

Attachment E

Draft Planning Agreement

Planning agreement

The Council of the City of Sydney ABN 22 636 550 790 and
Charvic Pty Ltd ACN 003 181 093 and International Screen
Academy Property Pty Ltd ACN 160 984 574

242-258 Young Street Waterloo NSW 2017

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BETWEEN:

- (1) **The Council of the City of Sydney** ABN 22 636 550 790 of Town Hall House, 456 Kent Street, SYDNEY NSW 2000 (the **City**); and
- (2) **Charvic Pty Ltd** ABN 25 003 181 093 of 191-193 Cleveland Street, REDFERN NSW 2016 and **International Screen Academy Property Pty Ltd** ACN 160 984 574 of c/- Level 31, 126-130 Phillip Street, SYDNEY NSW 2000 (the **Developer**).

BACKGROUND

- (A) The Developer has requested the Planning Proposal which would permit the Development to be undertaken on the Land.
- (B) The Developer has offered to enter into this document with the City to provide the Public Benefits on the terms of this document.

THE PARTIES AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

1. **INTERPRETATION**

1.1 **Definitions**

The following definitions apply in this document.

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

Attributed Value means the value the City and the Developer agree is to be attributed to each element of the Public Benefits as at the date of this document, as set out in clause 1 of 0 of this document.

Authorisation means:

- (a) an approval, authorisation, consent, declaration, exemption, permit, licence, notarisation or waiver, however it is described, and including any condition attached to it; and
- (b) in relation to anything that could be prohibited or restricted by law if a Government Agency acts in any way within a specified period, the expiry of that period without that action being taken,

including any renewal or amendment.

Business Day means a day (other than a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday) on which banks are open for general banking business in Sydney, Australia.

City's Policies means all policies and procedures relevant to the provision of the Public Benefits, as notified by the City in writing to the Developer.

City's Representative means the person named in Item 3 of Schedule 1 or his/her delegate.

Completion means the point at which:

- (a) the Developer's Works are complete except for minor defects:
 - (i) the existence of which do not prevent the Developer's Works being reasonably capable of being used for their intended purpose;

- (ii) which the Developer has grounds for not promptly rectifying; and
 - (iii) rectification of which will not affect the immediate and convenient use of the Developer's Works for their intended purpose; and
- (b) to the extent the DBP Act (as applicable) applies to the Developer's Works, the Developer has obtained and submitted all Occupation Certificate(s) for the Developer's Works to the City (and such Occupation Certificates are not invalid by reason of the or the DBP Act) (as applicable).

Completion Notice means a notice issued by the Developer in accordance with clause 6.1.

Confidential Information means:

- (a) information of a party (**disclosing party**) that is:
 - (i) made available by or on behalf of the disclosing party to the other party (**receiving party**), or is otherwise obtained by or on behalf of the receiving party; and
 - (ii) by its nature confidential or the receiving party knows, or ought reasonably to know, is confidential.

Confidential Information may be made available or obtained directly or indirectly, and before, on or after the date of this document.

Confidential Information does not include information that:

- (a) is in or enters the public domain through no fault of the receiving party or any of its officers, employees or agents;
- (b) is or was made available to the receiving party by a person (other than the disclosing party) who is not or was not then under an obligation of confidence to the disclosing party in relation to that information; or
- (c) is or was developed by the receiving party independently of the disclosing party and any of its officers, employees or agents.

Construction Certificate has the same meaning as in the Act.

Construction Issued Regulated Design means, in respect of the Developer's Works, a "construction issued regulated design" as that term is defined in the DBP Regulation.

Contamination has the meaning given to that word in the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997* (NSW).

Corporations Act means the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth).

Dealing means selling, transferring, assigning, novating, mortgaging, charging, or encumbering and, where appearing, **Deal** has the same meaning.

DBP Act means the Design and Building Practitioners Act 2020.

Gateway Determination means the determination issued by the Department of Planning and Environment on 23 October 2024, reference number PP-2024-255.

Defect means any error, omission, defect, non-conformity, discrepancy, shrinkage, blemish in appearance or other fault in the Public Benefits or any other matter which prevents the Public Benefits from complying with the terms of this document.

Defects Liability Period means for each Phase of the Developer's Works, the period of 12 months from the date on which the last item of Developer's Works within that Phase of the Developer's Works reaches Completion.

Developer means Charvic Pty Ltd and International Screen Academy Property Pty Ltd, or, to the extent that this document is novated to another entity pursuant to clause 13, that entity.

Developer's Representative means the person named in Item 4 of Schedule 1 or his/her delegate.

Developer's Works means those parts of the Public Benefit described as "Developer's Works" and "Essential Infrastructure" in clause 1 of Schedule 3, to be delivered by the Developer in accordance with this document.

Development means the development of the Land by the Developer described at Item 2 of Schedule 1.

Development Application means the development application identified in Item 5 of Schedule 1 and includes all plans, reports models, photomontages, material boards (as amended supplemented) submitted to the consent authority before the determination of that Development Application.

Development Consent means the consent granted to the Development Application for the Development and includes all modifications made under section 4.55 of the Act.

Dispute means any dispute or difference between the parties arising out of, relating to or in connection with this document, including any dispute or difference as to the formation, validity, existence or termination of this document.

Environmental Laws means all laws and legislation relating to environmental protection, building, planning, health, safety or work health and safety matters and includes the following:

- (a) the *Work Health and Safety Act 2011 (NSW)*;
- (b) the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997 (NSW)*; and
- (c) the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997 (NSW)*.

Government Agency means:

- (a) a government or government department or other body;
- (b) a governmental, semi-governmental or judicial person; or
- (c) a person (whether autonomous or not) who is charged with the administration of a law.

Gross Floor Area has the meaning given to that term in the *Sydney Local Environment Plan* in effect at the date of this document.

GST means the same as in the GST Act.

GST Act means *A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999 (Cth)*.

