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Ms Veronica Lee General Manager Mosman Municipal Council PO Box 211 SPIT JUNCTION NSW 2088

Dear Ms Lee,

Planning proposal to amend Mosman Local Environmental Plan 2012

I am writing in response to your Council's letter dated 20 February 2014 requesting a Gateway determination under section 56 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 ("EP&A Act") in respect of the planning proposal to rezone the unformed section of Stanton Road, Mosman from RE1 Public Recreation to E2 Environmental Conservation.

As delegate of the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure, I have now determined the planning proposal should proceed subject to the conditions in the attached Gateway determination.

In relation to S117 Direction 6.2 Reserving Land for Public Purposes, I have agreed to the reduction of land for public purposes on the basis of the ecological significance of the subject site supported by Total Earth Care's updated Flora and Fauna Survey (2014), the site's topography and the lack of suitability for the type of land uses permitted under the current zoning. No further approval is required in relation to this Direction.

The Minister delegated his plan making powers to councils 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 week following 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 Planning and Infrastructure for administrative purposes.

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 EP&A Act if the time frames outlined in this determination are not met.

Should you have any queries in regard to this matter, I have arranged for Mr Andrew Watkins of the Planning and Infrastructure regional office to assist you. Mr Watkins can be contacted on (02) 8575 4110.

Yours sincerely,

Richard Pearson

Deputy Director General Growth Planning & Delivery

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Gateway Determination
Written Authorisation to Exercise Delegation
Attachment 5 – Delegated Plan Making Reporting Template

25/3/14



Gateway Determination

Planning proposal (Agency Ref: PP_2014_MOSMA_001_00): to rezone the unformed section of Stanton Road, Mosman from RE1 Public Recreation to E2 Environmental Conservation.

I, the Deputy Director General, Growth Planning and Delivery at Planning and Infrastructure as delegate of the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure, have determined under section 56(2) of the EP&A Act that an amendment to the Mosman Local Environmental Plan (LEP) 2012 to rezone the unformed section of Stanton Road, Mosman from RE1 Public Recreation to E2 Environmental Conservation should proceed subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Community consultation is required under sections 56(2)(c) and 57 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 ("EP&A Act") as follows:
 - (a) the planning proposal must be made publicly available for a minimum of **28 days**; and
 - (b) the relevant planning authority must comply with the notice requirements for public exhibition of planning proposals and the specifications for material that must be made publicly available along with planning proposals as identified in section 5.5.2 of A Guide to Preparing LEPs (Planning and Infrastructure 2013).
- 2. Consultation is required with the Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH) under section 56(2)(d) of the EP&A Act. OEH is to be provided with a copy of the planning proposal and any relevant supporting material, and given at least 21 days to comment on the proposal.
- 3. A public hearing is not required to be held into the matter by any person or body under section 56(2)(e) of the EP&A Act. This does not discharge Council from any obligation it may otherwise have to conduct a public hearing (for example, in response to a submission or if reclassifying land).
- 4. The timeframe for completing the LEP is to be **9 months** from the week following the date of the Gateway determination.

Dated

25

day of March

2014

Richard Pearson

Deputy Director General

Growth Planning & Delivery

Planning and Infrastructure

Delegate of the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure



WRITTEN AUTHORISATION TO EXERCISE DELEGATION

Mosman Municipal Council is authorised to exercise the functions of the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure under section 59 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* that are delegated to it by instrument of delegation dated 14 October 2012, in relation to the following planning proposal:

Number	Name
PP_2014_MOSMA_001_00	Planning proposal to rezone the unformed section of Stanton Road, Mosman from RE1 Public Recreation to E2 Environmental Conservation.

In exercising the Minister's functions under section 59, the Council must comply with Planning and Infrastructure's "A guide to preparing local environmental plans" and "A guide to preparing planning proposals".

Dated 25 March 2014

Richard Pearson

Deputy Director General Growth Planning & Delivery Planning and Infrastructure

Attachment 5 – Delegated plan making reporting template

Reporting template for delegated LEP amendments

Notes:

- Planning proposal number will be provided by Planning and Infrastructure following receipt of the planning proposal
- Planning and Infrastructure will fill in the details of Tables 1 and 3
- RPA is to fill in details for Table 2
- If the planning proposal is exhibited more than once, the RPA should add additional rows to **Table 2** to include this information
- The RPA must notify the relevant contact officer in the regional office in writing of the dates as they occur to ensure the publicly accessible LEP Tracking System is kept up to date
- A copy of this completed report must be provided to Planning and Infrastructure with the RPA's request to have the LEP notified

Table 1 – To be completed by Planning and Infrastructure

Stage	Date/Details	
Planning Proposal Number	PP_2014_MOSMA_001_00	
Date Sent to P&I under s56	20 February 2014	
Date considered at LEP Review	20 March 2014	
Panel		
Gateway determination date	25/03/2014	

Table 2 – To be completed by the RPA

Stage	Date/Details	Notified Reg Off
Dates draft LEP exhibited		
Date of public hearing (if held)		
Date sent to PCO seeking Opinion		
Date Opinion received		
Date Council Resolved to Adopt LEP		
Date LEP made by GM (or other) under delegation		
Date sent to P&I requesting notification		

Table 3 – To be completed by Planning and Infrastructure

Stage	Date/Details
Notification Date and details	

Additional relevant information: