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Dear Glenn,

Sydney Metro West – Concept and Stage 1 – Modification 2 Clyde stabling and maintenance facility (SSI-10038-Mod-2): Response to request for additional information

Sydney Metro is seeking a modification to the approved Concept and major civil construction work between Westmead and The Bays (Stage 1 of the Sydney Metro West project), as it relates to the Clyde stabling and maintenance facility construction site.

The *Draft Camellia-Rosehill Place Strategy (2021)* has been a consideration in the ongoing design development for the approved project. Whilst Sydney Metro has raised concerns regarding the feasibility of a future M4 Motorway connection during the consultation with Department of Planning and Environment, the design proposed as part of the modification does not preclude this from occurring and being funded and delivered by others at a future date.

Sydney Metro has reviewed preliminary sketches of potential connections with the Department of Planning and Environment's consultant, Arcadis. Due to a range of issues including conflicting road alignment, site levels, and flood impacts, Sydney Metro advised the Department of Planning and Environment that these preliminary options were not supported in their current form. It is also noted that detailed traffic modelling and feasibility studies are still required in order to progress this work.

Since the award of the Western Tunnelling Package which includes the realignment of Unwin Street and other urban design scope, Sydney Metro has provided our reference design to the Metro Central team at the Department of Planning and Environment. Sydney Metro will engage in further consultation with the Department of Planning and Environment and Transport for NSW in order to assist in understanding the implications of such a connection but note that changes to the Western Tunnelling Package scope at this stage would be difficult to include.

If you have any questions or require any further information, please contact Ari Stypel, Manager Planning Approvals, at ari.stypel@transport.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,

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