Guarantee means a bank guarantee or documentary performance bond for the Guarantee Amount which must:

- (a) be denominated in Australian dollars;
- (b) be an unconditional undertaking;
- (c) be signed and issued by a bank licensed to carry on business in Australia, an Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA) regulated authorised deposit taking institution or an insurer authorised by APRA to conduct new or renewal insurance business in Australia having at all times an investment grade security rating from an industry recognised rating agency of at least:
 - (i) BBB + (Standard & Poors and Fitch);
 - (ii) Baa 1 (Moody's); or
 - (iii) Bbb (Bests);
- (d) be issued on behalf of the Developer;
- (e) have no expiry or end date;
- (f) state the beneficiary as the City;
- (g) be irrevocable;
- (h) state the Guarantee Amount as the minimum amount required by this document to be lodged as security;
- (i) state the purpose of the security as required in accordance with this document; and
- (j) be on such other terms approved by the City.

Guarantee Amount(s) means the total amount listed in Item 6 of Schedule 1 of this document.

Guarantee Amount(s) Due Date means the date or milestone by which the Developer must provide the Guarantee Amount to the City, set out at Item 7 of Schedule 1.

Index Number means the Consumer Price Index (Sydney all groups) published by the Australian Bureau of Statistics from time to time.

Insolvency Event means:

- (a) having a controller, receiver, manager, administrator, provisional liquidator, liquidator or analogous person appointed;
- (b) an application being made to a court for an order to appoint a controller, provisional liquidator, trustee for creditors or in bankruptcy or analogous person to the person or any of the person's property
- (c) the person being taken under section 459F(1) of the Corporations Act to have failed to comply with a statutory demand;
- (d) an application being made to a court for an order for its winding up;
- (e) an order being made, or the person passing a resolution, for its winding up;

- (f) the person:
- (i) suspending payment of its debts, ceasing (or threatening to cease) to carry on all or a material part of its business, stating that it is unable to pay its debts or being or becoming otherwise insolvent; or
 - (ii) being unable to pay its debts or otherwise insolvent;
- (g) the person taking any step toward entering into a compromise or arrangement with, or assignment for the benefit of, any of its members or creditors;
- (h) a court or other authority enforcing any judgment or order against the person for the payment of money or the recovery of any property; or
- (i) any analogous event under the laws of any applicable jurisdiction,
- unless this takes place as part of a solvent reconstruction, amalgamation, merger or consolidation that has been approved by the other party.

Instrument Change means an amendment to the Sydney LEP in accordance with the Planning Proposal.

Land means the land described in Item 1 of Schedule 1 of this document.

Laws means all applicable laws, regulations, industry codes and standards, including all Environmental Laws.

Monetary Contribution means that part of the Public Benefits described as “Monetary Contribution” in clause 1 of Schedule 3 to be paid by the Developer to the City in accordance with this document.

Occupation Certificate has the same meaning as in the Act.

Personal Information means:

- (a) personal information within the meaning of the *Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998* (NSW);
- (b) health information within the meaning of the *Health Records and Information Privacy Act 2002* (NSW); and
- (c) any information which does not fall within the scope of paragraphs (a) and (b) above, but is personal information within the meaning of the *Privacy Act 1988* (Cth).

Personnel means the Developer’s officers, employees, agents, contractors or subcontractors.

Planning Proposal means the planning proposal for the Land which received Gateway Determination from the Department of Planning and Environment on 23 October 2024 (PP-2024-255).

Privacy Laws means the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth), the Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998 (NSW), the Health Records and Information Privacy Act 2002 (NSW); the Spam Act 2003 (Cth), the Do Not Call Register Act 2006 (Cth) and any other applicable legislation, regulations, guidelines, codes and the City’s Policies relating to the handling of Personal Information.

Public Benefits means the provision of benefits to the community by the Developer in the form and at the times specified in 0.

Regulation means the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2021 (NSW)*.

Standards means the policies, procedures and standards for carrying out the Developer's Works, listed non-exhaustively at clause 0 of 0.

Subdivision of Land has the same meaning as in the Act.

Sydney LEP means *Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2012 (NSW)*.

Tax means a tax, levy, duty, rate, charge, deduction or withholding, however it is described, that is imposed by law or by a Government Agency, together with any related interest, penalty, fine or other charge.

1.2 Rules for interpreting this document

Headings are for convenience only, and do not affect interpretation. The following rules also apply in interpreting this document, except where the context makes it clear that a rule is not intended to apply.

- (a) A reference to:
 - (i) a legislative provision or legislation (including subordinate legislation) is to that provision or legislation as amended, re-enacted or replaced, and includes any subordinate legislation issued under it;
 - (ii) a document (including this document) or agreement, or a provision of a document (including this document) or agreement, is to that document, agreement or provision as amended, supplemented, replaced or novated;
 - (iii) a party to this document or to any other document or agreement includes a permitted substitute or a permitted assign of that party;
 - (iv) a person includes any type of entity or body of persons, whether or not it is incorporated or has a separate legal identity, and any executor, administrator or successor in law of the person; and
 - (v) anything (including a right, obligation or concept) includes each part of it.
- (b) A singular word includes the plural, and vice versa.
- (c) A word which suggests one gender includes the other genders.
- (d) If a word or phrase is defined, any other grammatical form of that word or phrase has a corresponding meaning.
- (e) If an example is given of anything (including a right, obligation or concept), such as by saying it includes something else, the example does not limit the scope of that thing.
- (f) A reference to **including** means "including, without limitation".
- (g) A reference to **dollars** or **\$** is to an amount in Australian currency.
- (h) A reference to **this document** includes the agreement recorded by this document.

- (i) Words defined in the GST Act have the same meaning in clauses about GST.
- (j) This document is not to be interpreted against the interests of a party merely because that party proposed this document or some provision in it or because that party relies on a provision of this document to protect itself.

