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Management Plan: Hydraulic

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## ACRONYMS

CJA – CJ Arms

CSSI – Critical State Significant Infrastructure

DA-Development Application

LOC – Land Owner’s Consent

NSW DPIE- NSW Department of Planning, Industry and Environment

OSD – Over Station Development

SEARs- Secretary’s Environmental Assessment Requirements

SSD – State Significant Development

Table 1 SEARs Requirements

Item	Description of Requirement	Section Reference
<b>SEARS 12</b>	a) Identify and address the existing capacity to service the development proposed and any augmentation requirements for utilities in consultation with relevant agencies. B) Identify any potential impacts of the proposed construction and operation on the existing utility infrastructure and service provider assets, and demonstrate how these will be protected, or impacts mitigated.	Section 2 – Section 5

Table 2 Concept Approval and Conditions of Consent

Item	Description of Requirement	Section Reference (this report)
<b>12</b>	Address the existing capacity and any augmentation requirements of the development for the provision of utilities, including staging of infrastructure through the preparation of an infrastructure / utility management plan in consultation with relevant agencies and services providers.	Section 2 – Section 5
<b>69</b>	(b) Detailed stormwater and drainage design documentation including overland flow assessment and maintenance.	Refer CJA Stormwater Management Plan SMCSWSPS-CJA-OSN-BS-REP-091000[C] and Aurecon Flood Impact Assessment - SMCSWSPS-AUR-OSN-CV-REP-000004

Table 3 - Updates since previous submission

Type of Change	Description of Change	Section Reference
Updated information	Updated the Sydney Metro Description	Section 2.2 – Page 8
Updated information	Updated figure 2 – Sydney Metro Alignment Map to latest map.	Section 2.2 – Page 9

## 1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Planning approval is being sought from the DPIE for the Over-Station Development (OSD) of Pitt Street North, Sydney. This Infrastructure Services and Utilities report is presented as one part of the broader Development Application submission process. It has been commissioned by the Pitt Street North Developer to provide guidance and direction for a commercial and retail tower.

The Infrastructure Services and Utilities report provides an outline of the existing condition of the services and utilities for the site, the advice received from Sydney Water and Jemena regarding the feasibility of connections for the Over Station Development, and the proposed solutions.

After reviewing Sydney Water's Asset Maps and their feasibility advice the following connection proposals have been made:

- Stormwater
  - A new on-site detention tank of 49cbm with a new connection into the existing Park St/Pitt St pit, meeting the Q100 event.
- Potable water
  - A new 150mm cold water tapping to existing Castlereagh St water main as indicated by Sydney water.
  - A new 200mm wet fire tapping to existing Park St water main.
- Sewer
  - A new 225mm boundary trap and 225mm connection to the existing VC authority main on Castlereagh St as indicated by Sydney water.

Following discussions with Jemena gas authority, the following connection proposal has been made:

- Gas
  - A new connection to the existing Pitt St high pressure main, due to inadequate capacity in the existing Castlereagh St main as indicated by Jemena.

This report has been prepared in response to the requirements contained within the Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements (SEARS) Dated 25 October 2019. Specifically, this report has been prepared to respond to the SEARS requirements summarised in Table 1 above.

This report has also been prepared in response to the following Condition of Consent for the State Significant Development Concept (SSD 8875) for the OSD summarised in Table 2 above.

## 2. INTRODUCTION

This report has been prepared to accompany a detailed State Significant Development (SSD) development application (DA) for a commercial Over Station Development (OSD) above the new Sydney Metro Pitt Street North Station. The detailed SSD DA is consistent with the Concept Approval (SSD 17\_8875) granted for the maximum building envelope on the site, as proposed to be modified.

The Minister for Planning, or their delegate, is the consent authority for the SSD DA and this application is lodged with the NSW Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (NSW DPIE) for assessment.

This report has been prepared in response to the requirements contained within the Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements (SEARs) dated 25 October 2019.

The detailed SSD DA seeks development consent for:

- Construction of a new commercial tower of approximately 38 storeys
- The tower includes maximum GFA, excluding floor space approved in the CSSI.
- Integration with the approved CSSI proposal including though not limited to:
  - Structures, mechanical and electronic systems, and services; and
  - Vertical transfers.
- Use of spaces within the CSSI 'metro box' building envelope for the purposes of:
  - Retail tenancies;
  - Commercial lobby and commercial amenities;
  - Car parking spaces within the podium for the purposes of the commercial premises; and
  - Loading and services access.
- Utilities and services provision.
- Stratum subdivision (staged).



## 2.1 THE SITE

The site is located within the Sydney CBD. It has three separate street frontages, Pitt Street to the west, Park Street to the south and Castlereagh Street to the east. The area surrounding the site consists of predominantly commercial high-density buildings and some residential buildings, with finer grain and heritage buildings dispersed throughout.

The site has an approximate area of 3,150.1sqm and is legally described as follows:

- 252 Pitt Street (Lot 20 in DP1255509)

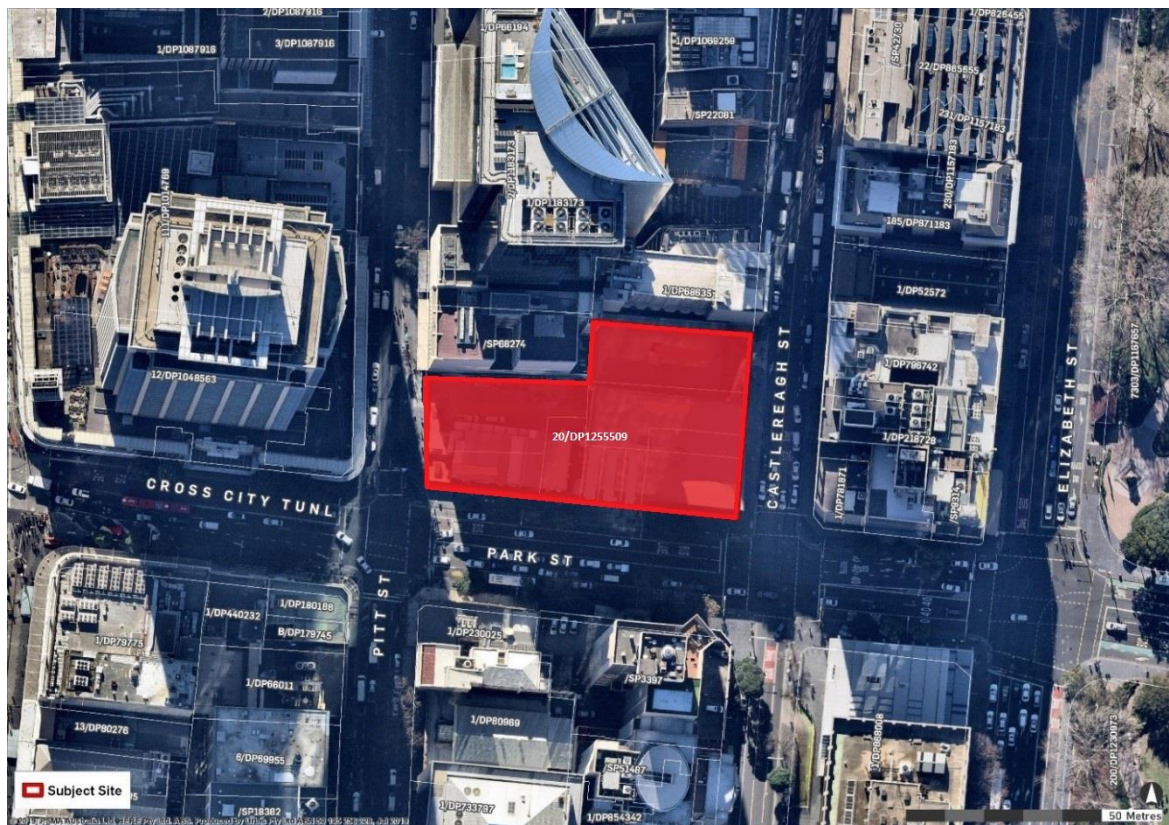


Figure 1 Location Plan. Source: Urbis

## 2.2 SYDNEY METRO DESCRIPTION

Sydney Metro is Australia's biggest public transport program. A new standalone railway, this 21st century network will revolutionise the way Sydney travels.

There are four core components:

### 1. Sydney Metro Northwest (formerly the 36km North West Rail Link)

This project is now complete and passenger services commenced in May 2019 between Rouse Hill and Chatswood, with a metro train every four minutes in the peak. The project was delivered on time and \$1 billion under budget.

### 2. Sydney Metro City & Southwest

Sydney Metro City & Southwest project includes a new 30km metro line extending metro rail from the end of Metro Northwest at Chatswood, under Sydney Harbour, through new CBD stations and southwest to Bankstown. It is due to open in 2024 with the ultimate capacity to run a metro train every two minutes each way through the centre of Sydney.

Sydney Metro City & Southwest will deliver new metro stations at Crows Nest, Victoria Cross, Barangaroo, Martin Place, Pitt Street, Waterloo and new underground metro platforms at Central Station. In addition it will upgrade and convert all 11 stations between Sydenham and Bankstown to metro standards.

In 2024, customers will benefit from a new fully-air conditioned Sydney Metro train every four minutes in the peak in each direction with lifts, level platforms and platform screen doors for safety, accessibility and increased security.

### 3. Sydney Metro West

Sydney Metro West is a new underground railway connecting Greater Parramatta and the Sydney CBD. This once-in-a-century infrastructure investment will transform Sydney for generations to come, doubling rail capacity between these two areas, linking new communities to rail services and supporting employment growth and housing supply between the two CBDs.

The locations of seven proposed metro stations have been confirmed at Westmead, Parramatta, Sydney Olympic Park, North Strathfield, Burwood North, Five Dock and The Bays.

