

Voluntary Planning Agreement – draft version for public exhibition

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Agreement

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Parties

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Background

On 20 April 2022, the Developer made an application to the Council for the Instrument Change for the purpose of making a Development Application to the Council for Development Consent to carry out the Development on the Land.

The Instrument Change application was accompanied by an offer by the Developer and the Guarantor to enter into this agreement to make contributions for public purposes associated with the Instrument Change and the Development.

Operative part

1 Definitions

In this agreement, unless the context indicates a contrary intention:

Act means the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* (NSW);

Additional Permitted Uses means shops, food and drink premises, business premises and recreation facilities (indoor), up to a maximum of 2,000 square metres in aggregate total Gross Floor Area (as defined in the Instrument);

Address means a party's address set out in the Notices clause of this agreement;

Approval means any certificate, licence, consent, permit, approval or other requirement of any Authority having jurisdiction in connection with the activities contemplated by this agreement;

Authority means any government, semi-governmental, statutory, administrative, fiscal or judicial body, department, commission, authority, tribunal, public or other person;

Bank Guarantee means an irrevocable and unconditional undertaking that is not limited in time and does not expire by one of the following trading banks:

- (a) Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Limited,
- (b) Commonwealth Bank of Australia,
- (c) Macquarie Bank,
- (d) National Australia Bank,
- (e) St George Bank Limited,
- (f) Westpac Banking Corporation, or
- (g) Other financial institution approved by the Council,

to pay an amount or amounts of money to the Council on demand and containing terms and conditions reasonably acceptable to the Council;

Business Day means a day on which banks are open for general banking business in Sydney, excluding Saturdays and Sundays;

Certificate of Practical Completion means the written certificate confirming the Works, or part of the Works, have been completed to the Council's satisfaction (acting reasonably) issued under clause 8.1(b)(i) of Schedule 2;

Claim means any claim, loss, liability, damage, proceeding, order, judgment or expense arising out of the operation of this agreement;

Construction Certificate means a construction certificate as defined under section 6.4 of the Act, or if the Former Building and Subdivision Provisions apply, section 109C of the Act;

Construction Terms means the terms set out in Schedule 2;

Contributions Plan has the same meaning as under the Act;

CPI means the All Groups Consumer Price Index applicable to Sydney published by the Australian Bureau of Statistics;

Dealing, in relation to the Land, means, without limitation, selling, transferring, assigning, mortgaging, charging, encumbering or otherwise dealing with the Land;

Development means the proposed future development of the Land for the purposes of mixed-use development containing car parking, retail shops and residential accommodation;

Development Application has the same meaning as in the Act;

Development Consent has the same meaning as in the Act;

Fax Number means a party's facsimile number set out in the Notices clause of this agreement;

Former Building and Subdivision Provisions has the same meaning as in clause 18 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment (Savings, Transitional and Other Provisions) Regulation 2017*;

GST has the same meaning as in the GST Law;

GST Law has the meaning given to that term in *A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999* (Cth) and any other Act or regulation relating to the imposition of or administration of the GST;

Insolvent means, in relation to a party:

- (a) that party makes an arrangement, compromise or composition with, or assignment for, the benefit of its creditors or a class of them;
- (b) a receiver, receiver and manager, administrator, provisional liquidator, trustee, controller, inspector or analogous person is appointed in relation to, or over, all or any part of that party's business, assets or securities;
- (c) a presumption of insolvency has arisen under legislation because of the party's failure to comply with a statutory demand or analogous process;
- (d) an application for the winding up of, or for the appointment of a receiver to, that party, other than winding up for the purpose of solvent reconstruction or re amalgamation, is presented and not withdrawn or dismissed within 21 days (or such longer period agreed to by the parties), or an order is made or an effective resolution is passed for the winding up of, or for the appointment of a receiver to, that party, or any analogous application is made or proceedings initiated;
- (e) any shareholder or director of that party convenes a meeting for the purpose of considering or passing any resolution for the winding up or administration of that party;
- (f) that is an individual, a creditor's petition or a debtor's petition is presented to the Official Receiver or analogous authority in relation to that party;
- (g) an execution or analogous process is levied or enforced against the property of that party;
- (h) that party ceases or suspends, or threatens to cease or suspend, the conduct of all or a substantial part of its business;
- (i) that party disposes of, or threatens to dispose of, a substantial part of its assets;
- (j) that party stops or suspends, or threatens to stop or suspend, payment of all or a class of its debts; or
- (k) that party is unable to pay the party's debts as and when they become due and payable.

Instrument means the *Parramatta (former The Hills) Local Environmental Plan 2012*;

Instrument Change means an amendment to the Instrument which inserts an additional clause into Schedule 1 to the Instrument to enable development for the additional purposes of the Additional Permitted Uses to be carried out with development consent on the parts of the Land that are within the land use zone R4 High Density Residential for the purposes of the Instrument;

Land means 263-273 & 279R Pennant Hills Road and 18 Shirley Street (being Lot 22 DP21386, Lot 2 DP9614, Lot 3 DP9614, Lot 4 DP9614, Lot 61 DP819136, Lot 62 DP819136, Lot 1 DP1219291 and Lot 1 DP531044);

Law means:

- (a) any law applicable including legislation, ordinances, regulations, by-laws and other subordinate legislation;
- (b) any Approval, including any condition or requirement under it; and
- (c) any fees and charges payable in connection with the things referred to in paragraphs (a) and (b);

Occupation Certificate means an occupation certificate as defined under section 6.4 of the Act, or if the Former Building and Subdivision Provisions apply, section 109C of the Act, and includes an interim Occupation Certificate, a final Occupation Certificate or a partial Occupation Certificate as the case may be;

Public Road has the same meaning as in the *Roads Act 1993*;

Register means the Torrens title register maintained under the *Real Property Act 1900* (NSW);

Regulation means the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000*;

Related Body Corporate has the meaning given to that term in s 9 of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth);

Transferee has the meaning given in clause 12.3;

Works means the work set out in Schedule 1 on the Works Land; and

Works Land means the parts of Shirley Street Reserve (being Lot 10 DP1255614) and the adjoining Shirley Street road reserve on which the Works and any associated activities are to be carried out.