2. APPLICATION OF THE ACT AND THE REGULATION

2.1 Application of this document

This document is a planning agreement within the meaning of section 7.4 of the Act and applies to:

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

2.2 Public Benefits to be made by Developer

Clause 5 and 0 set out the details of the:

- (a) Public Benefits to be delivered by the Developer;
- (b) time or times by which the Developer must deliver the Public Benefits; and
- (c) manner in which the Developer must deliver the Public Benefits.

2.3 Application of sections 7.11, 7.12 and 7.24 of the Act

- (a) The application of sections 7.11, 7.12 and 7.24 of the Act are excluded to the extent set out in Items 5 and 6 of Schedule 2 to this document.

2.4 City rights

This document does not impose an obligation on the City to:

- (a) grant Development Consent for the Development; or
- (b) exercise any function under the Act in relation to a change to an environmental planning instrument, including the making or revocation of an environmental planning instrument.

2.5 Explanatory note

The explanatory note prepared in accordance with clause 205 of the Regulation must not be used to assist in construing this document.

3. OPERATION OF THIS PLANNING AGREEMENT

3.1 Commencement

- (a) This document will commence on the date of execution of this document by all parties to this document.

4. WARRANTIES

4.1 Mutual warranties

Each party represents and warrants that:

- (a) (**power**) it has full legal capacity and power to enter into this document and to carry out the transactions that it contemplates;
- (b) (**corporate authority**) it has taken all corporate action that is necessary or desirable to authorise its entry into this document and to carry out the transactions contemplated;
- (c) (**Authorisations**) it holds each Authorisation that is necessary or desirable to:
 - (i) enable it to properly execute this document and to carry out the transactions that it contemplates;
 - (ii) ensure that this document is legal, valid, binding and admissible in evidence; or
 - (iii) enable it to properly carry on its business as it is now being conducted,and it is complying with any conditions to which any of these Authorisations is subject;
- (d) (**documents effective**) this document constitutes its legal, valid and binding obligations, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms (except to the extent limited by equitable principles and laws affecting creditors' rights generally), subject to any necessary stamping or registration;
- (e) (**solvency**) there are no reasonable grounds to suspect that it will not be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable; and
- (f) (**no controller**) no controller is currently appointed in relation to any of its property, or any property of any of its subsidiaries.

4.2 Developer warranties

- (a) The Developer warrants to the City that, at the date of this document:
 - (i) it is legally entitled to obtain all consents and approvals that are required by this document and, subject to obtaining such consents and approvals, do all things necessary to give effect to this document;
 - (ii) all work performed by the Developer and the Personnel under this document will be performed with due care and skill and to a standard which is equal to or better than that which a well experienced person in the industry would expect to be provided by an organisation of the Developer's size and experience; and
 - (iii) it is not aware of any matter which may materially affect the Developer's ability to perform its obligations under this document.
- (b) The Developer warrants to the City that, prior to commencing delivery of the Public Benefits it will have obtained all Authorisations and insurances required under any Law to carry out its obligations under this document.

5. PUBLIC BENEFITS

5.1 Developer to provide Public Benefits

The Developer must, at its cost and risk, provide the Public Benefits to the City in accordance with this document.

5.2 Maintenance of Developer's Works

(a) In this clause, the following definitions apply:

Maintain means works to bring an item to a state of reasonable condition and in accordance with relevant standards applicable at the time of construction of the item, but does not include removing graffiti or repairing any item damaged as a consequence of vandalism. **Maintained** and **Maintenance** have corresponding meanings.

Maintenance Period is the period of 12 months from the date on which the Developer's Works reach Completion.

Maintenance Schedule means the schedule of proposed Maintenance works as listed in Annexure A under the heading 'Maintenance of Developer's Works'.

(b) The Developer's Works must be Maintained by the Developer during the Maintenance Period in accordance with the Maintenance Schedule.

(c) The Developer must follow the City's Policies and obtain and comply with all Authorisations necessary to carry out the Maintenance required under this clause.

(d) If, during the Maintenance Period:

(i) the Developer fails to materially comply with the approved Maintenance Schedule and does not rectify that failure within 15 Business Days of being notified of that failure by the City or within a reasonable period of time agreed between the parties; or

(ii) the City becomes aware of an item of the Developer's Works that requires urgent Maintenance to ensure public safety or avoid damage or loss to the public or property,

the City may, by itself, its employees, contractors or agents, carry out the required works and may recover as a debt due and owing to the City, any difference between the amount of the Guarantee and the costs incurred by the City in carrying out the Maintenance work.

6. COMPLETION

6.1 Date of Completion

The Developer must ensure that the Developer's Works reach Completion on or before the date or milestone referred to in clause 1 of 0 of this document.

6.2 Developer completion notice

When, in the reasonable opinion of the Developer, the Developer's Works have reached Completion, the Developer must notify the City's Representative in writing and must include in that notice:

- (a) a statement from the person with direct responsibility and supervision of that work that in their opinion the Developer's Works have reached Completion;
- (b) copies of any warranties, guarantees, maintenance information or other material reasonably required for the City to assume responsibility for the Developer's Works; and
- (c) at least three sets of the "as built" drawings of the Developer's Works, including one set in electronic format,

(Completion Notice). For the avoidance of doubt, the Developer can issue separate Completion Notices at separate times for different elements of the Developer's Works, however the Developer must ensure that Completion is achieved for the Developer's Works before the due date specified in Item 1 of 3.

6.3 **Inspection by the City**

- (a) The City's Representative must inspect the Developer's Works within 5 Business Days of the date that the Completion Notice is received by the City. The City's Representative may refuse to complete the inspection until the Completion Notice has been issued with all required documentation attached in accordance with clause 6.2. Within 10 Business Days of the date of the inspection by the City's Representative, the City must by written notice to the Developer:
 - (i) state that Completion has been achieved;
 - (ii) state that Completion has not been achieved and, if so, identify the Defects, errors or omissions which, in the opinion of the City's Representative, prevent Completion; or
 - (iii) issue a notice under clause 6.4(a).
- (b) Nothing in this clause 6.3, or any notice issued under this clause 6.3, will:
 - (i) reduce or waive in any manner the Developer's responsibility to:
 - (A) deliver the Developer's Works in accordance with this document; or
 - (B) the Developer's responsibility to correct Defects, errors or omissions, whether or not these are identified by the City; or
 - (ii) create any liability for the City in relation to any defective aspect of the Developer's Works.

