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Subject: Use of Devonshire Road and Fifteenth Avenue under Conditions E93 and E94

Dear Ms Forrest

I refer to your submission dated 11 August 2023 requesting the Planning Secretary's approval for heavy vehicles associated with the Devonshire Roundabout scope of work to use Devonshire Road and Fifteenth Avenue.

The Department has carefully reviewed the document and is satisfied that the Planning Secretary's approval is not required for the Project to use heavy vehicles on Fifteenth Avenue and Devonshire Road for the purpose detailed in the memo *M12 Motorway Central Section – Devonshire Road / Elizabeth Drive Traffic and Pedestrian Impact Assessment* (dated 10 August 2023) (the Memo).

The Department understands Conditions E93 and E94 only apply if the Condition A1 documents do not identify Devonshire Road and Fifteenth Avenue for use by heavy vehicles, and Condition E93 does not refer to specific figures in the EIS or Amendment Report or a particular type(s) of heavy vehicle. The EIS Traffic and Transport Impact Assessment (TTIA) (Figure 4-9 and Figure 6-13) does identify Devonshire Road and Fifteenth Avenue for use by heavy vehicles.

The Department is also satisfied that using Devonshire Road and Fifteenth Avenue per the Memo does not categorise them as 'haulage routes' in the context of EIS TTIA Section 6.1.1. or Amendment Report TTIA Section 6.1.1.

Please ensure you make the document publicly available on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Amy Porter on [amy.porter@planning.nsw.gov.au](mailto:amy.porter@planning.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely



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As nominee of the Planning Secretary