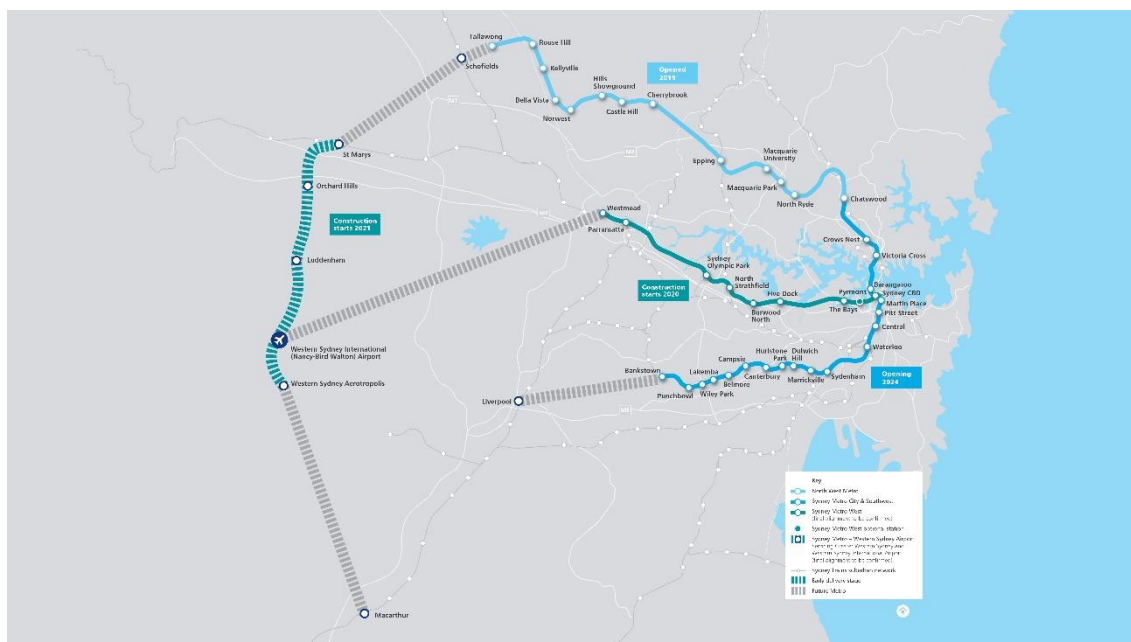
The NSW Government is assessing an optional station at Pyrmont and further planning is underway to determine the location of a new metro station in the Sydney CBD.

### 4. Sydney Metro – Western Sydney Airport

Metro rail will also service Greater Western Sydney and the new Western Sydney International (Nancy Bird Walton) Airport. The new railway line will become the transport spine for the Western Parkland City's growth for generations to come, connecting communities and travellers

with the rest of Sydney's public transport system with a fast, safe and easy metro service. The Australian and NSW governments are equal partners in the delivery of this new railway.

The Sydney Metro Project is illustrated in the figure below.

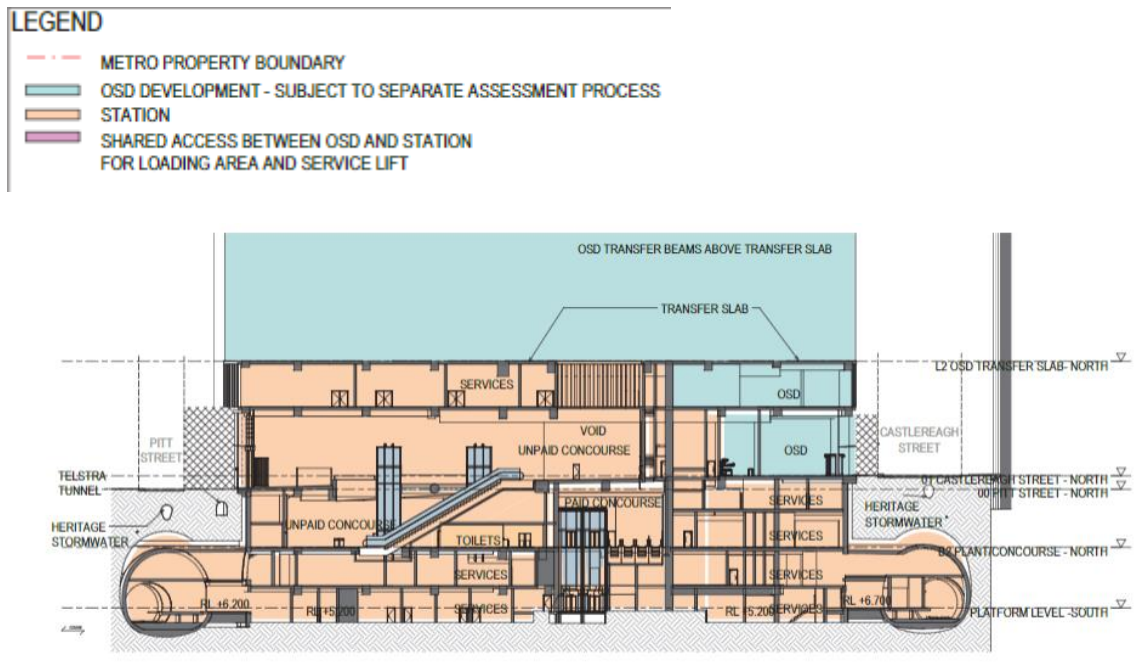


### Figure 2 Sydney Metro Alignment Map

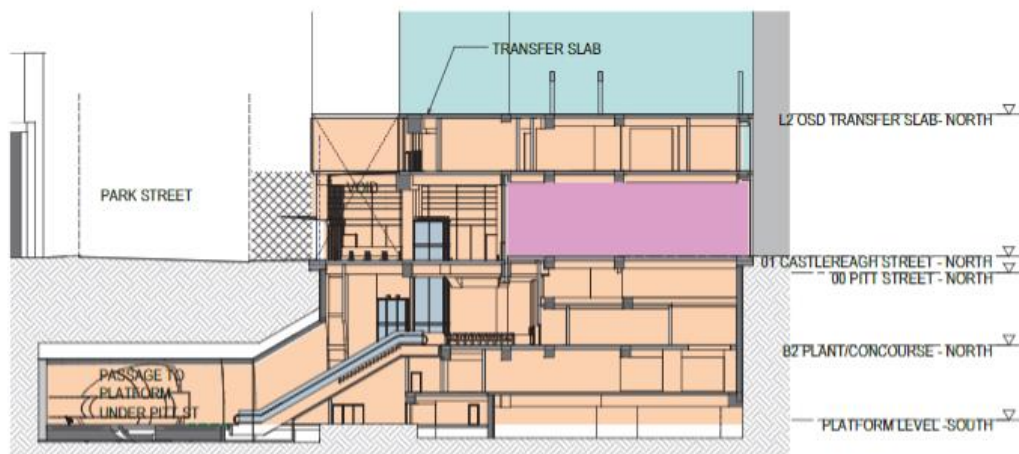
(Source: Sydney Metro)

On 9 January 2017, the Minister for Planning approved the Sydney Metro City & Southwest - Chatswood to Sydenham project as a Critical State Significant Infrastructure project (reference SSI 15\_7400) (CSSI Approval). The terms of the CSSI Approval includes all works required to construct the Sydney Metro Pitt Street Station, including the demolition of existing buildings and structures on both sites (north and south). The CSSI Approval also includes construction of below and above ground works within the metro station structure for appropriate integration with over station developments.

The CSSI Approval included Indicative Interface Drawings for the below and above ground works at Pitt Street North Metro Station site. The delineation between the approved Sydney Metro works, generally described as within the “metro box”, and the Over Station Development (OSD) elements are illustrated below. The delineation line between the CSSI Approved works and the OSD envelope is generally described below or above the transfer slab level respectively.