6.4 **Non-completion of Public Benefits**

- (a) If the Developer makes a request by notice in writing not to complete the Public Benefits (or any part of the Public Benefits):
 - (i) the City may permit the Developer not to complete the Public Benefits (or any part of the Public Benefits) by issuing a notice in writing to the Developer stating that completion of the items identified in that notice is not required to fulfil the Developer's obligations under this document; and
 - (ii) the City may make a claim on the Guarantee in such amount as the City considers necessary to complete the portion of Public Benefit not being delivered by the Developer.

- (b) If the Developer fails to complete the whole of the Public Benefits in the form and to the standards required under the Development Consent or this document then the City may either:
 - (i) complete the Public Benefits itself; or
 - (ii) modify the Public Benefits to reasonably achieve the objectives identified in the Development Consent and this document,

and may recover all costs of and reasonably incidental to that work from the Developer. The City can claim on the Guarantee in order to exercise this right, in which case the provisions of clause 10 will apply. To the extent that the City's costs exceed the amount of the Guarantee, the City can recover this amount from the Developer as a debt due and owing to the City.

- (c) If the City exercises its rights under this clause 6.4 to complete the Public Benefits, the Developer grants the City a licence for the period necessary for the City to access the Land to carry out, or procure the carrying out, of the Public Benefits.

7. **INDEMNITY**

The Developer indemnifies the City against all damage, expense, loss or liability of any nature suffered or incurred by the City arising from any act or omission by the Developer (or any Personnel) in connection with the performance of the Developer's obligations under this document, except to the extent the damage, expense, loss or liability suffered or incurred is caused by, or contributed to by, any wilful or negligent act or omission of the City (or any person engaged by the City).

8. **DEFECTS LIABILITY**

8.1 **Security for Defects Liability Period**

Until the expiry of the relevant Defects Liability Period, the City may retain from the Guarantee an amount equal to 10% of the Attributed Value of the Developer's Works as security for the Developer's performance of its obligations under this clause 8. The Developer must make any necessary arrangements to allow the provision of the Guarantee for the Defects Liability Period in accordance with this clause.

8.2 **Defect in the Public Benefits**

- (a) If:
 - (i) the Developer is in breach of clause 4.2 of this document; or
 - (ii) the City notifies the Developer of a Defect in the Public Benefits within the Defects Liability Period,

then, following written notice from the City, the Developer must promptly correct or replace (at the Developer's expense) the defective elements of the Public Benefits.

- (b) If the Developer is unable or unwilling to comply with clause 8.2(a), or fails to rectify the Defect within three months of receiving notice from the City under clause 8.2(a), the City may:
 - (i) rectify the Defect itself;

- (ii) make a claim on the Guarantee in accordance with clause 10 for the reasonable costs of the City in rectifying the Defect; and
 - (iii) to the extent the costs incurred to rectify the Defect exceeds the Guarantee, recover the reasonable costs from the Developer as a debt due and owing to the City.
- (c) If the City requires access to the Land to rectify any Defect, the Developer grants the City and its contractors a licence for such period as is necessary for the City and its contractors to access the Land to carry out, or procure the carrying out, of the rectification works.

9. **REGISTRATION**

9.1 **Registration of this document**

- (a) The Developer:
- (i) consents to the registration of this document at the NSW Land Registry Services on the certificate of title to the Land;
 - (ii) warrants that it has obtained all consents to the registration of this document on the certificate of title to the Land; and
 - (iii) must within 10 Business Days of a written request from the City do all things necessary to allow the City to register this document on the certificate of title to the Land, including but not limited to:
 - (A) producing any documents or letters of consent required by the Registrar-General of the NSW Land Registry Services; and
 - (B) providing the City with payment for registration, electronic lodgement and requisition fees (where applicable) required for registration of this document at NSW Land Registry Services.
 - (iv) The Developer must act promptly in complying with and assisting to respond to any requisitions raised by the NSW Land Registry Services that relate to registration of this document.

9.2 **Release of this document**

- (a) If the City is satisfied that the Developer has provided all Public Benefits and otherwise complied with this document then the City must promptly do all things reasonably required to remove this document from the certificate of title to the Land.

10. **ENFORCEMENT**

10.1 **Developer to provide Guarantee**

The Developer must deliver the Guarantee for the Guarantee Amount to the City by the Guarantee Amount Due Date.

10.2 **Adjustment of Guarantee Amount**

- (a) Subject to clause 10.2(b), following each anniversary of the date of the Guarantee (the "Adjustment Date") and at any time prior to the expiry of the Defects Liability Period, the Guarantee Amounts are to be adjusted to a revised amount by applying the following formula:

$$\text{RGA} = \text{GA} \times (\text{A/B})$$

where:

RGA is the revised guarantee amount applicable from the relevant Adjustment Date

GA is the Guarantee Amount that is current on the relevant Adjustment Date

A is the Index Number most recently published before the relevant Adjustment Date

B is the Index Number most recently published:

- (i) before the date of the Guarantee for the first Adjustment Date; and
- (ii) before the preceding Adjustment Date for every subsequent Adjustment Date

If after the formula is applied the revised Guarantee Amount will be less than the amount held at the preceding Adjustment Date, the Guarantee Amount will not be adjusted.

- (b) If the Guarantee Amount is adjusted under clause 10.2(a), the Developer is not required to provide the City with a replacement Guarantee for that revised Guarantee Amount until such time as the City notifies the Developer that the City is ready to exchange the then current Guarantee held by the City, following which the City and the Developer must promptly exchange the then current Guarantee held by the City with a replacement Guarantee for that revised Guarantee Amount from the Developer.