2 Interpretation

In this agreement, unless the context indicates a contrary intention:

- (a) **(documents)** a reference to this agreement or another document includes any document which varies, supplements, replaces, assigns or novates this agreement or that other document;
- (b) **(references)** a reference to a party, clause, paragraph, schedule or annexure is a reference to a party, clause, paragraph, schedule or annexure to or of this agreement;
- (c) **(headings)** clause headings and the table of contents are inserted for convenience only and do not affect interpretation of this agreement;
- (d) **(person)** a reference to a person includes a natural person, corporation, statutory corporation, partnership, the Crown and any other organisation or legal entity and their personal representatives, successors, substitutes (including persons taking by novation) and permitted assigns;
- (e) **(party)** a reference to a party to a document includes that party's personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors, substitutes (including persons taking by novation) and permitted assigns;

- (f) **(president, CEO, general manager or managing director)** the president, CEO, general manager or managing director of a body or Authority includes any person acting in that capacity;
- (g) **(requirements)** a requirement to do any thing includes a requirement to cause that thing to be done, and a requirement not to do any thing includes a requirement to prevent that thing being done;
- (h) **(including)** including and includes are not words of limitation, and a list of examples is not limited to those items or to items of a similar kind;
- (i) **(corresponding meanings)** a word that is derived from a defined word has a corresponding meaning;
- (j) **(singular)** the singular includes the plural and vice-versa;
- (k) **(gender)** words importing one gender include all other genders;
- (l) **(parts)** a reference to one or more things includes each part and all parts of that thing or group of things but nothing in this clause implies that part performance of an obligation constitutes performance of that obligation;
- (m) **(rules of construction)** neither this agreement nor any part of it is to be construed against a party on the basis that the party or its lawyers were responsible for its drafting;
- (n) **(legislation)** a reference to any legislation or provision of legislation includes all amendments, consolidations or replacements and all regulations or instruments issued under it;
- (o) **(time and date)** a reference to a time or date in connection with the performance of an obligation by a party is a reference to the time and date in Sydney, Australia, even if the obligation is to be performed elsewhere;
- (p) **(joint and several)** an agreement, representation, covenant, right or obligation:
 - (i) in favour of two or more persons is for the benefit of them jointly and severally; and
 - (ii) on the part of two or more persons binds them jointly and severally;
- (q) **(writing)** a reference to a notice, consent, request, approval or other communication under this agreement or an agreement between the parties means a written notice, request, consent, approval or agreement;
- (r) **(replacement bodies)** a reference to a body (including an institute, association or Authority) which ceases to exist or whose powers or functions are transferred to another body is a reference to the body which replaces it or which substantially succeeds to its power or functions;
- (s) **(Australian currency)** a reference to dollars or \$ is to Australian currency;
- (t) **(month)** a reference to a month is a reference to a calendar month; and
- (u) **(year)** a reference to a year is a reference to twelve consecutive calendar months.

3 Planning Agreement under the Act

- (a) The parties agree that this agreement is a planning agreement within the meaning of section 7.4 of the Act.
- (b) Schedule 4 of this agreement summarises the requirements for planning agreements under section 7.4 of the Act and the way this agreement addresses those requirements.

4 Application of this agreement

This agreement applies to:

- (a) the Instrument Change, and
- (b) the Development, and
- (c) the Land.

5 Operation of this agreement

This agreement commences on and from the date it is executed by all parties.

6 Contributions to be made under this agreement

6.1 Works

- (a) The Developer will carry out the Works in accordance with this agreement, including the Construction Terms and any Development Consent or other relevant approval granted for the Works.
- (b) The Works or any part of the Works required under this agreement will be taken to have been completed for the purposes of this agreement when a Certificate of Practical Completion has been issued for those Works.
- (c) The Works must be delivered to the Council after gazettal of the Instrument Change and prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate for the Development or any part of the Development which contains the Additional Permitted Uses.
- (d) The parties agree and acknowledge that the Works serve the following public purposes:
 - (i) a critical link in the broader pedestrian/cycle network that has been identified in Council's public domain and local infrastructure planning; and
 - (ii) increase pedestrian accessibility and mobility around the Carlingford Precinct (including the Land) and to the Carlingford Light Rail station.

6.2 Access to Works Land

- (a) Subject to the Developer first complying with any relevant requirements under section 68 of the *Local Government Act 1993*, section 138 of the *Roads Act 1993* (including payment of any relevant application fees) and any other relevant Laws, the Council agrees to permit the Developer, upon receiving at least 10 Business Days' prior notice, to enter, pass through or occupy any Council owned or controlled land being the Works Land, for no additional fees, in order to enable the Developer to properly perform its obligations under this agreement. Nothing in this clause creates or gives the Developer any estate or interest in any part of the Works Land.

- (b) The Developer indemnifies the Council, its employees, officers, agents and contractors from and against all Claims in connection with the entry or access by the Developer to, or any presence of the Developer on, the Works Land for the purposes of performing its obligations under this agreement, except to the extent such Claim arises directly as a result of the Council or its employees, officers, agents, contractors or workmen's negligence, default, act or omission.

7 Application of s 7.11, s 7.12 and s 7.24 of the Act to the Development

- (a) This agreement does not exclude the application of section 7.11 of the Act to the Development.
- (b) This agreement does not exclude the application of section 7.12 of the Act to the Development.
- (c) This agreement does not exclude the application of section 7.24 of the Act to the Development.

8 Registration of this agreement

8.1 *Developer Interest*

The Developer represents and warrants to the Council that on the date of this agreement it is the registered proprietor of the Land.

8.2 *Registration of this agreement*

- (a) The Developer agrees to procure the registration of this agreement under the *Real Property Act 1900* (NSW) in the relevant folios of the Register of the Land in accordance with section 7.6 of the Act.
- (b) The Developer, at its own expense, must:
 - (i) procure the lodgement of this agreement with the Registrar-General as soon as reasonably practicable after this agreement comes into operation, but in any event, no later than 10 Business Days after that date;
 - (ii) procure the registration of this agreement by the Registrar-General in the relevant folios of the Register for the Land as soon as reasonably practicable after this agreement is lodged for registration; and
 - (iii) provide documentary evidence that the registration of this agreement has been completed to Council within 5 Business Days of receiving confirmation that the registration has occurred.
- (c) The Developer at its own expense will take all practical steps, and otherwise do anything that the Council reasonably requires to procure:
 - (i) The consent of each person who:
 - (A) has an estate or interest in the Land registered under the *Real Property Act 1900* (NSW); or
 - (B) is seized or possessed of an estate or interest in the Land,
 - (ii) An acceptance of the terms of this agreement and an acknowledgement in writing from any existing mortgagee in relation to the Land that the

mortgagee will adhere to the provisions of this agreement if it takes possession of the Land as mortgagee in possession,

- (iii) The execution of any documents; and
- (iv) The production of the relevant duplicate certificates of title,

to enable the registration of this agreement in accordance with this clause 8.2.

