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Mr Jim Betts
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Attention: Ferdinando Macri

Dear Mr Betts,

EXHIBITION OF EIS (SSD110434896) THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL AT WESTMEAD REDEVELOPMENT STAGE 2 NEW MULTI-STOREY CAR PARK

Thank you for referring the abovementioned development' Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) to Transport for NSW (TfNSW) for comment. TfNSW has reviewed the EIS and the associated Transport Impact Assessment (TIA) and provides advisory comments for the Department's consideration in **TAB A**.

If you have any further inquiries in relation to this development application please contact Vic Naidu, Land Use Planner via development.sydney@transport.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,

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TAB A

Green Travel Plan (GTP)

Comment

TfNSW has been working with the proponent in regards to a precinct-wide GTP in association with SSD-7642. There has been recognition between both parties of the importance to collectively address the transport challenges in the precinct and the need to encourage the use of public and active transport, particularly among staff employed in the precinct.

Recommendation

TfNSW recommends that the proponent should be conditioned to update the existing GTP (as required under SSD-7642), to account for the travel demand generated by this development and to continue to address the transport challenges in the precinct and encourage the use of future users to utilise public and active transport. The updated GTP should:

- Be developed in consultation with TfNSW and endorsed prior to the issuing of an occupation certificate for this development;
- Agree with TfNSW regarding the future mode share targets of the GTP;
- Include a commitment of funding, a delivery strategy (including agreed timeframes) and appropriate human resourcing for the GTP actions from the proponent; and
- Consider the Travel Plan Toolkit for Hospital Precincts at https://www.mysydney.nsw.gov.au/travelchoices/tdm in the development of the Green Travel Plan.

Construction Pedestrian and Traffic Management Plan (CPTMP)

Comment

Several construction projects, including the PLR Project and Sydney Metro West Project are likely to overlap at the same time as the development. The cumulative increase in construction vehicle movements from these projects could further have the potential to impact on general traffic and bus operations within the precinct as well as the safety of pedestrians and cyclists.

Recommendation

TfNSW recommends that the proponent is conditioned to prepare CPTMP prior to the issue of any construction certificate in consultation TfNSW. The CPTMP needs to ensure that the construction of the development does not in any way adversely impact the following phases of the Parramatta Light Rail (PLR) Project:

- Construction;
- Testing;
- o Commissioning; and
- o Regular service operation.

The CPTMP shall include (but not limited) the following:

A description of the development;

Transport for NSW



- Location of any proposed work zone(s), noting that Hawkesbury Road is not a suitable location:
- Details of crane arrangements including location of any crane(s) and crane movement plan;
- Haulage routes;
- Proposed construction hours;
- Predicted number of construction vehicle movements, detail of vehicle types and demonstrate that proposed construction vehicle movements can work within the context of road changes in the surrounding area, noting that construction vehicle movements are to be minimised during peak periods;
- Construction vehicle access arrangements;
- Construction program and construction methodology, including any construction staging;
- A detailed plan of any proposed hoarding and/or scaffolding;
- Measures to avoid construction worker vehicle movements within the precinct;
- Consultation strategy for liaison with surrounding stakeholders, including other developments under construction and PLR and Sydney Metro West builders;
- Identify any potential impacts to general traffic, cyclists, pedestrians, bus services and any light rail within the vicinity of the site from construction vehicles during the construction of the proposed works. Proposed mitigation measures should be clearly identified and included in the CPTMP; and
- Identify the cumulative construction activities of the development and other projects within or around the development site, including the PLR Project and private development. Proposed measures to minimise the cumulative impacts on the surrounding road network should be clearly identified and included in the CPTMP;
- Submit a copy of the final plan to TfNSW for endorsement; and
- Provide the builder's direct contact number to small businesses adjoining or impacted by the
 construction work and the Transport Management Centre within TfNSW to resolve issues
 relating to traffic, public transport, freight, servicing and pedestrian access during construction
 in real time. The applicant is responsible for ensuring the builder's direct contact number is
 current during any stage of construction.

The applicant shall update the CPTMP to reflect the different phases of the PLR Project when required by TfNSW. The applicant shall submit a copy of the final updated plan to TfNSW for endorsement within two weeks of being notified by TfNSW to update the plan. Please send information to development.sco@transport.nsw.gov.au.