**Figure 3 Pitt Street Station – North (East-West Section)**



**Figure 4 Pitt Street Station – North (North-South Section)**

*(Source: CSSI Preferred Infrastructure Report (TfNSW))*

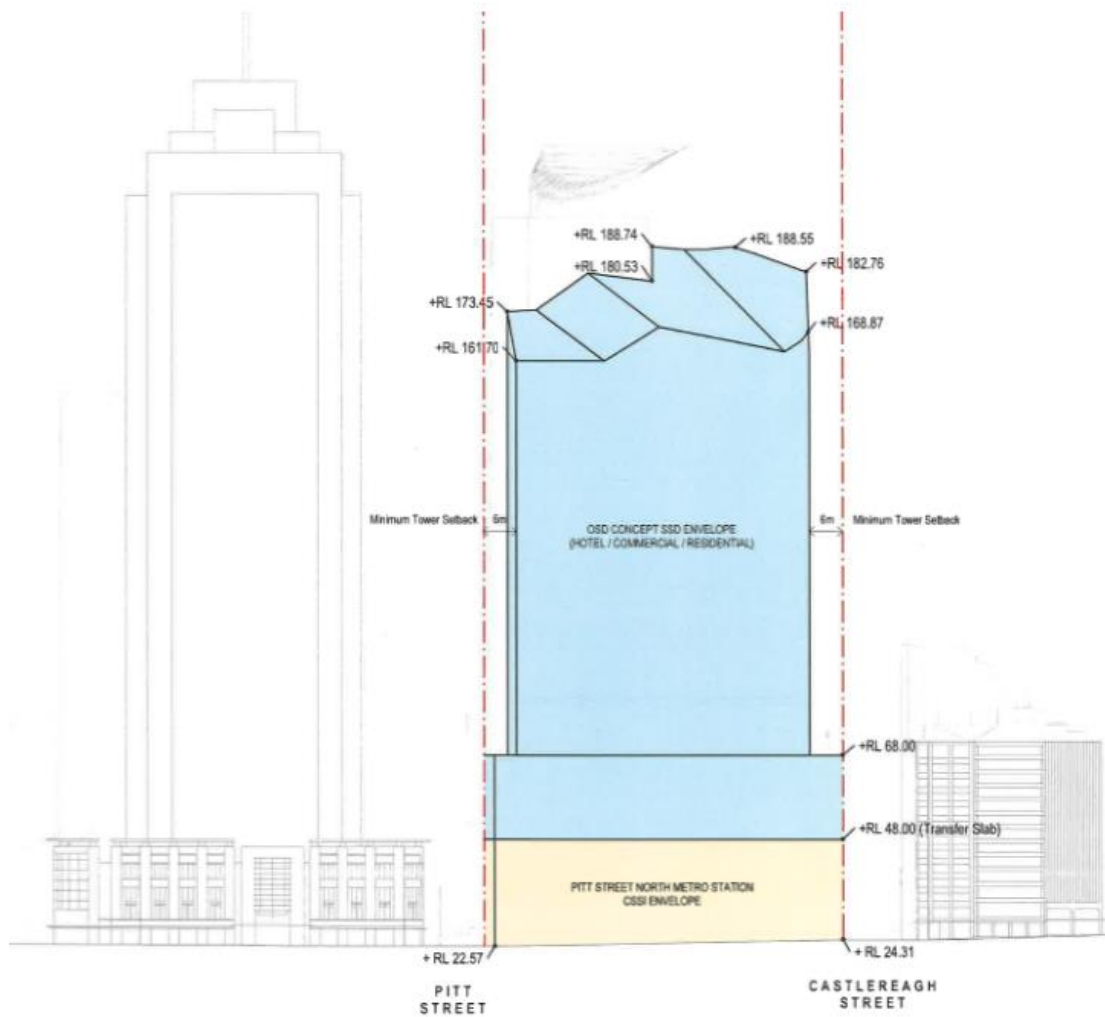
The Preferred Infrastructure Report (PIR) noted that the integration of the OSD elements and the metro station elements would be subject to the design resolution process, noting that the detailed design of the “metro box” may vary from the concept design assessed within the planning approval.



As such in summary:

- The CSSI Approval provides consent for the construction of all structures within the approved “metro box” envelope for Pitt Street North.
- The CSSI Approval provides consent for the fit out and use of all areas within the approved “metro box” envelope that relate to the ongoing use and operation of the Sydney Metro.
- The CSSI Approval provides consent for the embellishment of the public domain, and the architectural design of the “metro box” envelope as it relates to the approved Sydney Metro and the approved Pitt Street North Station Design & Precinct Plan.
- Separate development consent however is required to be issued by the NSW DPIE for the use and fit-out of space within the “metro box” envelope for areas related to the OSD, and notably the construction and use of the OSD itself.

As per the requirements of clause 7.20 of the Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2012, as the OSD exceeds a height of 55 metres above ground level (among other triggers), development consent is first required to be issued in a Concept (formerly known as Stage 1) DA. This is described below.



**Figure 5 Pitt Street North Concept SSD DA – Envelope – South Elevation**

*(Source: SSD 8875 Concept Stamped Plans)*

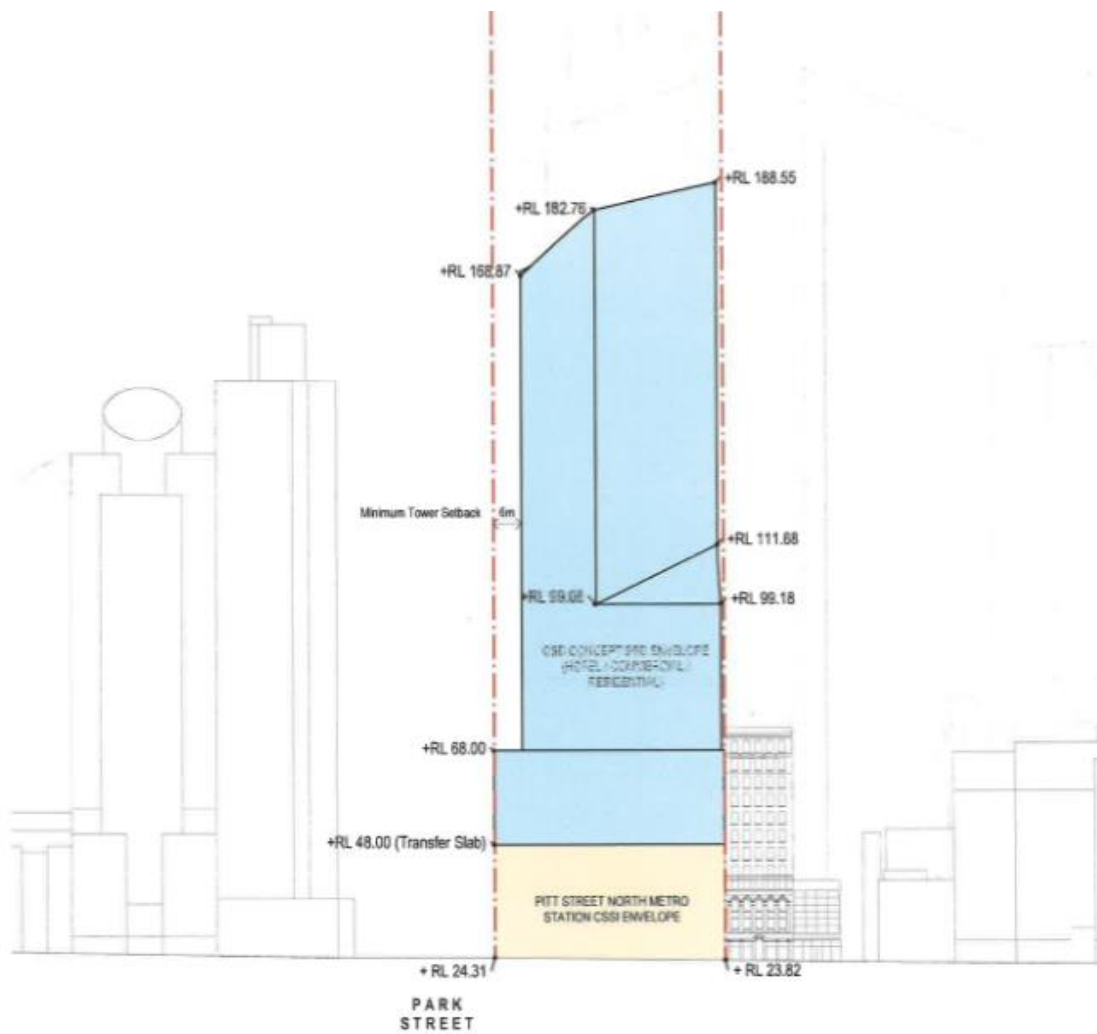
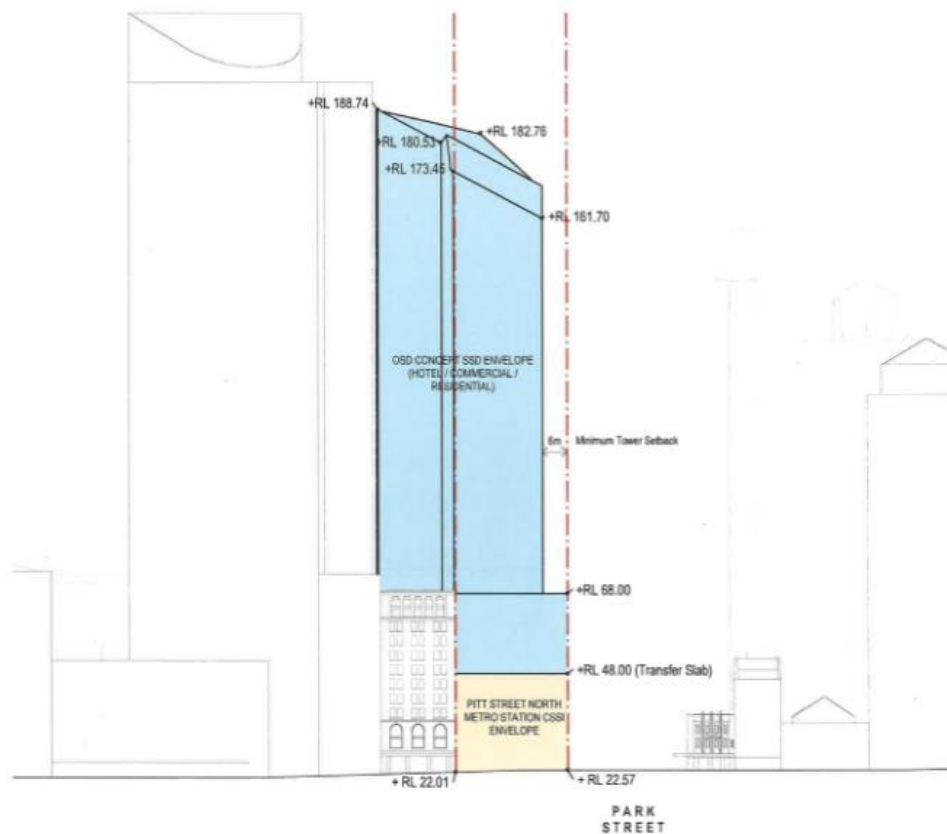


Figure 6 Pitt Street North Concept SSD DA – Envelope – East Elevation

(Source: SSD 8875 Concept Stamped Plans)



**Figure 7 Pitt Street North Concept SSD DA – Envelope – West Elevation**

*(Source: SSD 8875 Concept Stamped Plans)*

## 2.3 EXTENT OF SERVICES

This Site Infrastructure Brief is limited to the following hydraulic or gravity systems:

- Stormwater
- Potable Water
- Sewer Drainage
- Natural Gas

## 2.4 FEASIBILITY APPLICATION TO SYDNEY WATER

A Feasibility Application was submitted to Sydney Water by Warren Smith & Partners on 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018 (reference no. 5694000) to ascertain the suitability for connection to Sydney Water assets for stormwater, potable water and sewer.

