COUNCIL ASSESSMENT REPORT

Panel Reference	PPSSEC-7
DA Number	2019/143
LGA	Strathfield
Proposed Development	Site preparation works including demolition, remediation works and excavation and construction of a mixed use development at the site incorporating one (1) 26 storey tower and one (1) 25 storey tower, an eight (8) storey podium and basement car parking (381 car bays). The development would include 360 residential units, two (2) retail tenancies, three (3) live-work suites, several communal open space areas and extension of Nipper Street.
Street Address	11-13 and 15-17 Columbia Lane (Lot 5 DP 261926 and Lot 4 in DP 261926)
Applicant/Owner	JQZ Four P/L
Date of DA lodgement	5 September 2019
Number of Submissions	Forty seven (47) written submissions received during the first notification period (17 September – 8 October), all objections.
	Following design changes, the Application was re-notified (7 – 28 August) to members of the public who had made submissions during the original notification period. An additional four written submissions were received.
Recommendation	Approval
Regional Development Criteria (Schedule 7 of the SEPP (State and Regional	2 General development over \$30 million Development that has a capital investment value of more than \$30 million.
Development) 2011	(Estimated Cost of Works = \$132,220,000.00)
List of all relevant s4.15(1)(a) matters	 STATE ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING POLICY NO. 55 – REMEDIATION OF LAND STATE ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING POLICY NO. 65 – DESIGN QUALITY OF RESIDENTIAL FLAT DEVELOPMENT STATE ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING POLICY (BUILDING SUSTAINABILITY INDEX: BASIX) 2004 STATE ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING POLICY (INFRASTRUCTURE) 2007 STATE ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING POLICY (STATE AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT) 2011 STATE ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING POLICY (VEGETATION IN NON-RURAL AREAS) 2017 Strathfield Local Environmental Plan (SLEP) 2012 Strathfield Consolidated Development Control Plan 2005 (SCDCP 2005)
List all documents submitted	Attachments to SEE:
with this report for the Panel's consideration	 DA2019.143 - GTA - Ausgrid DA2019.143 - GTA - RMS DA2019.143 - GTA - Sydney Trains DA2019.143 - GTA - Sydney Water DA2019.143 - GTA - Water NSW DA2019.143 - Letter to Applicant (22.05.2020) Plans: DA2019.143 (Revised) - Acoustic Report - 11-17 Columbia Lane, Homebush DA2019.143 (Revised) - Architectural Drawings - 11-17 Columbia Lane, Homebush DA2019.143 (Revised) - BASIX Letter - 11-17 Columbia Lane, Homebush DA2019.143 (Revised) - Columbia Lane - Addendum SEE DA2019.143 (Revised) - Landscape Design Report - 11-17 Columbia Lane, Homebush DA2019.143 (Revised) - Supplementary Drawings - 11-17 Columbia Lane, Homebush
	 DA2019.143 (Revised) - Urban Design Peer Review - 11-17 Columbia Lane, Homebush DA2019.143 (Revised) - Solar Access Report - 11-17 Columbia Lane, Homebush

	DA2019.143 - Urban Design Review-11-17 Columbia Lane
Clause 4.6 requests	No 4.6 Request
Summary of key submissions	Inadequate traffic investigations,
	Proposed height and density is out of character,
	Overshadowing,
	 Poor acoustic attenuation measures considering surrounding noise sources (Ausgrid substation, train line, Parramatta Road),
	 Insufficient contribution to green space, active transport and amenity improvements,
	Inadequate affordable housing contribution.
Report prepared by	Joe Gillies
Report date	17/09/2020

Summary of s4.15 matters

Have all recommendations in relation to relevant s4.15 matters been summarised in the Executive Summary of the assessment report?

Yes

Legislative clauses requiring consent authority satisfaction

Have relevant clauses in all applicable environmental planning instruments where the consent authority must be satisfied about a particular matter been listed, and relevant recommendations summarized, in the Executive Summary of the assessment report?

Yes

e.g. Clause 7 of SEPP 55 - Remediation of Land, Clause 4.6(4) of the relevant LEP

Clause 4.6 Exceptions to development standards

If a written request for a contravention to a development standard (clause 4.6 of the LEP) has been received, has it been attached to the assessment report?

Not Applicable

Special Infrastructure Contributions

Does the DA require Special Infrastructure Contributions conditions (S7.24)?

Not Applicable

Note: Certain DAs in the Western Sydney Growth Areas Special Contributions Area may require specific Special Infrastructure Contributions (SIC) conditions

Conditions

Have draft conditions been provided to the applicant for comment?

No

Note: in order to reduce delays in determinations, the Panel prefer that draft conditions, notwithstanding Council's recommendation, be provided to the applicant to enable any comments to be considered as part of the assessment report