8.3 *Removal from Register*

- (a) The Council will provide a release and discharge of this agreement so that it may be removed from the folios of the Register for the Land (or any part of it) provided the Council is satisfied the Developer has duly fulfilled its obligations under this agreement, and is not otherwise in default of any of the obligations under this agreement.
- (b) Council agrees that if the Land is subdivided such that development takes place in more than one stage, the registration of this agreement will be removed from the title of any allotment of the Land subject to a strata scheme under the *Strata Schemes Development Act 2015*, provided that this agreement remains registered against the title to the common property within the strata scheme.

8.4 *Caveat*

- (a) The Developer acknowledges and agrees that:
 - (i) when this agreement is executed, the Council is deemed to have acquired and the Developer is deemed to have granted, an equitable estate and interest in the Land for the purposes of section 74F(1) of the *Real Property Act 1900* (NSW) and consequently the Council will have a sufficient interest in the Land in respect of which to lodge a caveat over the Land notifying that interest;
 - (ii) it will not object to the Council lodging a caveat in the relevant folios of the Register for the Land nor will it seek to remove any caveat lodged by the Council provided the caveat does not prevent registration of any dealing or plan other than a transfer.
- (b) The Council must, at the Developer's cost, register a withdrawal of any caveat in respect of the Land within five Business Days after the Developer complies with clause 8.2 and must not lodge any other caveats on the titles to any of the Land.

9 *Review of this agreement*

- (a) This agreement may be reviewed or modified. Any review or modification of this agreement will be conducted in the circumstances and in the manner determined by the parties.
- (b) No modification or review of this agreement will be of any force or effect unless it is in writing and signed by the parties to this agreement.
- (c) A party is not in breach of this agreement if it does not agree to an amendment to this agreement requested by a party in, or as a consequence of, a review.

10 Dispute Resolution

10.1 *Reference to Dispute*

If a dispute arises between the parties in relation to this agreement, the parties must not commence any court proceedings relating to the dispute unless the parties have complied with this clause, except where a party seeks urgent interlocutory relief.

10.2 *Notice of Dispute*

The party wishing to commence the dispute resolution process must give written notice (**Notice of Dispute**) to the other parties of:

- (a) The nature of the dispute,
- (b) The alleged basis of the dispute, and
- (c) The position which the party issuing the Notice of Dispute believes is correct.

10.3 *Representatives of Parties to Meet*

- (a) The representatives of the parties must promptly (and in any event within 20 Business Days of the Notice of Dispute) meet in good faith to attempt to resolve the notified dispute.
- (b) The parties may, without limitation:
 - (i) resolve the dispute during the course of that meeting,
 - (ii) agree that further material or expert advice about a particular issue or consideration is needed to effectively resolve the dispute (in which event the parties will, in good faith, agree to a timetable for resolution); or
 - (iii) agree that the parties are unlikely to resolve the dispute and, in good faith, agree to a form of alternative dispute resolution (including expert determination, arbitration or mediation) which is appropriate for the resolution of the relevant dispute.

10.4 *Further Notice if Not Settled*

If the dispute is not resolved within 10 Business Days after the nominated representatives have met, either party may give to the other a written notice calling for determination of the dispute (**Determination Notice**) by mediation under clause 10.5.

10.5 *Mediation*

If a party gives a Determination Notice calling for the dispute to be mediated:

- (a) The parties must agree to the terms of reference of the mediation within 15 Business Days of the receipt of the Determination Notice (the terms shall include a requirement that the mediation rules of the Institute of Arbitrators and Mediators Australia (NSW Chapter) apply);
- (b) The mediator will be agreed between the parties, or failing agreement within 15 Business Days of receipt of the Determination Notice, either Party may request the President of the Institute of Arbitrators and Mediators Australia (NSW Chapter) to appoint a mediator;

- (c) The mediator appointed pursuant to this clause 10.5 must:
 - (i) Have reasonable qualifications and practical experience in the area of the dispute; and
 - (ii) Have no interest or duty which conflicts or may conflict with his or her function as a mediator he or she being required to fully disclose any such interest or duty before his or her appointment;
- (d) The mediator shall be required to undertake to keep confidential all matters coming to his or her knowledge by reason of his or her appointment and performance of his or her duties;
- (e) The parties must within 15 Business Days of receipt of the Determination Notice notify each other of their representatives who will be involved in the mediation (except if a resolution of the Council is required to appoint a representative, the Council must advise of the representative within 5 Business Days of the resolution);
- (f) The parties agree to be bound by a mediation settlement and may only initiate judicial proceedings in respect of a dispute which is the subject of a mediation settlement for the purpose of enforcing that mediation settlement; and
- (g) In relation to costs and expenses:
 - (i) Each party will bear its own professional and expert costs incurred in connection with the mediation; and
 - (ii) The costs of the mediator will be shared equally by the parties unless the mediator determines that a party has engaged in vexatious or unconscionable behaviour in which case the mediator may require the full costs of the mediation to be borne by that party.

10.6 *Litigation*

If the dispute is not *finally* resolved in accordance with this clause 10, then either party is at liberty to litigate the dispute.

10.7 *No suspension of contractual obligations*

Subject to any interlocutory order obtained under clause 10.1, the referral to or undertaking of a dispute resolution process under this clause 10 does not suspend the parties' obligations under this agreement.

11 **Enforcement**

11.1 *Default*

- (a) In the event a party considers another party has failed to perform and fulfil an obligation under this agreement, it may give notice in writing to the other party (**Default Notice**) giving all particulars of the matters in respect of which it considers default has occurred and by such notice require the default to be remedied within a reasonable time not being less than 21 days.
- (b) In determining a reasonable time, regard must be had to both the nature of the default and the work or other action required to remedy it and whether or not the continuation of the default constitutes a public nuisance or raises other circumstances of urgency or emergency.

- (c) If a party disputes the Default Notice it may refer the dispute to dispute resolution under clause 10 of this agreement.