Sydney Water subsequently provided a Feasibility Letter in response to the application on 14<sup>th</sup> June 2018 highlighting Sydney Water's requirements for the development for stormwater, potable water and sewer if a Section 73 Application were made. The information provided in the Feasibility Letter is relevant for the application day only. The associated application is appended to this report.



### 3. STORMWATER

#### 3.1 AVAILABLE INFORMATION

Preliminary stormwater authority information was obtained via Sydney Water's Asset Maps. These plans show approximate location and pipe/culvert size of the stormwater network surrounding the site. Further consultation on infrastructure surveys will be required further in the design phase.

#### 3.2 EXISTING CONDITIONS

The site is currently serviced by a series of stormwater connections to the kerb per lot area (refer Figure 4). The existing site is divided into smaller lot areas which allow for multiple kerb and gutter outlets. Stormwater is then discharged onto the kerb and into an existing council pit.

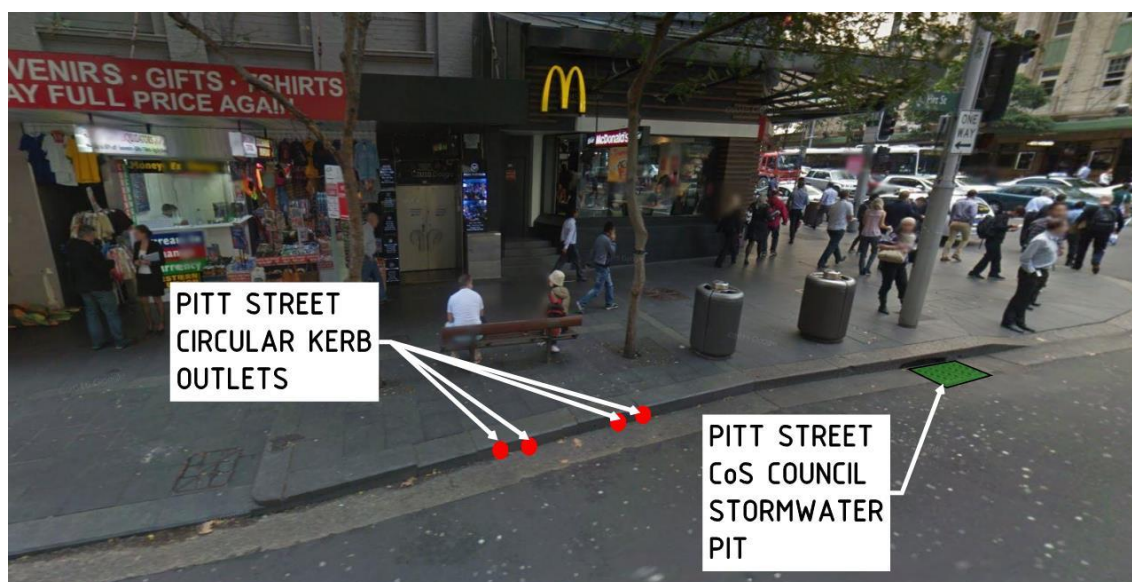


Figure 8 Existing Pitt Street Site Kerb Connections (Google Streetview)

##### 3.2.1 Sydney Water Feasibility Advice

Sydney Water provided the following response to the stormwater connection proposal for the station in the Feasibility Letter Section 5.2 dated 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018 (ref. no. 5694000).

“The proposed development will require an OSD system to offset stormwater run-off...On Site Detention is to be designed according to the Sydney Water's values and the details of the On Site Detention are to be submitted to Sydney Water for review and approval.”

Sydney Water have also advised via correspondence from 14<sup>th</sup> June 2017 that the site is to have an on-site detention tank of minimum size 49cbm. For further details refer to SMCSWSPS-CJA-OSN-BS-REP-091000: *Pitt Street North Over Statin Development State Significant Development Application Stormwater Management Plan [Rev B]*.

Sydney Water's preference for the site stormwater connection is to connect to the nearest council asset (stormwater pit).

### 3.3 PROPOSAL

Sydney Water has advised that the existing heritage drain on Pitt Street cannot be connected to.

City of Sydney Council has permitted construction of a new stormwater connection to an existing pit on the corner of Park and Pitt Street, at the south west corner of the site subject to detailed survey of existing asset. This will allow flows of up to a Q100 event.

All new council stormwater connections are to be constructed in accordance with City of Sydney specifications and requirements. Refer Figure 9 for details.

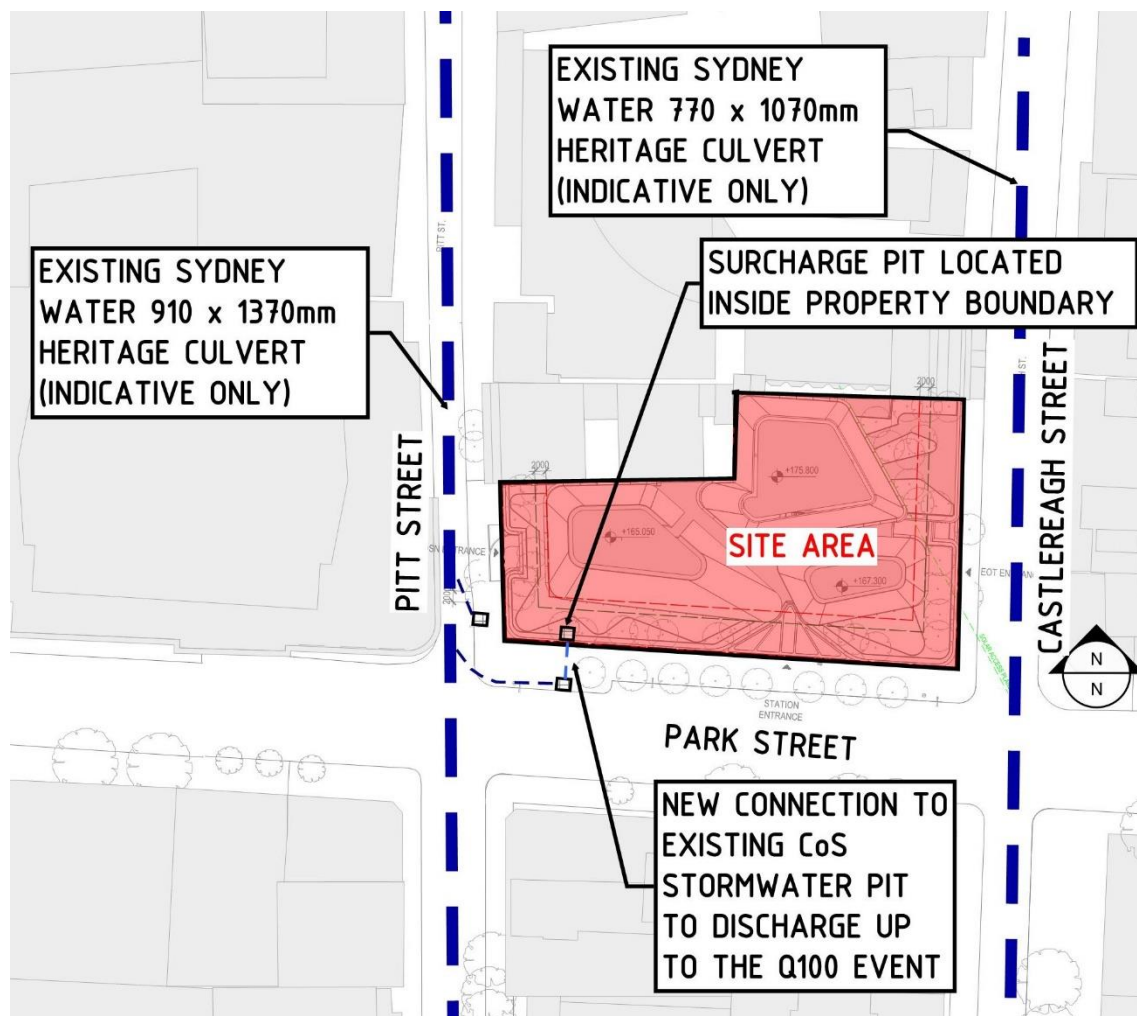


Figure 9 Site Stormwater Connection

## **4. POTABLE WATER**

### **4.1 AVAILABLE INFORMATION**

Preliminary potable water authority information was obtained via Sydney Water's Asset Maps. These plans show approximate location and pipe size of the water mains surrounding the site. Further consultation on infrastructure surveys will be required further in the design phase.

### **4.2 EXISTING CONDITIONS**

The existing lots making up the developed site are currently serviced by the water mains on the west, south and eastern edges, refer Figure 10:

- 1 no. 300mm authority water main on Park Street
- 1 no. 250mm authority water main on Pitt Street
- 1 no. 250mm authority water main on Castlereagh Street

### **4.3 SYDNEY WATER FEASIBILITY ADVICE**

Sydney Water have indicated via the Feasibility Letter Section 4.1 dated 14<sup>th</sup> June 2018 (ref. no. 5694000) that the 250mm water main on Castlereagh is suitable for connection of the potable water supply.

### **4.4 PROPOSAL**

The current design is to provide 2 no. new cold water tapplings:

- 1 no. 200mm tapping for Wet Fire Services to the existing 300mm authority water main on Park Street, and;
- 1 no. 150mm tapping for Domestic Cold-Water Services to the existing 250mm authority water main on Castlereagh Street

All new tapplings are to be designed to Sydney Water connection and authority meter requirements. Refer Figure 10 for details.