10.3 **Right of City to claim on Guarantee**

- (a) The Developer agrees that the City may make an appropriation from the Guarantee in such amount as the City, acting reasonably, thinks appropriate if:
 - (i) the Developer fails to comply with clause of this 4.2 of Schedule 3 of this document (provision of detailed design drawings and detailed costs estimate);
 - (ii) the City allows the Developer not to complete the Public Benefits, or any part of them, in accordance with clause 6.4(a)(ii);
 - (iii) an Insolvency Event occurs in respect of the Developer;
 - (iv) the Developer fails to deliver the Public Benefits in accordance with clause 6.4(b);
 - (v) the Developer fails to carry out Maintenance in accordance with clause 5.2 of this document;
 - (vi) the Developer fails to rectify a Defect in accordance with clause 8.2 of this document;
 - (vii) the detailed designs for the Developer's Works are not finalised between the parties within 12 months of the date of issue of a Construction Certificate that approves the construction of any structures above the ground floor of the Development;

- (viii) to the extent the DBP Act applies to the Developer's Works, any Regulated Designs and Design Compliance Declarations for those Regulated Designs in relation to the Developer's Works are not procured by the Developer (or the Developer's Personnel) as required by the DBP Act or the DBP Regulation or otherwise not provided to the City as and when required by this document;
 - (ix) the Developer's Works do not reach Completion within 36 months of the date of issue of the first Construction Certificate in respect of the Development (or such later time as agreed by the City in writing);
 - (x) the Developer fails to maintain the Developer's Works in accordance with clause 5.2 and Annexure A; or
 - (xi) the City incurs any other expense or liability in exercising its rights and powers under this document.
- (b) Any amount of the Guarantee appropriated by the City in accordance with clause 10.2 must be applied only towards:
- (i) the costs and expenses incurred by the City rectifying any default by the Developer under this document;
 - (ii) carrying out any works required to achieve the Public Benefits; or
 - (iii) to the extent the DBP Act applies to the Developer's Works, the costs and expenses incurred by the City rectifying any failure by the Developer (or the Developer's Personnel) to procure Regulated Designs and Design Compliance Declarations for those Regulated Designs in relation to the Developer's Works as required by the DBP Act or the DBP Regulation and to provide copies of any Regulated Designs and Design Compliance Declarations for those Regulated Designs in relation to the Developer's Works to the City when required by this document.

10.4 **Expenditure by the City**

If the City claims on the Guarantee to Complete the Developer's Works, then the City:

- (a) is not required to expend more money than the Guarantee Amount and may elect not to carry out items of the Developer's Works to ensure that those works can be carried out for an amount equal to or less than the Guarantee Amount; or
- (b) may expend more than the Guarantee Amount. If the City expends more money than the Guarantee Amount then the amount in excess of the Guarantee Amount will be deemed to be a debt due and owing to the City by the Developer.

10.5 **Top-up and return of Guarantee**

- (a) If the City calls upon the Guarantee in accordance with this clause 10 then the Developer must immediately provide to the City a replacement Guarantee to ensure that, at all times until the Guarantee is released in accordance with paragraph (b), the City is in possession of a Guarantee for a face value equivalent to the Guarantee Amount.
- (b) If:
 - (i) the monies secured by the Guarantee have not been expended;

- (ii) the City has concurred with Completion in accordance with clause 6.3(a)(i) of this document, taking into account any approved non-completion of Public Benefits approved by clause 6.4(a) of this document; and
- (iii) the City has been provided with the security for the Defects Liability Period in accordance with clause 8.1,

then the City will promptly return the Guarantee to the Developer following the issue of a notice pursuant to clause 6.3(a)(i) of this document.

- (c) If, following expiry of the Defects Liability Period, the City is satisfied that all defects have been rectified in accordance with clause 8 then the City must promptly return to the Developer the portion of the Guarantee retained by the City as security for the Defects Liability Period.

11. **DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

11.1 **Application**

Any Dispute must be determined in accordance with the procedure in this clause 11.

11.2 **Negotiation**

- (a) If any Dispute arises, a party to the Dispute (**Referring Party**) may by giving notice to the other party or parties to the Dispute (**Dispute Notice**) refer the Dispute to the Developer's Representative and the City's Representative for resolution. The Dispute Notice must:
 - (i) be in writing;
 - (ii) state that it is given pursuant to this clause 11; and
 - (iii) include or be accompanied by reasonable particulars of the Dispute including:
 - (A) a brief description of the circumstances in which the Dispute arose;
 - (B) references to any:
 - (aa) provisions of this document; and
 - (bb) acts or omissions of any person, relevant to the Dispute; and
 - (C) where applicable, the amount in dispute (whether monetary or any other commodity) and if not precisely known, the best estimate available.
- (b) Within 10 Business Days of the Referring Party issuing the Dispute Notice (**Resolution Period**), the Developer's Representative and the City's Representative must meet at least once to attempt to resolve the Dispute.
- (c) The Developer's Representative and the City's Representative may meet more than once to resolve a Dispute. The Developer's Representative and the City's Representative may meet in person, via telephone, videoconference, internet-based instant messaging or any other agreed means of instantaneous communication to effect the meeting.

- (d) The parties agree to participate in good faith in any meeting under subparagraph (b) and (c) of this clause.
- (e) Any agreement reached decision, or outcome under this clause, will not be binding on the parties unless both parties agree to be bound.
- (f) Each party will be responsible for its own costs of any meetings to resolve the Dispute under this clause.

11.3 **Not use information**

The purpose of any exchange of information or documents or the making of any offer of settlement under this clause 11 is to attempt to settle the Dispute. Neither party may use any information or documents obtained through any dispute resolution process undertaken under this clause 11 for any purpose other than in an attempt to settle the Dispute.

11.4 **Condition precedent to litigation**

Subject to clause 11.5, a party must not commence legal proceedings in respect of a Dispute unless:

- (a) a Dispute Notice has been given; and
- (b) the Resolution Period has expired.

