

Thomas Kelly – 66 Carabrella, Kirribilli NSW 2061

Objection to St. Aloysius' College Redevelopment Modification 1

SSD-8669-Mod-1

Application to modify the approved SSD 8669

Use of virtual learning by St. Aloysius as an on-going method to enhance education is laudable. However, I strongly object to any increase in student or faculty headcount limitations in SSD 8669.

The concerns that led to inclusion of the headcount constraints are the same as were considered during the approval process for SSD 8669 including:

- Traffic congestion twice a day impacting the business and residential communities of Kirribilli.
- Lack of adequate parking to support faculty and staff
- Requirements for on-site meetings
- On campus assemblies
- Sporting and cultural events on campus

Virtual learning will not have a positive impact on these concerns. Quite the opposite, increased headcounts - as much as 30% given three-day “off campus learning” every two weeks - will have a direct negative impact on the issues noted above. Camera technology is NOT a control that keeps people off campus for events nor adequately monitors campus access.

I recommend that the current headcount maximums in SSD 8669 not be changed and an annual audit, and report on compliance based on student enrollment records and employment records, be implemented.

Thomas Kelly
15 April, 2021