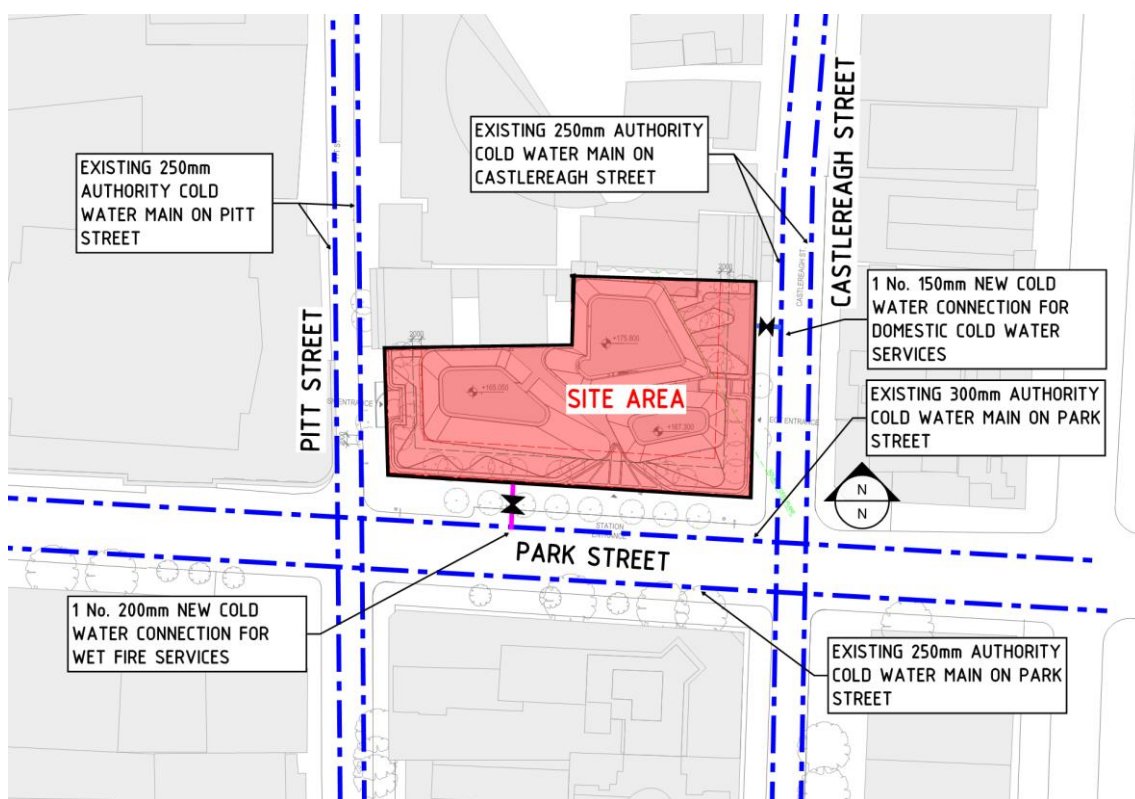


Figure 10 Site Cold Water Connection (from Sydney Water asset maps)

## 5. SEWER DRAINAGE

### 5.1 AVAILABLE INFORMATION

Preliminary sewer drainage authority information was obtained via Sydney Water's Asset Maps. These plans show approximate location and pipe size of the sewer mains surrounding the site. Further consultation on infrastructure surveys will be required further in the design phase.

### 5.2 EXISTING CONDITIONS

The existing lots making up the developed site are currently serviced by the sewer mains on the north and western edges:

- 1 no. 225mm VC authority sewer main on Pitt Street
- 1 no. 225mm VC authority sewer main on Castlereagh Street
- 1 no 406 x 609mm concrete authority sewer main on Park Street.

### 5.3 SYDNEY WATER FEASIBILITY ADVICE

Sydney Water have indicated via the Feasibility Letter Section 4.2 dated 14<sup>th</sup> June 2018 (ref. no. 5694000) that the 225mm VC authority sewer main on Pitt Street is suitable for site drainage connection for the station. The existing sewer connection is recommended to be utilised.

## 5.4 PROPOSAL

The current design is to provide a new 225mm site sewer connection to the existing 225mm VC authority sewer main on Castlereagh Street.

The site sewer produced is to flow to a new 225mm boundary trap located on the eastern end of the site inside the boundary all in accordance with Sydney Water requirements, drawings and specifications. Refer Figure 11 for details.



Figure 11 Site Sewer Drainage Connections (from Sydney Water asset maps)

## **6. NATURAL GAS**

### **6.1 AVAILABLE INFORMATION**

Preliminary natural gas authority information was obtained via Jemena's Asset Maps. These plans show approximate location and pipe size of the gas mains surrounding the site. Further consultation on infrastructure surveys will be required further in the design phase.

### **6.2 EXISTING CONDITIONS**

The existing lots making up the developed site are currently serviced by the gas mains on the western, southern and eastern edges, refer Figure 12:

- 1 no. 110mm 7kPa NY authority gas main on Pitt Street
- 1 no. 100 ST 1050kPa authority gas main on Pitt Street
- 1 no. 75mm 7kPa NY authority gas main on Park Street
- 1 no. 110mm 7kPa NY authority gas main on Castlereagh Street

### **6.3 JEMENA FEASIBILITY ADVICE**

New connections will be required for the North Tower and CJ Arms have issued estimated gas loads based on the commercial development to Jemena.

CJ Arms have issued estimated gas loads based on commercial development to Jemena.

Jemena have since advised (06/05/2020) that there is inadequate capacity within their existing low pressure main in Castlereagh St. Consequently, a connection must be made to the high pressure main (1050kPa) in Pitt Street.

### **6.4 PROPOSAL**

Following updated advice from Jemena, a new connection to the high pressure main (1050kPa) in Pitt Street is proposed. A new site gas regulator (1050kPa – 5kPa) will be required on the site boundary in accordance with Jemena requirements.

The site is to provide gas meter sets for main building demands including domestic hot water and mechanical base building in accordance with Jemena requirements, drawings and specifications. Refer Figure 12 for details.



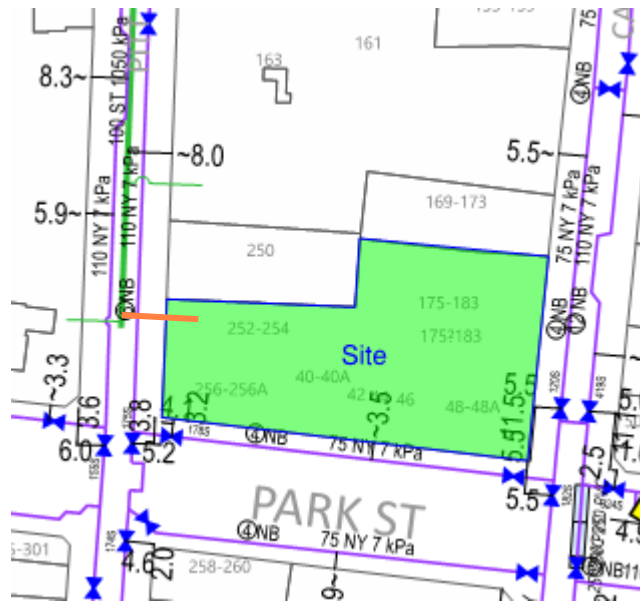


Figure 12 Site Gas Connection (via Jemena Asset Maps)

## 7. APPENDIX – AUTHORITY FEASIBILITY ADVICE



Case Number: 165890

6 November 2017

TRANSPORT FOR NSW  
c/- WARREN SMITH & PARTNERS PTY LTD

### FEASIBILITY LETTER

**Developer:** TRANSPORT FOR NSW  
**Your reference:** 5694000  
**Development:** 300 PITT ST, Sydney being Lot 1 DP436359, Lot 1 DP60293, Lot 1 DP59101, Lot 1 DP68635, Lot 1 DP229635, Lot 2 DP900055, Lot 3 DP74952, Lot 1 DP74367, Lot 1 DP982663, Lot 2 DP982663, Lot 2 DP509611, Lot 3 DP61187, Lot 1 DP62688, Lot 1 DP596474, Lot 17 DP1095869, Lot CP SP68274  
**Development Description:** Construction of Metro Station on Pitt Street for Sydney Metro.  
**Your application date:** 25 August 2017

Dear Applicant

Thank you for providing us with the opportunity work with you on the concept design for the construction of Pitt Street Station as a part of the Sydney Metro. This Feasibility Letter (Letter) is a guide only. It provides general information about what Sydney Water's requirements may be when you apply to us for a Section 73 Certificate (Certificate) for your proposed development. **The information is accurate at today's date only.**

When you obtain development consent for this development we will require you to apply to us for a Section 73 Certificate. You will need to submit a new application (and pay another application fee) to us for that Certificate by using your current or another Water Servicing Coordinator (Coordinator).

Sydney Water will then send you either a:

- Notice of Requirements (Notice) and Developer Works Deed (Deed) or
- Certificate.

These documents will be the definitive statement of Sydney Water's requirements.

There may be changes in Sydney Water's requirements between the issue dates of this Letter and the Notice or Certificate. The changes may be:

- if you change your proposed development eg the development description or the plan/site layout, after today, the requirements in this Letter could change when you submit your new application; and
- if you decide to do your development in stages then you must submit a new application (and pay another application fee) for each stage.

## **What You Must Do To Get A Section 73 Certificate In The Future.**

To get a Section 73 Certificate you must do the following things. You can also find out about this process by visiting [www.sydneywater.com.au](http://www.sydneywater.com.au) > Plumbing, building & developing > Developing > Land development.

- 1. Obtain Development Consent from the consent authority for your development proposal.**
- 2. Engage a Water Servicing Coordinator (Coordinator).**

**You must engage your current or another authorised Coordinator** to manage the design and construction of works that you must provide, at your cost, to service your development. If you wish to engage another Coordinator (at any point in this process) you must write and tell Sydney Water.