11.2 Guarantor

- (a) The Guarantor has agreed to guarantee the performance of the Developer's obligations under this Agreement.
- (b) The Guarantor agrees that it is liable to Council for:
 - (i) the due performance and observance by the Developer of all the provisions in this Agreement; and
 - (ii) the payment of all money which the Developer is obliged to pay to the Council under this Agreement.
- (c) The Guarantor is liable even if:
 - (i) the Developer or any Guarantor dies, or becomes mentally incapable or insolvent;
 - (ii) the Council gives the Developer any time, forbearance or other indulgence;
 - (iii) the Council does not exercise any of its rights under this Agreement, or waives or defers any of those rights;
 - (iv) the Developer or any Guarantor have any actual or alleged set-off, defence, counter-claim or other deductions; and
 - (v) the Council, or any other person does anything or omits to do anything which would, but for this provision, affect or discharge the Guarantor's liability.

11.3 Restriction on the issue of Certificates

In accordance with section 6.10 of the Act and any associated regulations (or if the Former Building and Subdivision Provisions apply, section 109H(2) of the Act) the obligations to carry out the Works must be satisfied prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate for the Development or any part of the Development.

11.4 General Enforcement

- (a) Without limiting any other remedies available to the parties, this agreement may be enforced by any party in any Court of competent jurisdiction.
- (b) Nothing in this agreement prevents:
 - (i) a party from bringing proceedings in the Land and Environment Court to enforce any aspect of this agreement or any matter to which this agreement relates; and
 - (ii) the Council from exercising any function under the Act or any other Act or law relating to the enforcement of any aspect of this agreement or any matter to which this agreement relates.

12 Assignment and Dealings

12.1 Assignment

- (a) A party must not assign or deal with any right under this agreement without the prior written consent of the other parties, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- (b) Any change of ownership or control (as defined in section 50AA of the *Commonwealth Corporations Act 2001*) of a party (excluding the Council) shall be deemed to be an assignment of this agreement for the purposes of this clause.
- (c) Any purported dealing in breach of this clause is of no effect.

12.2 Arrangements with Mortgagee

- (a) The Developer agrees with the Council that if the Developer mortgages the Land after this agreement is entered into it must use all reasonable efforts at that time to arrange a multiple party deed of agreement between the Council, the Developer, and the mortgagee who will be providing finance for the Works so that the mortgagee accepts that the responsibilities set out in this agreement are binding upon the mortgagee in the event that the Developer defaults on the mortgage and the mortgagee takes possession of the Land.
- (b) The terms of the adoption of the obligations of the Developer by the mortgagee shall be as reasonably required by the Council. The agreement shall be prepared at the cost of the Developer.

12.3 Transfer of Land

- (a) The Developer may not transfer, assign or dispose of the whole or any part of its right, title or interest in the Land (present or future) or in the Development to another person (**Transferee**) unless before it sells, transfers or disposes of that right, title or interest:
 - (i) The Developer satisfies the Council that the proposed Transferee is financially capable of complying with the Developer obligations under this agreement;
 - (ii) The Developer satisfies the Council that the rights of the Council will not be diminished or fettered in any way;
 - (iii) The Transferee delivers to the Council a novation deed signed by the Transferee in a form and of such substance as is acceptable to the Council containing provisions under which the Transferee agrees to comply with all the outstanding obligations of the Developer under this agreement;
 - (iv) The Transferee delivers to the Council Bank Guarantees as required by this agreement;
 - (v) Any default under any provisions of this agreement has been remedied or waived by the Council, on such conditions as the Council may determine, and
 - (vi) The Developer and the Transferee pay the Council's reasonable costs in relation to the assignment.
- (b) The parties agree that clause 12.3(a) does not apply if the Transferee is acquiring an interest in the Land as a purchaser of one or more lots in a strata scheme,

(whether or not the plan has, at the date of exchange, been registered at the NSW Land Registry Services).

13 Approvals and consents

Except as otherwise set out in this agreement, and subject to any statutory obligations, a party may give or withhold an approval or consent to be given under this agreement in that party's absolute discretion and subject to any conditions determined by the party. A party is not obligated to give its reasons for giving or withholding consent or for giving consent subject to conditions.

14 No fetter

14.1 *Discretion*

This agreement is not intended to operate to fetter, in any manner, the exercise of any statutory power or discretion of the Council, including, but not limited to, any statutory power or discretion of the Council relating to the Development Application or any other application for Development Consent (all referred to in this agreement as a "**Discretion**").

14.2 *No fetter*

No provision of this agreement is intended to constitute any fetter on the exercise of any Discretion. If, contrary to the operation of this clause, any provision of this agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to constitute a fetter on any Discretion, the parties agree:

- (a) They will take all practical steps, including the execution of any further documents, to ensure the objective of this clause is substantially satisfied,
- (b) In the event that (a) cannot be achieved without giving rise to a fetter on the exercise of a Discretion, the relevant provision is to be severed and the remainder of this agreement has full force and effect, and
- (c) To endeavour to satisfy the common objectives of the parties in relation to the provision of this agreement which is to be held to be a fetter on the extent that is possible having regard to the relevant court judgment.

14.3 *Planning Certificates*

The Developer acknowledges that Council may, at its discretion, include advice on any planning certificate issued under section 10.7 of the Act that this agreement affects the Land.

15 Notices

15.1 *Notices*

Any notice given under or in connection with this agreement (**Notice**):

- (a) must be in writing and signed by a person duly authorised by the sender;
- (b) must be addressed as follows and delivered to the intended recipient by hand, by prepaid post or by email or fax at the address or fax number below, or at the

address or fax number last notified by the intended recipient to the sender after the date of this agreement:

- (i) to City of Parramatta Council: PO Box 32, Parramatta, NSW 2124
Fax: 02 9806 5917
Email: council@cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au
Attention: Manager, Land Use Planning
 - (ii) to Karimbla Properties (No. 61) Pty Ltd: Level 11, 528 Kent Street, Sydney NSW 2000
Fax: (02) 9287 2777
Email: generalcounsel@meriton.com.au
Attention: Director
 - (iii) to Meriton Properties Pty Ltd: Level 11, 528 Kent Street, Sydney NSW 2000
Fax: (02) 9287 2777
Email: generalcounsel@meriton.com.au
Attention: Director
- (c) is taken to be given or made:
- (i) in the case of hand delivery, when delivered;
 - (ii) in the case of delivery by post, three Business Days after the date of posting (if posted to an address in the same country) or seven Business Days after the date of posting (if posted to an address in another country); and
 - (iii) in the case of a fax, on production of a transmission report by the machine from which the fax was sent that indicates the fax was sent in its entirety to the recipient's fax number; and
- (d) if under clause (c) a Notice would be taken to be given or made on a day that is not a Business Day in the place to which the Notice is sent, or later than 4.00 pm (local time), it is taken to have been given or made at the start of business on the next Business Day in that place.

