



Ms Cathy Henderson
Acting General Manager
Waverley Council
55 Spring Street
BONDI JUNCTION NSW 2022

Dear Ms Henderson

Planning Proposal to amend Waverley Local Environmental Plan 2012

I am writing in response to Council's request for a Gateway determination under Section 56 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* (the Act) in respect of the Planning Proposal to rezone land at 96-122 Ebley St, Bondi Junction, and the adjoining Ebley Street and Hollywood Avenue road reserves from B3 Commercial Core to B4 Mixed Use and amend floor space ratio controls.

As delegate of the Greater Sydney Commission, I have now determined the planning proposal should proceed subject to the conditions in the attached Gateway determination.

I have also agreed, as delegate of the Secretary, the Planning Proposal's inconsistency with Section 117 Direction 1.1 Business and Industrial zones is justified in accordance with the terms of the Direction. No further approval is required in relation to this Direction.

Plan making powers were delegated to Councils by the Minister in October 2012. It is noted that Council has requested to be issued with delegation for this planning proposal. I have considered the nature of Council's Planning Proposal and have decided to issue an authorisation for Council to exercise delegation to make this plan.

The amending Local Environmental Plan (LEP) is to be finalised within 9 months of the date of the Gateway determination. Council should aim to commence the exhibition of the planning proposal as soon as possible. Council's request to draft and finalise the LEP should be made directly to Parliamentary Counsel's Office 6 weeks prior to the projected publication date. A copy of the request should be forwarded to the Department of Planning and Environment.

The State Government is committed to reducing the time taken to complete LEPs by tailoring the steps in the process to the complexity of the proposal, and by providing clear and publicly available justification for each plan at an early stage. In order to meet

these commitments, the Minister may take action under Section 54(2)(d) of the Act if the time frames outlined in this determination are not met.

Should you have any further enquiries about this matter, I have arranged for Ms Charlene Nelson to assist you. Ms Nelson can be contacted on (02) 9274 6570.

Yours sincerely



20 July 2017

Craig Diss
Acting Director, Sydney Region East
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Encl: Gateway Determination
Written Authorisation to Exercise Delegation
Delegated Plan Making Reporting Template