For a list of authorised Coordinators, either visit [www.sydneywater.com.au](http://www.sydneywater.com.au) > Plumbing, building & developing > Developing > Providers > Lists or call **13 20 92**.

The Coordinator will be your point of contact with Sydney Water. They can answer most questions that you might have about the process and developer charges and can give you a quote or information about costs for services/works (including Sydney Water costs).

- 3. Developer Works Deed**

It would appear that your feasibility application is served from existing mains and does not require any works to be constructed at this time. Sydney Water will confirm this with you after you have received Development Approval from Council and your Coordinator has submitted a new Development application and Sydney Water has issued you with a formal Notice of Requirements.

- 4. Water, Sewer and Stormwater Works**

### **4.1 Water**

Your development must have a frontage to a water main that is the right size and can be used for connection.

Based on the indicated drinking water demand of 6kLs/day and the current network configuration, Sydney Water has assessed your application and found that:

- The existing 250mm CICL water main in Castlereagh Street will serve your development.
- Your development must have its own connection to that water main and a water service and meter.
- Please note that this applies to the station only. Please see the Feasibility Letter for Case Number 165998 for water requirements for the proposed over station development.
- Please see the paragraphs below on Private Water Services Connection and Metering, Large Water Service Connection and Fire Fighting for additional information.

#### 4.2 Sewer

Your development must have a sewer main that is the right size and can be used for connection.

Based on the indicated wastewater flow of 6kLs/day and the current network configuration, Sydney Water has assessed your application and found that:

- The existing 300mm VC sewer main in Pitt St and 225 VC sewer in Castlereagh Street will serve the southern and northern ends of your development respectively.
- Please note that this applies to the station only. Please see the Feasibility Letter for Case Number 165998 for wastewater requirements for the proposed over station development.
- The sewer must also have a connection point outside, but as close as practically possible to the development boundary, behind the kerb and gutter.
- Please note, if you intend to pump your wastewater to Sydney Water's wastewater main, you will be required to lodge an application with Sydney Water's Tap In™.

#### 4.3 Stormwater

##### Locating the Exact Position of the Stormwater Channel

Exact position of the stormwater pipe/ channel is to be identified using the pot holes or any other acceptable survey method.

##### Stormwater connections to Sydney Water's Stormwater Channel

Any direct stormwater connection to Sydney Water's stormwater system is to be the last option at this location. The proponent is required to investigate the possibility of discharging stormwater into the kerb and gutter or any available council stormwater system.

In the event, the direct stormwater connection to Sydney Water's stormwater system is unavoidable, then the following requirements would apply:

If you have intention to make direct stormwater connection to Sydney Water's stormwater system, then the connection is to be carried out according to the Asset Creation Process. Further details regarding this process can be obtained from the Water Servicing Coordinator. The applicant is advised of the following:

- For pipes with a diameter 300mm or more the connection angle is to be no greater than 30 degrees in the direction of the channel flow.
- Proposed connections that are 300mm or more in diameter require a qualified structural engineer to design the connection. A structural engineer's certificate is to be attached with the design drawings.
- Proposed connections that are less than 300mm in diameter can use Sydney Water's standard drawings to design the connection drawings.
- All drawings are to be submitted in AutoCad to the Water Servicing Coordinator. Water Servicing Coordinator is required to transfer these drawings on to the Sydney Water's template prior to submit as design drawing.

## 5. Ancillary Matters

### 5.1 Asset adjustments

After Sydney Water issues this Notice (and more detailed designs are available), Sydney Water may require that other water mains/sewer mains/stormwater located in or around your site need to be adjusted/deviated. If this happens, you will need to do this work as well as the extension we have detailed above at your cost. The work must meet the conditions of this Notice and you will need to complete it **before we can issue the Certificate**. Sydney Water will need to see the completed designs for the work and we will require you to lodge a security. The security will be refunded once the work is completed.

### 5.2 Entry onto neighbouring property

If you need to enter a neighbouring property, you must have the written permission of the relevant property owners and tenants. You must use Sydney Water's **Permission to Enter** form(s) for this. You can get copies of these forms from your Coordinator or the Sydney Water website. Your Coordinator can also negotiate on your behalf. Please make sure that you address all the items on the form(s) including payment of compensation and whether there are other ways of designing and constructing that could avoid or reduce their impacts. You will be responsible for all costs of mediation involved in resolving any disputes. Please allow enough time for entry issues to be resolved.

## 6. Adjustment/Deviation temporary works

You must not start work on the existing sewer main or the proposed adjustment/deviation/extension until Sydney Water advises your Coordinator. This includes the placement of any temporary pipework. Before you can do this pipework, you must engage your Coordinator to lodge an application that must include appropriate temporary pipework detail as well as the design of the proposed deviation/adjustment/extension.

Sydney Water will then assess both designs and advise your Coordinator when they are approved and of any conditions to be met before pipe placement.

If any work on our assets is carried out without that advice or final approval, Sydney Water will take action to have work on the site stopped. We will apply the provisions of Section 45 of the Sydney Water Act 1994.

## OTHER THINGS YOU MAY NEED TO DO

Shown below are other things you need to do that are NOT a requirement for the Certificate. They may well be a requirement of Sydney Water in the future because of the impact of your development on our assets. You must read them before you go any further.

### Approval of your building plans

Please note that the building plans must be approved when each lot is developed. This can be done at Sydney Water Tap in<sup>TM</sup>. Visit [www.sydneywater.com.au](http://www.sydneywater.com.au) > Plumbing, building & developing > Building > Sydney Water Tap in<sup>TM</sup>.

**This is not a requirement for the Certificate** but the approval is needed because the construction/building works may affect Sydney Water's assets (e.g. water, sewer and stormwater mains).

Where a Sydney Water stormwater channel, pipe or culvert is located within ten (10) metres of your development site it must be referred to Sydney Water for further assessment.

Your Coordinator can tell you about the approval process including:

- Possible requirements;
- Costs; and
- Timeframes.

**Note: You must obtain our written approval before you do any work on Sydney Water's systems. Sydney Water will take action to have work stopped on the site if you do not have that approval. We will apply Section 44 of the *Sydney Water Act 1994*.**

### Soffit Requirements

Please be aware that floor levels must be able to meet Sydney Water's soffit requirements for property connection and drainage.

### Private Water Services Connection and Metering

To provide domestic water to the total development you will need to connect to the Sydney Water main. You must lodge an application for this connection at Sydney Water Tap in<sup>TM</sup>. We will then tell you about any requirements you need to meet. Visit [www.sydneywater.com.au](http://www.sydneywater.com.au) > Plumbing, building & developing > Building > Sydney Water Tap in<sup>TM</sup> to find out more.

Visit [www.sydneywater.com.au](http://www.sydneywater.com.au) > Plumbing, building & developing > Plumbing > Meters & metered standpipes to find out more about our metering requirements for your development.

### Large Water Service Connection

A water main is available to provide your development with a domestic supply. The size of your development means that you will need a connection larger than the standard domestic 20 mm size.

To get approval for your connection, you will need to lodge an application with Sydney Water Tap in<sup>TM</sup>. You, or your hydraulic consultant, may need to supply the following:

- A plan of the hydraulic layout;
- A list of all the fixtures/fittings within the property;
- A copy of the fireflow pressure inquiry issued by Sydney Water;
- A pump application form (if a pump is required);
- All pump details (if a pump is required).

You will have to pay an application fee.

Sydney Water does not consider whether a water main is adequate for fire fighting purposes for your development. We cannot guarantee that this water supply will meet your Council's fire fighting requirements. The Council and your hydraulic consultant can help.

### **Fire Fighting**

Definition of fire fighting systems is the responsibility of the developer and is not part of the Section 73 process. It is recommended that a consultant should advise the developer regarding the fire fighting flow of the development and the ability of Sydney Water's system to provide that flow in an emergency. Sydney Water's Operating Licence directs that Sydney Water's mains are only required to provide domestic supply at a minimum pressure of 15 m head.

A report supplying modelled pressures called the Statement of Available pressure can be purchased through Sydney Water Tap in<sup>TM</sup> and may be of some assistance when defining the fire fighting system. The Statement of Available pressure, may advise flow limits that relate to system capacity or diameter of the main and pressure limits according to pressure management initiatives. If mains are required for fire fighting purposes, the mains shall be arranged through the water main extension process and not the Section 73 process.

### **Disused Water Service Sealing**

You must pay to disconnect all disused private water services and seal them at the point of connection to a Sydney Water water main. This work must meet Sydney Water's standards in the Plumbing Code of Australia (the Code) and be done by a licensed plumber. The licensed plumber must arrange for an inspection of the work by a NSW Fair Trading Plumbing Inspection Assurance Services (PIAS) officer. After that officer has looked at the work, the drainer can issue the Certificate of Compliance. The Code requires this.

### **Disused Sewerage Service Sealing**

Please do not forget that you must pay to disconnect all disused private sewerage services and seal them at the point of connection to a Sydney Water sewer main. This work must meet Sydney Water's standards in the Plumbing Code of Australia (the Code) and be done by a licensed drainer. The licensed drainer must arrange for an inspection of the work by a NSW Fair Trading Plumbing Inspection Assurance Services (PIAS) officer. After that officer has looked at

the work, the drainer can issue the Certificate of Compliance. The Code requires this.

### Trade Wastewater Requirements

If this development is going to generate trade wastewater, the property owner must submit an application requesting permission to discharge trade wastewater to Sydney Water's sewerage system. You must wait for approval of this permit before any business activities can commence.

The permit application should be emailed to Sydney Water's Business Customer Services at [businesscustomers@sydneywater.com.au](mailto:businesscustomers@sydneywater.com.au)

It is illegal to discharge Trade Wastewater into the Sydney Water sewerage system without permission.