15.2 *Notices sent by email:*

- (a) A party may serve a Notice by email if the Notice:
 - (i) includes a signature block specifying:
 - (A) the name of the person sending the Notice; and
 - (B) the sender's position within the relevant party;
 - (ii) states in the body of the message or the subject field that it is sent as a Notice under this agreement;
 - (iii) contains an express statement that the person sending the Notice has the authority to serve a Notice under this agreement;

- (iv) is sent to the email address below or the email address last notified by the intended recipient to the sender:
 - (A) to City of Parramatta Council: Attention: Manager, Land Use Planning
council@cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au
 - (B) to Karimbla Properties (No. 61) Pty Ltd: Attention: Executive Manager – Planning and
Government
generalcounsel@meriton.com.au
 - (C) to Meriton Properties Pty Ltd: Attention: Executive Manager – Planning and
Government
generalcounsel@meriton.com.au

- (b) The recipient of a Notice served under this clause 15.2 must:
 - (i) promptly acknowledge receipt of the Notice; and
 - (ii) keep an electronic copy of the Notice,
- (c) Failure to comply with clause 15.2 does not invalidate service of a Notice under this clause.

15.3 *Receipt of Notices sent by email*

- (a) A Notice sent under clause 15.2 is taken to be given or made:
 - (i) when the sender receives an email acknowledgement from the recipient's information system showing the Notice has been delivered to the email address stated above;
 - (ii) when the Notice enters an information system controlled by the recipient; or
 - (iii) when the Notice is first opened or read by the recipient,
 whichever occurs first.
- (b) If under clause 15.3 a Notice would be taken to be given or made on a day that is not a Business Day in the place to which the Notice is sent, or later than 4.00 pm (local time), it will be taken to have been given or made at the start of business on the next Business Day in that place.

16 General

16.1 *Relationship between parties*

- (a) Nothing in this agreement:
 - (i) constitutes a partnership between the parties; or
 - (ii) except as expressly provided, makes a party an agent of another party for any purpose.
- (b) A party cannot in any way or for any purpose:
 - (i) bind another party; or
 - (ii) contract in the name of another party.

- (c) If a party must fulfil an obligation and that party is dependent on another party, then that other party must do each thing reasonably within its power to assist the other in the performance of that obligation.

16.2 *Time for doing acts*

- (a) If the time for doing any act or thing required to be done or a notice period specified in this agreement expires on a day other than a Business Day, the time for doing that act or thing or the expiration of that notice period is extended until the following Business Day.
- (b) If any act or thing required to be done is done after 5.00 pm on the specified day, it is taken to have been done on the following Business Day.

16.3 *Further assurances*

Each party must promptly execute all documents and do all other things reasonably necessary or desirable to give effect to the arrangements recorded in this agreement.

16.4 *Joint and individual liability and benefits*

Except as otherwise set out in this agreement, any agreement, covenant, representation or warranty under this agreement by two or more persons binds them jointly and each of them individually, and any benefit in favour of two or more persons is for the benefit of them jointly and each of them individually.

16.5 *Variations and Amendments*

A provision of this agreement can only be varied by a later written document executed by or on behalf of all parties and in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

16.6 *Counterparts*

This agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts. All counterparts taken together constitute one instrument.

16.7 *Legal expenses and stamp duty*

- (a) The Developer must pay the Council's reasonable legal costs and disbursements in connection with the negotiation, preparation, execution, carrying into effect, enforcement and release and discharge of this agreement, including the reasonable costs of obtaining any legal advice in connection with this agreement, no later than 10 Business Days after receiving a demand from the Council to pay such costs.
- (b) The Developer agrees to pay or reimburse the costs and expenses incurred by Council in connection with the advertising and exhibition of this agreement in accordance with the Act.

16.8 *Entire agreement*

The contents of this agreement constitute the entire agreement between the parties and supersede any prior negotiations, representations, understandings or arrangements made between the parties regarding the subject matter of this agreement, whether orally or in writing.

16.9 Representations and warranties

The parties represent and warrant that they have the power and authority to enter into this agreement and comply with their obligations under the agreement and that entry into this agreement will not result in the breach of any law.

16.10 Severability

If a clause or part of a clause of this agreement can be read in a way that makes it illegal, unenforceable or invalid, but can also be read in a way that makes it legal, enforceable and valid, it must be read in the latter way. If any clause or part of a clause is illegal, unenforceable or invalid, that clause or part is to be treated as removed from this agreement, but the rest of this agreement is not affected.

16.11 Invalidity

- (a) A word or provision must be read down if:
 - (i) this agreement is void, voidable, or unenforceable if it is not read down;
 - (ii) this agreement will not be void, voidable or unenforceable if it is read down; and
 - (iii) the provision is capable of being read down.
- (b) A word or provision must be severed if:
 - (i) despite the operation of clause (a), the provision is void, voidable or unenforceable if it is not severed; and
 - (ii) this agreement will be void, voidable or unenforceable if it is not severed.
- (c) The remainder of this agreement has full effect even if clause 16.11(b) applies.

16.12 Waiver

- (a) A right or remedy created by this agreement cannot be waived except in writing signed by the party entitled to that right. Delay by a party in exercising a right or remedy does not constitute a waiver of that right or remedy, nor does a waiver (either wholly or in part) by a party of a right operate as a subsequent waiver of the same right or of any other right of that party.
- (b) The fact that a party fails to do, or delays in doing, something the party is entitled to do under this agreement, does not amount to a waiver of any obligation of, or breach of obligation by, another party. A waiver by a party is only effective if it is in writing. A written waiver by a party is only effective in relation to the particular obligation or breach in respect of which it is given. It is not to be taken as an implied waiver of any other obligation or breach or as an implied waiver of that obligation or breach in relation to any other occasion.

16.13 GST

- (a) Words and expressions which are not defined in this agreement but which have a defined meaning in GST Law have the same meaning as in the GST Law.
- (b) Unless otherwise expressly stated, all prices or other sums payable or consideration to be provided under this agreement are exclusive of GST.
- (c) If GST is imposed on any supply made under or in accordance with this agreement, the Developer must pay the GST or pay to the Council an amount

equal to the GST payable on or for the taxable supply, whichever is appropriate in the circumstances.

- (d) If the Council is obliged to pay any GST on any supply made under or in accordance with this agreement, the Developer indemnifies the Council for the amount of any such payment is required to make.

16.14 *Governing law and jurisdiction*

- (a) The laws applicable in New South Wales govern this agreement.
- (b) The parties submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of New South Wales and any courts competent to hear appeals from those courts.