11.5 **Summary or urgent relief**

Nothing in this clause 11 will prevent a party from instituting proceedings to seek urgent injunctive, interlocutory or declaratory relief in respect of a Dispute.

12. **TAXES AND GST**

12.1 **Responsibility for Taxes**

- (a) The Developer is responsible for any and all Taxes and other like liabilities which may arise under any Commonwealth, State or Territory legislation (as amended from time to time) as a result of or in connection with this document or the Public Benefits.
- (b) The Developer must indemnify the City in relation to any claims, liabilities and costs (including penalties and interest) arising as a result of any Tax or other like liability for which the Developer is responsible under clause 12.1(a).

12.2 **GST free supply**

To the extent that Divisions 81 and 82 of the GST Law apply to a supply made under this document:

- (a) no additional amount will be payable by a party on account of GST; and
- (b) no tax invoices will be exchanged between the parties.

12.3 **Supply subject to GST**

To the extent that clause 12.2 does not apply to a supply made under this document, this clause 12.3 will apply.

- (a) If one party (**Supplying Party**) makes a taxable supply and the consideration for that supply does not expressly include GST, the party that is liable to provide the consideration (**Receiving Party**) must also pay an amount (**GST Amount**) equal to the GST payable in respect of that supply.
- (b) Subject to first receiving a tax invoice or adjustment note as appropriate, the receiving party must pay the GST amount when it is liable to provide the consideration.
- (c) If one party must indemnify or reimburse another party (**Payee**) for any loss or expense incurred by the Payee, the required payment does not include any amount which the Payee (or an entity that is in the same GST group as the Payee) is entitled to claim as an input tax credit, but will be increased under clause 12.3(a) if the payment is consideration for a taxable supply.
- (d) If an adjustment event arises in respect of a taxable supply made by a Supplying Party, the GST Amount payable by the Receiving Party under clause 12.3(a) will be recalculated to reflect the adjustment event and a payment will be made by the Receiving Party to the Supplying Party, or by the Supplying Party to the Receiving Party, as the case requires.
- (e) The Developer will assume the City is not entitled to any input tax credit when calculating any amounts payable under this clause 12.3.
- (f) In this document:
 - (i) consideration includes non-monetary consideration, in respect of which the parties must agree on a market value, acting reasonably; and
 - (ii) in addition to the meaning given in the GST Act, the term "GST" includes a notional liability for GST.

13. **DEALINGS**

13.1 **Dealing by the City**

- (a) The City may Deal with its interest in this document without the consent of the Developer if the Dealing is with a Government Agency. The City must give the Developer notice of the Dealing within five Business Days of the date of the Dealing.
- (b) The City may not otherwise Deal with its interest in this document without the consent of the Developer, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed.

13.2 **Dealing by the Developer**

- (a) Prior to registration of this document in accordance with clause 9
 - (i) the Developer must not Deal with this document or the whole or any part of the Land without:
 - (A) the prior written consent of the City, which must not be unreasonably withheld or delayed where the Developer complies with clause 13.2(a)(i)(B); and
 - (B) the City, the Developer and the third party the subject of the Dealing entering into a deed of novation generally in the form included in

Annexure B to this document with the City's entry into such a deed not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed; and

- (C) prior to the proposed novation of its obligations under this document to a third party (the Incoming Party), the Developer must satisfy the City (acting reasonably) that the Incoming Party has sufficient assets, resources and expertise required to perform the Developer's obligations under this document;

and the City will use best endeavours to execute a deed generally in the form of Annexure B promptly when requested by the Developer; and

- (ii) the parties acknowledge that clause 13.2(a)(i) does not apply to Dealings in relation to the Land specified in Schedule 1 (other than any Dealing which benefits or affects the rights of the City, where the City's consent would otherwise be required by reason of the terms of the Dealing, or where the City's consent is required as part of the exercise of the City's statutory functions); and
 - (iii) in the event that the consent of the City is otherwise required in relation to any Dealings specified in Schedule 1, the City consents to those Dealings (other than any Dealing which benefits or affects the rights of the City, where the City's consent would be required by reason of it being the beneficiary of the Dealing, or otherwise by the terms of the Dealing, or where the City's consent is required as part of the exercise of the City's statutory functions).
- (b) On and from registration of this document in accordance with clause 9:
- (i) the Developer may Deal with this document without the consent of the City only as a result of the sale of the whole or any part of the Land (without subdivision) to a purchaser of the Land;
 - (ii) the Developer may register a plan of strata subdivision, and the City consents to this document remaining registered only on the certificate of title to the common property of the strata plan upon registration of the strata plan; and
 - (iii) the Developer must not otherwise Deal with this document to a third party that is not a purchaser of the whole or any part of the Land without:
 - (A) the prior written consent of the City, which must not be unreasonably withheld or delayed where the Developer complies with clause 13.2(b)(iii)(B); and
 - (B) the City, the Developer and the third party the subject of the Dealing entering into a deed of novation generally in the form included in Annexure B to this document with the City's entry into such a deed not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed;
 - (C) for the purposes of clause 13.2(b)(iii)(B), prior to the proposed novation of its obligations under this document to a third party (the Incoming Party), the Developer must satisfy the City (acting reasonably) that the Incoming Party has sufficient assets, resources and expertise required to perform the Developer's obligations under this document. The City will use best endeavours to execute a deed generally in the form of Annexure B promptly when requested by the Developer.