A **Boundary Trap** is required for all developments that discharge trade wastewater where arrestors and special units are installed for trade wastewater pre-treatment.

If the property development is for Industrial operations, the wastewater may discharge into a sewerage area that is subject to wastewater reuse. Find out from Business Customer Services if this is applicable to your development.

### Backflow Prevention Requirements

Backflow is when there is unintentional flow of water in the wrong direction from a potentially polluted source into the drinking water supply.

All properties connected to Sydney Water's supply must install a testable **Backflow Prevention Containment Device** appropriate to the property's hazard rating. Property with a high or medium hazard rating must have the backflow prevention containment device tested annually. Properties identified as having a low hazard rating must install a non-testable device, as a minimum.

Separate hydrant and sprinkler fire services on non-residential properties, require the installation of a testable double check detector assembly. The device is to be located at the boundary of the property.

Before you install a backflow prevention device:

1. Get your hydraulic consultant or plumber to check the available water pressure versus the property's required pressure and flow requirements.
2. Conduct a site assessment to confirm the hazard rating of the property and its services. Contact PIAS at NSW Fair Trading on **1300 889 099**.

For installation you will need to engage a licensed plumber with backflow accreditation who can be found on the Sydney Water website:

<http://www.sydneywater.com.au/Plumbing/BackflowPrevention/>

### Other fees and requirements

The requirements in this Notice relate to your Certificate application only. Sydney Water may be involved with other aspects of your development and there may be other fees or requirements.

These include:

- plumbing and drainage inspection costs;
- the installation of backflow prevention devices;
- trade waste requirements;
- large water connections and
- council fire fighting requirements. (It will help you to know what the fire fighting requirements are for your development as soon as possible. Your hydraulic consultant can help you here.)

**No warranties or assurances can be given about the suitability of this document or any of its provisions for any specific transaction. It does not constitute an approval from Sydney Water and to the extent that it is able, Sydney Water limits its liability to the reissue of this Letter or the return of your application fee. You should rely on your own independent professional advice.**

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**END**



## 1. PURPOSE

The aim of this document is to provide a preliminary assessment of Jemena's existing infrastructure and outline Jemena Gas Network's capacity to service the new developments around Sydney Metro Stations. Where there is insufficient capacity to service the development then a gas reinforcement is specified. All gas loads were supplied by TfNSW for the Sydney Metro Stations; Victoria Cross, Pitt Street, Crows Nest and Marrickville Stabling Yards. Recommendations on route selection and reinforcements are subject to change with a detailed review of the proposed gas supply options.

## 2. COMMERCIAL FEASIBILITY

Natural Gas is available in the vicinity of these developments and may be able to supply these proposals.

Our policy is to supply all developments wherever possible, depending upon economic viability.

In consideration of our shareholders' interests and under NSW regulation, Jemena Gas Networks (NSW) Ltd is required to ensure that any connection to the natural gas distribution system is commercially viable and therefore must assess each request for supply on an individual basis.

Upon the provision of the final layout and load configurations for the developments a full economic evaluation can be undertaken to determine the viability of supplying natural gas to the site, as a contribution may be required to assist in the economic viability of the proposal.

There will costs associated with disconnections and any relocation works that are required.

To assist in the planning of supply to the development I can confirm that;

- The sites to be developed are currently reticulated with gas.
- Where the existing network in an area does not have sufficient capacity to supply the additional load a network reinforcement will be required. A contribution may be required.
- Costs will be associated with any works that require Jemena to relocate the existing gas network.
- See attached for proposed network reinforcements.

## 3. VICTORIA CROSS

### 3.1 GAS LOADS

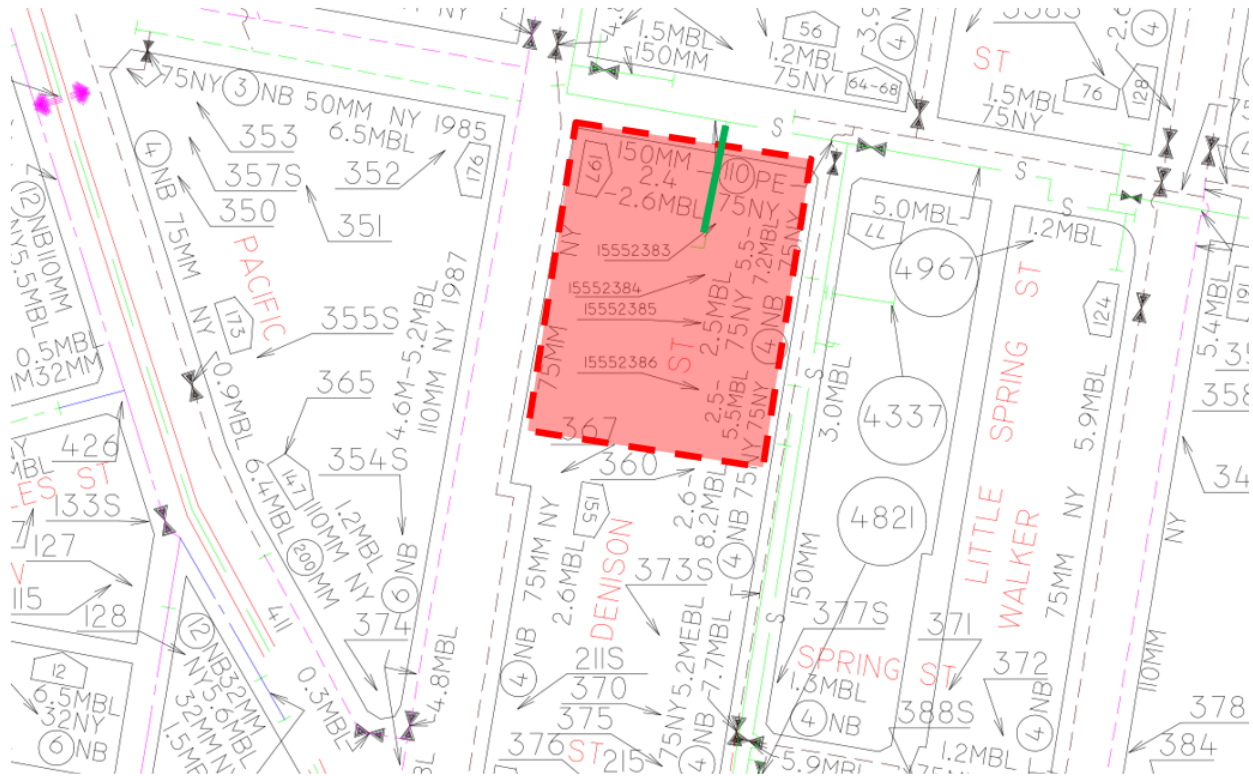
The Gas loads were provided by TfNSW and used in modelling the loads at Victoria Cross Station in Miller Street, North Sydney.

Building	Gas Load (MJ)		Total
	Domestic Hot Water	Mechanical Plant	
EOT Hot Water	5740	0	5740
Tower Hot Water	49200	0	4920
Mech Use	0	17500	17500
Retail x 17	8500	0	8500
Total	19160	17500	36660

### 3.2 PROPOSED CONNECTION STRATEGY

The load was modelled on the low pressure and secondary pressure networks. The low pressure network does not have sufficient capacity to support the development. There is sufficient capacity on the secondary network and a secondary service already exists to the site (Figure 1). No reinforcement is required.

**Figure 1: Secondary service connection to Victoria Cross (Service already existing)**



## 4. PITT STREET SOUTH

### 4.1 GAS LOADS

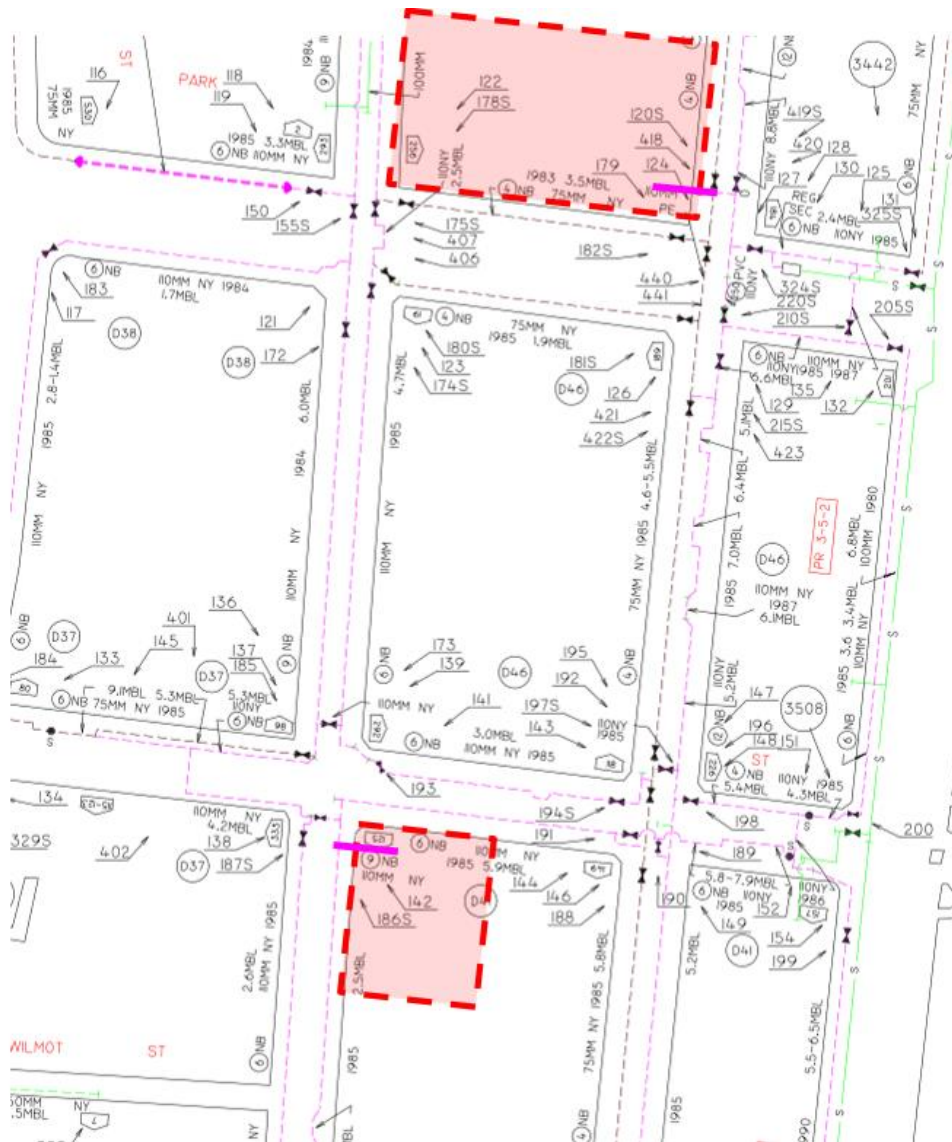
There will be a total of 310 apartments. The Gas Demand Preliminary Calculation supplied by TfNSW did not specify which site (North or South) the apartments were located, therefore for this analysis the load was split evenly across both sites.

