Shadow Analysis Impact on Context

Proposed Envelope Equinox - 21 March/ 23 Sept



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View Analysis Visual Assessment Methodology

Methodology

The view analysis has been determined by our understanding of our site's physical constraints and future development on neighbouring sites. With frontages to three main streets - George Street, Pitt Street, and Alfred Street, and Rugby lane at the rear, our site will have a significant impact in the streetscape and skyline of Sydney's CBD. future views of Sydney city skyline.

Visual Catchment

The location of the viewpoints were chosen to illustrate the likelihood impact of the development in different urban settings: A- from the water / harbour, B - public open spaces, C - key streets and D - main public buildings. The chosen locations include:

Major streets adjacent to subject site (George Street), Prominent traffic corridors looking towards the harbour (Pitt Street), Views from Sydney Icons (Opera Bar of Sydney Opera House, Cahill Walkway, and Sydney Harbour Bridge), Public Buildings (Art Gallery NSW) and Parks (Botanical Garden, Observatory Hill) Major transport interchanges (Overseas Passenger Terminal, Circular Quay Station) Further to the above the selection of the viewpoints was determined on the following principles: Proximity to the site, Likelihood of impact, Character and Permanence.

Camera setting

The photos were taken with a professional quality DSLR camera (Nikon D40) with a standard focal length 35mm. Each individual base image was taken using manual focus to accentuate the clarity of image and to ensure composition allowed a meaningful understanding of the context as observed by a potential viewer in the location of the photographer.

The views were generated at eye level views except on the views taken from the water (city skyline studies). In these instances the height of the camera has been set so that the skyline is perceived as an elevation.

The city skyline studies were generated to illustrate the urban relationship the proposed massing envelope will have in relation to the Sydney cityscape. This captures views seen from different positions to the east, north, and west of the subject site. The City Skyline studies were set up to compare the approved DAs (including Stage 2 DA of 1 Alfred Street and Stage 1 DA of 19-31 Pitt Street).



The Assessment Matrix below outlines how each public viewpoint is rated against the main criteria experienced by a viewer in the public domain.

		Proximity			Character			Permanence			Likelihood of impact		
Views		Close	Medium	Far	Street View	Recreational/ Park	Public Realm/ Destination	Transient	Contemplation	Permanent	Negligible	Minor	Moderate
Skyline	A1			\checkmark							\checkmark		
	A2			\checkmark						\checkmark	\checkmark		
	A3			\checkmark						\checkmark	\checkmark		
Public Open Spaces	B1		\checkmark				\checkmark	\checkmark			\checkmark		
	B2			\checkmark			\checkmark			\checkmark	\checkmark		
	B3		\checkmark				\checkmark		\checkmark		\checkmark		
	B4			\checkmark			\checkmark	\checkmark			\checkmark		
	B5			\checkmark			\checkmark		\checkmark		\checkmark		
	B6	\checkmark					\checkmark		\checkmark		\checkmark		
Key Streets	C1	\checkmark			\checkmark						\checkmark		
	C2				\checkmark						\checkmark		
	C3				\checkmark						\checkmark		
	C4				\checkmark						\checkmark		
Main	D1			\checkmark		\checkmark				\checkmark	\checkmark		
	D2	\checkmark				\checkmark				\checkmark	\checkmark		

View Analysis City Skyline (From Water)



A1: Relevant view to the city's skyline from Sydney Harbour and the Northern Suburbs such as Kirribilli.



A1: Skyline looking South | Approved Envelope



A1: Skyline looking South | Proposed Envelope



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View Analysis City Skyline (From Water)



A2: Relevant view to the city's skyline from Sydney Harbour and the Northern Suburbs such as Cremorne and Mosman.



A2: Skyline looking South-West | Approved Envelope



A2: Skyline looking South-West | Proposed Envelope



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View Analysis City Skyline (From Water)



A3: Relevant view to the city's skyline from Sydney Harbour and the Northern Suburbs such as Pyrmont and Balmain.



A3: Skyline looking South-East | Approved Envelope



A3: Skyline looking South-East | Proposed Envelope



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View Analysis Public Open Space



B1: Major public open space with a high level of pedestrian traffic.B2: Relevant view to the city's skyline from theBotanical Gardens and Eastern Suburbs.



B1: Opera Bar - Looking South

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B2: Farmer's Cove - Looking South-West

View Analysis Public Open Space



B3: Pedestrian thoroughfare with a high level of pedestrian traffic. B4: Pedestrian thoroughfare and tourist destination. Assess importance of how development impacts / contributes to the city's skyline.

B3: Cahill Walkway - Looking South-East

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B4: Harbour Bridge - Looking South