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The General Manager Penrith City Council PO Box 60 PENRITH NSW 2751

Attention: Lauren van Etten

## PROPOSED ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO EXISTING EDUCATIONAL ESTABLISHMENT 124-140 BRINGELLY ROAD, ORCHARD HILLS

Dear Sir/Madam,

Reference is made to Council's letter dated 25 October 2016, regarding the abovementioned application which was referred to Roads and Maritime Services (Roads and Maritime) for comment in accordance with Schedule 3 of the State Environmental Planning Policy (Infrastructure) 2007.

Roads and Maritime has reviewed the submitted documentation and raises no objection to the application. Roads and Maritime has the following comments for Council's consideration in the determination of the application:

- A significant number of vehicles and pedestrians will access the site at the start and end of the school day. School Zones must be installed along all roads with a direct access point (either pedestrian or vehicular) from the school. School Zones must not to be provided along roads adjacent to the school without a direct access point. Road Safety precautions and parking zones should be incorporated into the neighbouring local road network :
  - 40km/hr School Zones are to be installed in Quigg Place and the school zone on Caddens Road is to be extended to end east of Quigg Place in accordance with the following conditions.
  - Council should ensure that parking, drop-off and pick-up zones and bus zones incorporated are in accordance with Roads and Maritime standards.
- 2. Roads and Maritime Services (Roads and Maritime) is responsible for speed management along all public roads within the state of New South Wales. That is, Roads and Maritime is the only authorised organisation that can approve speed zoning changes and authorise installation of speed zoning traffic control devices on the road network within New South Wales.

## **Roads and Maritime Services**

27-31 Argyle Street, Parramatta NSW 2150 | PO Box 973 Parramatta NSW 2150 | Therefore, the Developer must obtain written authorisation from Roads and Maritime to install the School Zone signs and associated pavement markings and/or remove/relocate any existing Speed Limit signs.

To obtain authorisation, the Developer must submit the following for review and approval by Roads and Maritime, at least eight (8) weeks prior to student occupation of the site:

- a) A copy of Council's development Conditions of Consent,
- b) The proposed school commencement/opening date,
- c) Two (2) sets of detailed design plans showing the following:
  - School property boundaries
  - All adjacent road carriageways to the school property
  - All proposed school access points to the public road network and any conditions imposed/proposed on their use
  - All existing and proposed pedestrian crossing facilities on the adjacent road network
  - All existing and proposed traffic control devices and pavement markings on the adjacent road network (including School Zone signs and pavement markings).
  - All existing and proposed street furniture and street trees.
- 3. School Zone signs and pavement marking patches must be installed in accordance with Roads and Maritime approval/authorisation, guidelines and specifications.
- 4. All School signs and pavement markings must be installed prior to student occupation of the site.
- 5. The Developer must maintain records of all dates in relation to installing, altering, removing traffic control devices related to speed.
- 6. Following installation of all School Zone signs and pavement markings the Developer must arrange an inspection with Roads and Maritime for formal handover of the assets to Roads and Maritime. The installation date information must also be provided to Roads and Maritime at the same time.

**Note:** Until the assets are formally handed-over and accepted by Roads and Maritime, Roads and Maritime takes no responsibility for the School Zones/assets.

- 7. Car parking shall be provided to Council's satisfaction.
- 8. All vehicles are to enter and leave the site in a forward direction
- 9. Council should be satisfied that suitable pedestrian paths/facilities are provided within the vehicle accessible areas to corral pedestrians to appropriate crossing locations.

Furthermore, the proponent should be advised that the subject property is partially within an area in which Roads and Maritime is currently investigating the proposed Western Sydney Infrastructure Plan (WSIP). The investigations have not yet advanced to the stage where options have been defined and accordingly it is not possible at this date to identify if any part of the subject property would be required to accommodate this proposal.

Further information about this project can be obtained by contacting the WSIP team on 1800 703 457 or Email: wsip@rms.nsw.gov.au or by visiting the website at www.rms.nsw.gov.au/projects/sydney-west/infrastructure-plan

Any inquiries in relation to this application can be directed to Zhaleh Alamouti on 8849 2331 or by email at development.sydney@rms.nsw.gov.au

Yours sincerely

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