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The Director Infrastructure Projects Department of Planning GPO Box 39 SYDNEY NSW 2001

Attention: Kate Masters

STAGE 2D SYDNEY CITY GRID SUBSTATION PROJECT SURRY HILLS

Dear Sir/Madam

Reference is made to the Department of Planning's correspondence dated 5 November 2010 regarding the subject development application forwarded to the Roads and Traffic Authority (RTA) for comment.

The information provided has been reviewed and the RTA raises concern with regard to the location of the proposed City East Cable Tunnel (CECT) and its proximity to the Cross City Tunnel (CCT) and associated foundations/rock anchors.

Energy Australia is currently consulting with the RTA's Motorways Management section and CCT operator to resolve operational, contractual and legal issues associated with this development.

Until this is resolved, the RTA does not have adequate information to grant its concurrence to the application under Section 138 of the *Roads Act 1993.* Upon the resolution of the above issues and confirmation of the location of works, the RTA will provide requirements to be incorporated into the determination of the application.

Should you require any further clarification in relation to this matter, please contact the undersigned on 8849 2047.

Yours faithfully

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