Schedule 1 Scope of works

Deliver a shared pedestrian/cycle path on the Works Land from Shirley Street through the Shirley Street Reserve to form part of the existing Active Transport Link connecting to the Carlingford Light Rail Station. Refer to the plans showing the Works at Annexure B. The Works must be completed prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate for the Development or any part of the Development which contains the Additional Permitted Uses. The Works at a minimum must include:

- A. Raised Pedestrian Crossing with cycle lane over Shirley Street.
- B. Rectification works to the existing footpath within Shirley Street that connects to the raised pedestrian crossing (approximately 16m²)
- C. 2.0m wide footpath from Shirley Street through Shirley Street reserve
- D. Provision of 1.0m wide landscaping strip associated within the Shared Bike Path/ Pedestrian Path
- E. Provision of 3.0m wide Bike Path within Shirley Street Reserve
- F. Allowance for relocation of existing utilities and provision of new pits and pipes for utilities in the Road Reserve.
- G. Rectification of disturbed areas within the vicinity of the Works
- H. Lighting for the shared bike path/ pedestrian paths in accordance with Council's specifications
- I. Lighting for the pedestrian crossing

Schedule 2 Construction Terms

1 Interpretation

For the purposes of this Schedule 2, the defined terms in clause 1 of this agreement and the Interpretation principles in clause 2 of this agreement will apply and, unless context indicates a contrary intention:

Builder means any entity contracted under the Construction Contract to carry out the Works.

Construction Contract means the contract to carry out the Works (whether or not that is a contract for the Works only or forms part of a contract for the building of other components of the Development).

Defects Liability Period means in respect of each item of building works which together comprise the Works the period of 12 months from the date on which the Certificate of Practical Completion is issued for the Works.

Detailed Design means the final specifications and finishes for the Works prepared in accordance with clause 5.2 of this Schedule 2 and will include the design of the Works, the location for the Works, installation specifications and estimated costs of construction and/or installation.

Services means all electricity, telecommunications and other services which are reasonably necessary or required for the construction or operation of the Works.

Superintendent means the Superintendent appointed under any Construction Contract (if applicable).

Works means the works set out in Schedule 1 on the Works Land.

2 Requirements of Authorities and Approvals

2.1 These Construction Terms must be read and construed subject to:

- (a) any requirements or conditions of any Development Consent;
- (b) the requirements of and conditions imposed by all relevant Authorities and all Laws relating to the Development and the construction of the Development.

2.2 If the Developer requires any Approvals in order to carry out the obligations under this agreement, then the Developer will acquire all Approvals necessary to carry out the Works at its own cost.

2.3 The Developer must ensure that the Works carried out under this agreement are carried out:

- (a) in accordance with the relevant Development Consent or other relevant approvals for the Works and all Approvals and the requirements of all Laws, including without limitation, work health and safety legislation; and
- (b) in a good and workmanlike manner and so that they are diligently progressed until completion;

AND it is acknowledged that to the extent that there is any inconsistency between this agreement and any Approval the terms of the Approval shall take precedence.

3 Costs of Works

All costs of the Works must be borne by the Developer.

4 Project Management and Contractor Engagement

- 4.1 The Developer will be responsible for managing the Works.
- 4.2 The Developer will ensure that any contractor it engages to carry out the Works agrees to:
- (a) carry out the Developer's obligations in these Construction Terms as part of any Construction Contract; and
 - (b) request a Council representative to be present at each on-site meeting attended by the Superintendent and to ensure the Council representative is present at the meeting.

5 Design Development and Approvals

5.1 Concept Design

Council and the Developer have worked in consultation with each other to prepare and agree the concept plans for the Works at Annexure B.

5.2 Detailed Design

- (a) Prior to Works commencing the Developer must provide a copy of the draft Detailed Design to the Council for approval.
 - (b) Within 10 Business Days of receiving the Detailed Design, Council will (acting reasonably) respond to the Developer with any suggested amendments to the Detailed Design. If Council does not respond within the 10 Business Days, then the submitted Detailed Design is deemed to be approval under this Agreement.
 - (c) Council and the Developer must work in consultation with each other to prepare and agree the Detailed Design and must both act reasonably and with due expedition in their consultations with each other.
 - (d) If the Detailed Design is not completed and agreed within 10 Business Days of Council providing its suggested amendments in accordance with clause 5.2(b) of this Schedule 2, to avoid possible delays to the issue of a Certificate of Practical Completion, the Council will, in its sole discretion, be entitled to decide on any outstanding or undecided matter or item relating to areas that are to be accessible to the public, provided that any decision made by Council under this clause:
 - (i) is consistent with the obligation to carry out the Works under this agreement; and
 - (ii) is consistent with the Development Consent; and
 - (iii) does not materially and adversely affect the Development; and
- 5.3 (iv) is not unreasonable. Any acceptance by the Council of the Detailed Design under this clause 5 of Schedule 2 is to be taken as approval of or to any Construction Certificate for the Works.

5.4 Good faith

The parties must act promptly and in good faith to consult in relation to the Detailed Design.

6 Carrying out of Works

6.1 Communication

The Developer must keep Council reasonably informed of progress of the Works and provide to Council such information about the Works as Council reasonably requests.

6.2 Standard of Works

- (a) Unless otherwise provided, the Developer shall, and must cause the Builder to, use suitable new materials and proper and tradesmanlike workmanship when carrying out the Works.
- (b) The qualitative standard of the design and finishes for the Works must be no less than those described in the following documents:
 - (i) Any relevant Australian Standard;
 - (ii) Any relevant design standards or guidelines and any other requirements or policies applied by the Council from time to time in assessing the adequacy of any works or improvements proposed for the public domain or to be accessible to the public in accordance with this agreement.
- (c) The Developer will obtain any relevant standards (including design standards), specifications, or guidelines and any other requirements or policies referred to in clause 6.2(b)(ii) of this Schedule 2 from Council if the Council fails to deliver them to the Developer.
- (d) The Developer may but is not obliged to reinstate any Works where damage or destruction is as a result of:
 - (i) Any act or omission of the Council or its employees, consultants or agents relating to any part of the Works under this agreement; or
 - (ii) The use or occupation by the Council or its employees, consultants or agents, Council's representatives or other contractor of the Council of any part of the Works; or
 - (iii) malicious damage and graffiti to any part of the Works by persons not associated with the Developer, Builder or Superintendent.