### 4.2 PROPOSED CONNECTION STRATEGY

**Pitt St South:** The redevelopment is located in the low pressure 7 kPa network. There is sufficient capacity for the low pressure network to support the new developments at Pitt St South, with service connections to the existing 110mm PE main.

**Pitt St North:** Assuming a gas load of 310 apartments, there is insufficient capacity to meet the proposed demand. As part of the Sydney Light Rail an additional conduit was supplied across George St, South of Bathurst St. In order to meet load demand a 110mm PE main is to be inserted into the conduit and tied into the existing network (Figure 3).

**Figure 2: Low pressure service connections of 110mm PE to both highlighted sites**



## 5. CROWS NEST

### 5.1 GAS LOADS

There are 3 towers to be built around Crows Nest station with the following gas loads

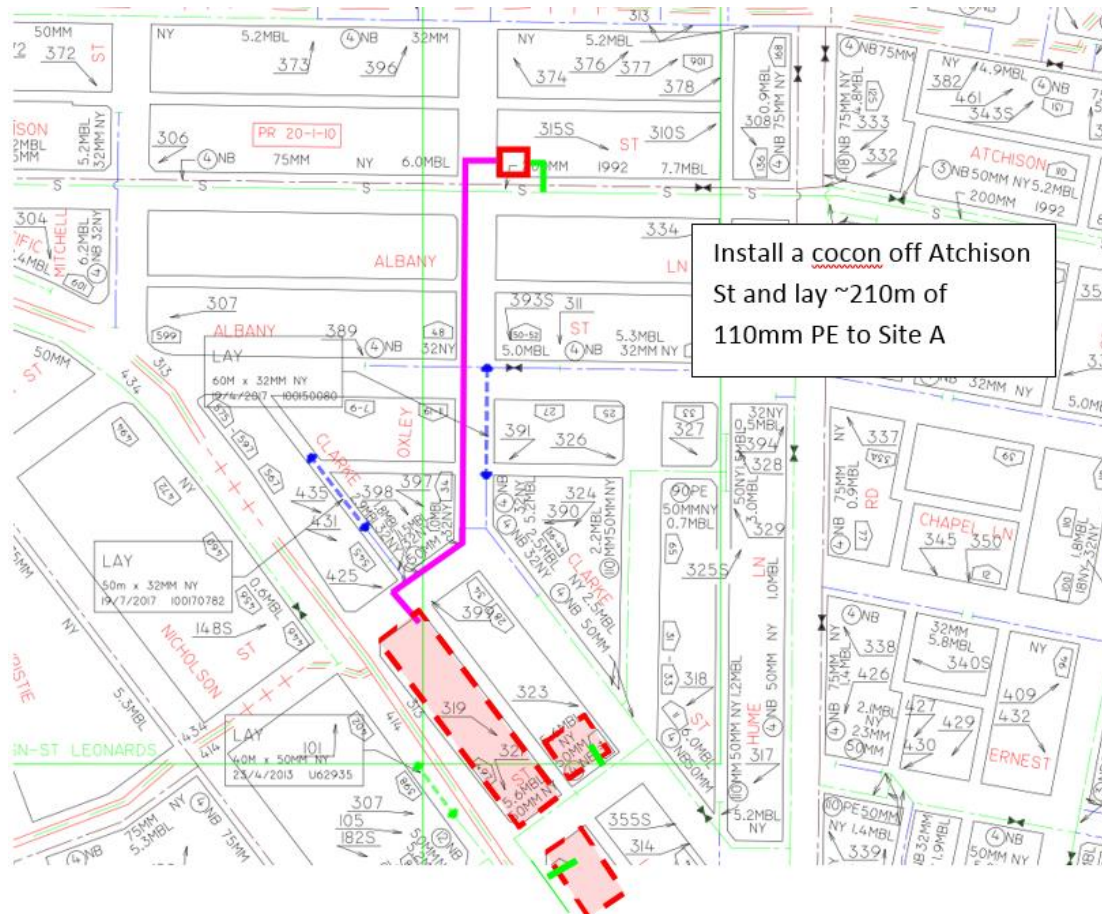
Building	Gas Load (MJ)		Total
	Domestic Hot Water + Cooktops	Mechanical Plant	
Tower A North	26240	11000	37240
Tower A South	4000	3000	7000
Tower B	19680	6500	26180
Site C	400	500	4500
Retail x 6	6000	0	6000
Total	59920	21000	80920

### 5.2 PROPOSED CONNECTION STRATEGY

Due to the inherent large load required to service this development, reinforcement is required to provide sufficient capacity to the site. The reinforcement option is as follows:

Install one Cocon on Atchison St and lay ~ 210m of 110mm PE from the outlet of the Cocon down Oxley Street to Site A. Site B and C can be fed off the 50mm NY main (Figure 3).

**Figure 3: Medium pressure services with an additional Cocon on Atchison St and mains extension**



## 6. MARRICKVILLE STABLING YARD

### 6.1 GAS LOADS

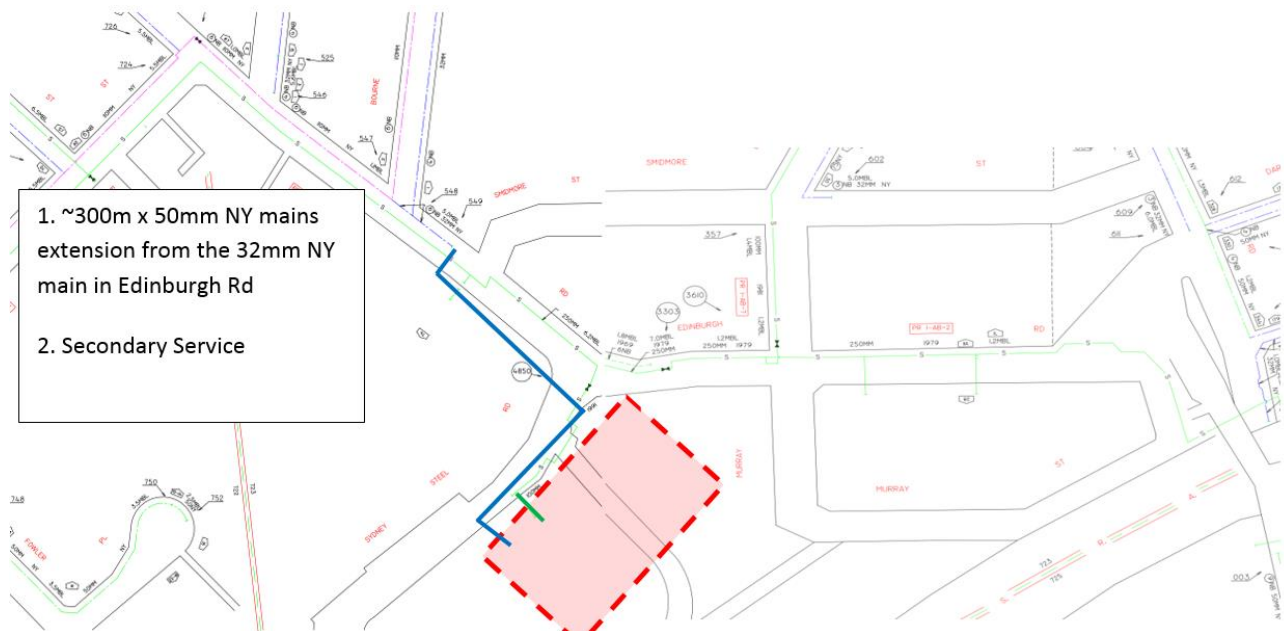
The redevelopment of the Marrickville Stabling Yard consists of 15 commercial buildings with 6 retail outlets and 1 café. The total load equates to 7000 MJ/h.

### 6.2 PROPOSED CONNECTION STRATEGY

There are two options for connection either off the medium or secondary networks, option 1 is the preferred option.:

1. Medium pressure network: A mains extension of ~300m of 50mm NY will be required to get gas to the site (as shown in Figure 3).
2. Secondary pressure network: A secondary service is already present at the site and will provide enough capacity. The alternative option is to supply the site with a secondary service.

**Figure 4: Medium pressure service connection to proposed site**





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Hi Will,

I look after the commercial connections for Jemena and will be looking after the Pitt St North Metro development, I have reviewed the request and based on the loads that the building will require the connection will need to come off the high pressure steel mains.

Are you able to provide some indicative drawings of the proposed meter room and service route and I can start the engineering approvals for these two?

If you have any questions feel free to email or call on my number below.

Thanks,

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Has there been any progress on this?

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