14. **TERMINATION**

- (a) Either party may terminate this document by notice in writing to the other party if:
 - (i) the Instrument Change does not enter into force within 24 months after the date of this document; or
 - (ii) the Sydney LEP is subsequently amended by an environmental planning instrument made after the Instrument Change, in a way that prevents the Development from proceeding; or
 - (iii) the Instrument Change is declared to be invalid by a Court of competent jurisdiction; or
- (b) If this document is terminated in accordance with clause 14(a), then:
 - (i) the rights of each party that arose before the termination or which may arise at any future time for any breach or non-observance of obligations occurring prior to the termination are not affected;
 - (ii) the Developer must take all steps reasonably necessary to minimise any loss each party may suffer as a result of the termination of this document;
 - (iii) the City will, at the Developer's cost, do all things reasonably required to remove this document and any caveat from the certificate of title to the Land in accordance with clause 9; and
 - (iv) the City will return the Guarantees to the Developer after first deducting any amounts owing to the City or reasonable costs incurred by the City by operation of this document. If in exercising its rights under this document the City expends more money than the Guarantee Amount then the amount in excess of the Guarantee Amount will be deemed to be a debt due and owing to the City by the Developer.

15. **CONFIDENTIALITY, DISCLOSURES AND PRIVACY**

15.1 **Use and disclosure of Confidential Information**

A party (**receiving party**) which acquires Confidential Information of another party (**disclosing party**) must not:

- (a) use any of the Confidential Information except to the extent necessary to exercise its rights and perform its obligations under this document; or
- (b) disclose any of the Confidential Information except in accordance with clauses 15.2 or 15.3.

15.2 **Disclosures to personnel and advisers**

- (a) The receiving party may disclose Confidential Information to an officer, employee, agent, contractor, or legal, financial or other professional adviser if:
 - (i) the disclosure is necessary to enable the receiving party to perform its obligations or to exercise its rights under this document; and
 - (ii) prior to disclosure, the receiving party informs the person of the receiving party's obligations in relation to the Confidential Information under this

document and obtains an undertaking from the person to comply with those obligations.

(b) The receiving party:

- (i) must ensure that any person to whom Confidential Information is disclosed under clause 15.2(a) keeps the Confidential Information confidential and does not use it for any purpose other than as permitted under clause 15.2(a); and
- (ii) is liable for the actions of any officer, employee, agent, contractor or legal, financial or other professional adviser that causes a breach of the obligations set out in clause 15.2(b)(i).

15.3 Disclosures required by law

- (a) Subject to clause 15.3(b), the receiving party may disclose Confidential Information that the receiving party is required to disclose:
 - (i) by law or by order of any court or tribunal of competent jurisdiction; or
 - (ii) by any Government Agency, stock exchange or other regulatory body.
- (b) If the receiving party is required to make a disclosure under clause 15.3(a), the receiving party must:
 - (i) to the extent possible, notify the disclosing party immediately it anticipates that it may be required to disclose any of the Confidential Information;
 - (ii) consult with and follow any reasonable directions from the disclosing party to minimise disclosure; and
 - (iii) if disclosure cannot be avoided:
 - (A) only disclose Confidential Information to the extent necessary to comply; and
 - (B) use reasonable efforts to ensure that any Confidential Information disclosed is kept confidential.

15.4 Receiving party's return or destruction of documents

On termination of this document the receiving party must immediately:

- (a) deliver to the disclosing party all documents and other materials containing, recording or referring to Confidential Information; and
- (b) erase or destroy in another way all electronic and other intangible records containing, recording or referring to Confidential Information,

which are in the possession, power or control of the receiving party or of any person to whom the receiving party has given access.

15.5 Security and control

The receiving party must:

- (a) keep effective control of the Confidential Information; and

- (b) ensure that the Confidential Information is kept secure from theft, loss, damage or unauthorised access or alteration.

15.6 **Media releases**

The Developer must not issue any information, publication, document or article for publication in any media concerning this document or the Public Benefits without the City's prior written consent.

15.7 **Privacy**

- (a) Without limiting its obligations at law with respect to privacy and the protection of Personal Information, the Developer:
 - (i) must not, directly or indirectly collect, use or disclose any Personal Information under or in connection with this document except to the extent necessary to perform its obligations under this document; and
 - (ii) must in the delivery of the Public Benefits and the performance of all its other obligations under this document comply with the Privacy Laws and must not do any act or engage in any practice that would breach the Privacy Laws or which if done or engaged in by the City would be a breach of any Privacy Laws.

16. **NOTICES**

- (a) A notice, consent or other communication under this document is only effective if it is in writing, signed and either left at the addressee's address or sent to the addressee by mail or email. If it is sent by mail, it is taken to have been received 5 Business Days after it is posted. If it is sent by email, it is taken to have been received the same day the email was sent, provided that the sender has not received a delivery failure notice (or similar), unless the time of receipt is after 5:00pm in which case it is taken to be received on the next Business Day.
- (b) A person's address and email address are those set out in Schedule 1 for the City's Representative and the Developer's Representative, or as the person notifies the sender in writing from time to time.

17. **MODERN SLAVERY**

- (a) In this clause:
 - (i) **Act** means the *Modern Slavery Act 2018* (Cth);
 - (ii) **Modern Slavery** has the meaning given to it in section 4 of the Act;
 - (iii) **Modern Slavery Laws** means:
 - (A) the *Modern Slavery Act 2018* (Cth), *Modern Slavery Act 2018* (NSW) or any other similar legislation that requires entities to report in relation to the Modern Slavery risk of their entity and/or their response to that risk; and
 - (B) any other law, statute or regulation which prohibits, or incorporates, or creates a reporting or due diligence obligation in connection with, Modern Slavery and is applicable or otherwise in force in the jurisdiction(s) in which the Developer is registered or conducts

business or in which activities relevant to this document are to be performed.