6.3 Damage to people, property & utilities

- (a) The Developer is to ensure to the fullest extent reasonably practicable that, in performing its obligations under this agreement:
 - (i) all necessary measures are taken to protect people and property;
 - (ii) unnecessary interference with the passage of people and vehicles is avoided; and
 - (iii) nuisances and unreasonable noise and disturbances are prevented.
- (b) Without limiting clause 6.3(a) of this Schedule, the Developer is not to obstruct, interfere with, impair or damage any Public Road, public footpath, public cycleway or other public thoroughfare, or any pipe, conduit, drain, watercourse or other public utility or service on any land except as authorised in writing by the Council or any relevant Authority.

7 Inspection

- (a) On completion of the Detailed Design, the Council will provide a schedule of inspections to be undertaken by Council (**Inspection Schedule**) to occur at specified stages of the construction of the Works (**Inspection Stage**). If the Council does not provide the Inspection Schedule, the Developer must request the Inspection Schedule from the Council prior to the Works commencing.
- (b) Five Business Days prior to reaching an Inspection Stage as set out in the Inspection Schedule, the Developer must notify the Council of the proposed inspection date (**Inspection Date**).
- (c) On the Inspection Date, or other agreed date, the Developer must ensure that any employees, contractors, agents or representatives of Council have access to and may enter the Land to inspect the Works.
- (d) In addition to carrying out inspections in accordance with the Inspection Schedule, the Council may enter the Land or any part of the Land on which the Works are located to inspect the progress of the Works, subject to:
 - (i) the terms of the Construction Contract (save for any clause of the Construction Contract which prevents the Council from accessing the Land);
 - (ii) giving reasonable notice to the Developer;
 - (iii) complying with all reasonable directions of the Developer; and
 - (iv) being accompanied by the Developer or a nominee, or as otherwise agreed.
- (e) The Council may, acting reasonably, within 5 Business Days of carrying out an inspection (either under clause 7(c) or 7(d) of this Schedule 2), notify the Developer of any defect or non-compliance in the Works and direct the Developer to carry out work to rectify that defect or non-compliance within a reasonable period of time. Such work may include, but is not limited to:
 - (i) removal of defective or non-complying material;
 - (ii) demolishing defective or non-complying work;
 - (iii) reconstructing, replacing or correcting any defective or non-complying work; and
 - (iv) not delivering any defective or non-complying material to the site of the Works.
- (f) If the Developer is issued a direction to carry out further work under clause 7(e) of this Schedule 2, the Developer must, at its cost, rectify the defect or non-compliance specified in the Notice within the time period specified in the Notice, provided that it is reasonable having regard to the nature of the works.
- (g) If the Developer fails to comply with a direction to carry out work given under 7(e) of this Schedule 2, the Council will be entitled to refuse to accept that the Works (or the relevant part of the Works) meet the Council's standards and specifications and may refuse to issue a Certificate of Practical Completion, until the required Works have been completed to the Council's satisfaction, acting reasonably.

- (h) For the avoidance of doubt, the acceptance by the Council that the Developer has rectified a particular defect or non-compliance identified in a notice issued under 7(e) of this Schedule 2 does not constitute:
 - (i) acceptance by the Council that the Works comply with all Approvals and Laws; or
 - (ii) an Approval by the Council in respect of the Works; or
 - (iii) an agreement or acknowledgment by the Council that the Works or the relevant part of the Works are complete and may be delivered to the Council in accordance with this agreement.

8 Completion

8.1 Practical Completion

- (a) When the Developer considers that the Works, or any part of the Works, are complete, the Developer must send a Notice to the Council accompanied by complete works as executed plans, any relevant certificates or consents of any public utility authority and a request for written certification from the Council that the Works are complete.
- (b) Within 5 Business Days of receipt of the notice under clause 8.1(a) of this Schedule 2, the Council will carry out an inspection of the Works and will, acting reasonably, either:
 - (i) provide written certification to the Developer that the Works have been completed; or
 - (ii) notify the Developer of any additional information required or matters which must be addressed by the Developer prior to the certification being issued.
- (c) If the Developer is required to provide additional information or address any matters under clause 8.1(b)(ii) of this Schedule 2, the Developer will provide that information to Council or address those matters within 5 Business Days of receiving the notice or within a reasonable period of time and make a further request under clause 8.1(a) of this Schedule 2 for written certification that the Works have been completed.
- (d) Practical completion will be achieved in relation to the Works or any part of the Works when a Certificate of Practical Completion has been issued for those Works.

8.2 Delivery of documents

- (a) The Developer must as soon as practicable, and no later than 20 Business Days after the date on which the Certificate of Practical Completion is issued in respect of the Works or any part of the Works deliver to the Council, complete and legible copies of:
 - (i) all "as built" reasonably sized drawings, specifications and relevant operation and service manuals;
 - (ii) all necessary certificates including the certificates of any consultants of the Developer that the Council may reasonably require, and Approvals of any public utility authority (where relevant); and
 - (iii) copies of all Approvals required for use of the land subject to the Works.

- (b) The Developer must as soon as practicable, and no later than 20 Business Days after the date on which the Certificate of Practical Completion is issued in respect of the Works or any part of the Works, provide the Council with a tour of the land subject to the Works and provide reasonable instructions on the operation and use of the Services on that land.

8.3 Assignment of Warranties and Causes of Action

- (a) The Developer must assign (as beneficial owner) or cause to be assigned to Council the benefit of any warranties and guarantees obtained by the Developer and the Builder (and capable of assignment) with respect to any material or goods incorporated in or forming part of the Works.
- (b) To the extent that any such warranties or guarantees cannot be assigned, the Developer must at the request of Council do anything reasonably required by Council to enforce such warranties or guarantees for the benefit of Council.

