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Ms Carolyn McNally Secretary Department of Planning and Environment 23-33 Bridge Street SYDNEY NSW 2000

Attention: David Gainsford, Executive Director, Infrastructure and Industry Assessments

Dear Secretary

## SSD\_8636: Engineering & Technology Precinct, Darlington Campus Formal SSD Lodgement and Landowners Consent

I refer to your correspondence to the University of Sydney dated 29 September 2017 in which you confirm the proposed Engineering & Technology Precinct development on the Darlington Campus as State Significant Development, and provide the relevant Secretary Environmental Assessment Requirements (SEARs) associated with this project. I also refer to the Department's correspondence by email dated 21 February 2018 providing DPE response to the Test of Adequacy for this project including a list of matters requiring clarification.

I am pleased to formally submit and lodge the SSD\_8636 application for your assessment and recommendation to the Minister for Planning as the consent authority. The SSD proposal is for the construction of a northern wing addition to the Electrical Engineering Building, adaptation of an existing setback to the north of the Engineering Link Building as a loading dock, and replacement of the car park to the south of the Electrical Engineering Building with a landscaped courtyard, at The University of Sydney's Darlington Campus

The project design has been amended to positively respond to relevant matters and changes sought by Government agencies during the public consultation program. The evolution of the project for the attainment of design excellence is highlighted in the EIS report accompanying this application. The SSD includes four hard and six electronic copies of all documentation as requested.

The University has considered the application and, based on the documentation provided, grants landowner's consent to lodge this SSD project with the NSW Department of Planning & Environment, in accordance with the Director Campus Infrastructure & Services Delegation of Authority (as amended 2 October 20912).

Please do not hesitate to contact us for any clarification or queries on the SSD application. The University's officer in this matter is Stephane Kerr, CIS Town Planner, who can be contacted on 9351-3128, or by email: stephane.kerr@sydney.edu.au

Yours sincere 0

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