson Pilton Walker transmittal no. 23 dated 24.05.2010. (Excludes stage 2 works, indicative future works, indicative strategic building plan works)
- Structural concept design documents as Arup transmittal no. 6 dated 21.05.2010.
- A Gross Floor Area of 4,343m<sup>2</sup>.

We trust the above is self explanatory however, if you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours faithfully

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