8.4 Defects Liability Period

- (a) During the Defects Liability Period, the Council (acting reasonably) may give to the Developer a notice (**Rectification Notice**) in writing that identifies a defect in the Works and specifies:
 - (i) action required to be undertaken by the Developer to rectify that defect (**Rectification Works**); and
 - (ii) the date on which the defect must be rectified (**Rectification Date**).
- (b) The Developer must comply with the Rectification Notice by:
 - (i) procuring the performance of the Rectification Works by the Rectification Date, or such other date as agreed between the parties;
 - (ii) keeping the Council reasonably informed of the action to be taken to rectify the defect; and
 - (iii) carrying out the Rectification Works.
- (c) The Council must give the Developer and its contractors any access required to carry out the Rectification Works.
- (d) When the Developer considers that the Rectification Works are complete, either the Developer must notify the Council and provide documentation, plans or invoices which establish that the Rectification Works were carried out.
- (e) The Council may inspect the Rectification Works within 15 Business Days of receiving a Notice from the Developer under clause 8.4(d) of this Schedule 2 and, acting reasonably:
 - (i) issue a further Rectification Notice if it is not reasonably satisfied that the Rectification Works are complete; or
 - (ii) notify the Developer in writing that it is satisfied the Rectification Works are complete.
- (f) The Developer must meet all costs of and incidental to rectification of defects under this clause 8.4.
- (g) If the Developer fail to comply with a Rectification Notice, then the Council may do such things or take such action as is necessary to carry out the Rectification

Works, including accessing and occupying any part of the Land without further notice to the Developer, and may:

- (i) call upon the Bank Guarantee provided to the Council under clause **Error! Reference source not found.** of this Schedule 2 to meet its costs of carrying out Rectification Works; and
 - (ii) recover as a debt due to the Council by the Developer in a court of competent jurisdiction, any difference between the amount of the security deposit and the costs incurred by the Council in carrying out Rectification Works.
- (h) The Developer must request that Council inspect the Works 28 days prior to the end of the Defects Liability Period. The Council must inspect the Works at any time after receiving the request from the Developer and before to the end of the Defects Liability Period.
- (i) If, prior to the end of the Defects Liability Period:
- (i) the Developer fails to request the inspection, or
 - (ii) the Council does not carry out the inspection,
- the Council may extend the Defects Liability Period so that the inspection may be carried out.
- (j) During the Defects Liability Period, the Developer is not obliged to reinstate any Works where damage or destruction is as a result of:
- (i) any act or omission of the Council or its employees, consultants or agents relating to any part of the Works under this agreement; or
 - (ii) the use or occupation by the Council or its employees, consultants or agents, Council's representatives or other contractor of the Council of any part of the Works; or
 - (iii) malicious damage and graffiti to any part of the Works by persons not associated with the Developer, Builder or Superintendent

8.5 Guarantor

Clause 11.2 of this agreement shall apply during the Defects Liability Period.

9 Risk

The Developer undertakes the Works entirely at its own risk.

10 Insurance

- (a) Prior to the commencement of the construction of any of the Works, the Developer must ensure the Builder effects and the Developer must produce evidence to the Council of the following insurances issued by an insurer approved by the Council (acting reasonably) in a form approved by the Council (acting reasonably):
- (i) construction works insurance for the value of the Works;
 - (ii) public risk insurance for at least \$20 million;
 - (iii) workers compensation insurance as required by Law.

- (b) The Developer must provide evidence of currency of insurance required by clause 10(a) of this Schedule 2 upon request by the Council, acting reasonably, throughout the term of this agreement.

11 Indemnities

The Developer indemnifies the Council, its employees, officers, agents and contractors from and against all Claims in connection with the carrying out by the Developer of the Works except to the extent such Claim arises either directly or indirectly as a result of the Council or its employees, officers, agents, contractors or workmen's negligence, default, act or omission.

12 Intellectual Property Rights

The Council acknowledges that the Developer or its contractors hold all rights to copyright and any intellectual property which may exist in the Works. To the extent the Developer has or receives intellectual property rights for the Works, the Developer shall assign those intellectual property rights to Council or permit use thereof.

13 Plans

The parties acknowledge and agree that further detail and refinement of plans and documents in connection with this agreement may be necessary having regard to the following matters:

- (a) matters affecting Works not capable of identification on or before the date of this agreement; or
- (b) by agreement between the parties.

Schedule 3

Summary of requirements (section 7.4)

Subject and subsection of the Act	Planning Agreement
<p>Planning instrument and/or Development Application – Section 7.4(1)</p> <p>The Developer has:</p> <p>(a) Sought a change to an environmental planning instrument</p> <p>(b) Made, or propose to make a Development Application</p> <p>(c) Entered into an agreement with, or are otherwise associated with, a person to whom paragraph (a) or (b) applies</p>	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>
<p>Description of the land to which the planning Agreement applies – Section 7.4(3)(a)</p>	<p>See the definition of Land in clause 1</p>
<p>Description of the application – Section 7.4(3)(b)</p>	<p>Proposed amendment to the <i>Parramatta (former The Hills) Local Environmental Plan 2012 (Instrument)</i> to insert an additional clause into Schedule 1 to the Instrument to enable development for the additional purposes of the shops, food and drink premises, business premises and recreation facilities (indoor), up to a maximum of 2,000 square metres in aggregate total Gross Floor Area (as defined in the Instrument), to be carried out with development consent on the above Land.</p>
<p>The scope, timing and manner of delivery of contribution required by the Planning Agreement – Section 7.4(3)(c)</p>	<p>See Clause 6</p>
<p>Applicability of section 7.11 of the Act – Section 7.4(3)(d)</p>	<p>See Clause 7</p>
<p>Applicability of section 7.12 of the Act – Section 7.4(3)(d)</p>	<p>See Clause 7</p>
<p>Applicability of section 7.24 of the Act – Section 7.4(3)(d)</p>	<p>See Clause 7</p>
<p>Mechanism for dispute resolution – Section 7.4(3)(f)</p>	<p>See Clause 10</p>

Enforcement of the Planning Agreement – Section 7.4(3)(g)	See Clause 11
Registration of the Planning Agreement – Section 7.6	See Clause 8
No obligation to grant consent or exercise functions – Section 7.4(9)	See Clause 14 (no fetter)

Executed as an agreement

Signed on behalf of **City of Parramatta Council** (ABN 49 907 174 773) by its authorised delegate pursuant to section 377 of the *Local Government Act* 1993 in the presence of:

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Signature of witness	Signature of authorised delegate
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Name of witness	Name of authorised delegate
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Address of witness	Position of authorised delegate

Signed on behalf of **Karimbla Properties**
(No. 61) Pty Ltd ACN 622 383 733 in
accordance with section 127(1) of the
Corporations Act (Cth) 2001 by:

Signature of Authorised Officer

Signature of Authorised Officer

Name of Authorised Officer

Name of Authorised Officer

Position of Authorised Officer

Position of Authorised Officer

Signed on behalf of **Meriton Properties**
Pty Ltd ACN 000 698 626 in accordance
with section 127(1) of the Corporations Act
(Cth) 2001 by:

Signature of Authorised Officer

Signature of Authorised Officer

Name of Authorised Officer

Name of Authorised Officer

Position of Authorised Officer

Position of Authorised Officer



Plans showing Works

