

8 July 2020

Rita Hatem
NSW Department of Planning
Parramatta, NSW

**Re: ET Australia Gosford – Education Establishment
Application Number: SSD-10434**

Dear Rita,

We write to you in support of the SSD Application 10434 submitted by ET Australia in Gosford. As the management company for the Imperial Shopping Centre, we wish to formally notify the Department of our support of this Application.

We understand that ET Australia wishes to expand their school, by creating a campus for year 11-12 students and a expanded junior school campus for year 7-10 students.

The continued growth of ET Australia and their expansion of their campus is fundamental to the revitalisation of the Gosford CBD. We ask that the NSW Government favourably considers their application expeditiously to allow the school to open in 2020. Approval of this Application will promote real confidence in the business and community sectors of Gosford CBD.

We also informally write on behalf of all tenants in the Imperial Shopping Centre. Having notified them twice of the potential for ET Australia to come into the Shopping Centre, we didn't receive any complaints or objections.

We have also liaised with reputable members of the business community who have also expressed their support for the continued growth of ET Australia.

Community groups and businesses like ET Australia are very valuable and should be encouraged / supported to grow, especially in these unprecedented times.

We kindly thank you for your support and expeditious approval of this valuable community organisation.

Kind regards,

Patrick Hall

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NSW Planning Minister – Robert Stokes MP
Member for Terrigal – Adam Crouch