- (iv) **Modern Slavery Statement** has the meaning given in section 12 of the Act;
- (v) **Reasonable Steps** includes:
 - (A) obtaining awareness of Modern Slavery, the Act and other relevant legislation, regulations and guidance in Australia;
 - (B) implementing procedures and training staff on how to identify and report Modern Slavery risks;
 - (C) undertaking due diligence to identify and address modern slavery risks in the Developer's operations and supply chain (including adherence to Australian labour laws, conducting a modern slavery risk assessment of its suppliers and implementing a modern slavery policy);
 - (D) without limiting paragraph (B) above, consulting with the Developer's contractors, sub-contractors and suppliers to identify and mitigate modern slavery risks in its supply chain and labour force, including by implementing policies and procedures that reject the exploitation of migrant workers; and
 - (E) any other steps required by the NSW Anti-Slavery Commissioner from time to time.
- (b) The Developer must:
 - (i) not cause or contribute to Modern Slavery or any activity, practice or conduct that constitutes an offence under Modern Slavery Laws (or would constitute an offence under Modern Slavery Laws had those activities, practices or conduct occurred in Australia);
 - (ii) where required to report under the Modern Slavery Laws, provide the City with a copy of its most current Modern Slavery Statement;
 - (iii) promptly provide the City (at its own cost) with all information and records reasonably requested by the City to assist the City in complying with any applicable reporting obligations under Modern Slavery Laws or undertaking due diligence on its supply chains;
 - (iv) use reasonable efforts to procure that its suppliers and contractors and any supply chain participants do not engage in any activity, practice or conduct that causes or contributes to Modern Slavery or contravenes a Modern Slavery Law, including:
 - (A) training of employees in relation to how to identify, assess and report Modern Slavery, the risks of Modern Slavery in the Developer's operations and supply chains, and how those risks can be remediated; and
 - (B) undertaking reasonable due diligence in relation to its suppliers and subcontractors, including in their selection;

- (v) have in place, and maintain at all times, adequate and reasonable policies, controls, procedures and training designed to prevent, detect, assess, manage and remedy (as appropriate) Modern Slavery risks in its operations and supply chains;
 - (vi) ensure that the terms of any arrangements entered into with suppliers and subcontractors in connection with the Developer's Works, include provisions that are at least as onerous as those imposed on the Developer in this clause;
 - (vii) notify the City in writing as soon as practicable if it becomes aware of any potential, suspected or actual instance of Modern Slavery in its operations or supply chain or breach by it or its supply chain of any Modern Slavery Laws in connection with the Developer's Works;
 - (viii) take all reasonable action (including any action reasonably directed by the City) to rectify the breach and/or minimise the risk of Modern Slavery in its operations and supply chain, including where relevant by addressing any practices of other entities in its supply chains;
 - (ix) cooperate in good faith with the City in investigating the circumstances relevant to any potential, suspected or actual breach of any Modern Slavery Laws;
 - (x) notify the City in writing as soon as practicable if any of the information referred to in subclause 17(b)(iii) becomes inaccurate, incomplete or misleading or deceptive in any way and promptly provide the City with updated information.
- (c) The Developer indemnifies the City in respect of any liability incurred in connection with the Developer's breach of this clause 17.

18. **GENERAL**

18.1 **Governing law**

- (a) This document is governed by the laws of New South Wales.
- (b) Each party submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts exercising jurisdiction in New South Wales, and any court that may hear appeals from any of those courts, for any proceedings in connection with this document, and waives any right it might have to claim that those courts are an inconvenient forum.

18.2 **Access to information**

In accordance with section 121 of the *Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009 (NSW)*, the Developer agrees to allow the City immediate access to the following information contained in records held by the Developer:

- (a) information that relates directly to the delivery of the Public Benefits by the Developer;
- (b) information collected by the Developer from members of the public to whom the Developer provides, or offers to provide, services on behalf of the City; and
- (c) information received by the Developer from the City to enable the Developer to deliver the Public Benefits.

18.3 **Liability for expenses**

- (a) The Developer must pay its own and the City's expenses incurred in negotiating, executing, registering, releasing, administering and enforcing this document.
- (b) The Developer must pay for all reasonable costs and expenses associated with the preparation and giving of public notice of this document and the explanatory note prepared in accordance with the Regulations and for any consent the City is required to provide under this document.

18.4 **Relationship of parties**

- (a) Nothing in this document creates a joint venture, partnership, or the relationship of principal and agent, or employee and employer between the parties; and
- (b) No party has the authority to bind any other party by any representation, declaration or admission, or to make any contract or commitment on behalf of any other party or to pledge any other party's credit.

18.5 **Giving effect to this document**

Each party must do anything (including execute any document), and must ensure that its employees and agents do anything (including execute any document), that the other party may reasonably require to give full effect to this document.

18.6 **Time for doing acts**

- (a) If:
 - (i) the time for doing any act or thing required to be done; or
 - (ii) a notice period specified in this document,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 5pm on the specified day, it is taken to have been done on the following Business Day.

18.7 **Severance**

If any clause or part of any clause is in any way unenforceable, invalid or illegal, it is to be read down so as to be enforceable, valid and legal. If this is not possible, the clause (or where possible, the offending part) is to be severed from this document without affecting the enforceability, validity or legality of the remaining clauses (or parts of those clauses) which will continue in full force and effect.

18.8 **Preservation of existing rights**

The expiration or termination of this document does not affect any right that has accrued to a party before the expiration or termination date.

18.9 **No merger**

Any right or obligation of any party that is expressed to operate or have effect on or after the completion, expiration or termination of this document for any reason, will not merge on the occurrence of that event but will remain in full force and effect.

18.10 **Waiver of rights**

A right may only be waived in writing, signed by the party giving the waiver, and:

- (a) no other conduct of a party (including a failure to exercise, or delay in exercising, the right) operates as a waiver of the right or otherwise prevents the exercise of the right;
- (b) a waiver of a right on one or more occasions does not operate as a waiver of that right if it arises again; and
- (c) the exercise of a right does not prevent any further exercise of that right or of any other right.

18.11 **Operation of this document**

- (a) This document contains the entire agreement between the parties about its subject matter. Any previous understanding, agreement, representation or warranty relating to that subject matter is replaced by this document and has no further effect.
- (b) Any right that a person may have under this document is in addition to, and does not replace or limit, any other right that the person may have.
- (c) Any provision of this document which is unenforceable or partly unenforceable is, where possible, to be severed to the extent necessary to make this document enforceable, unless this would materially change the intended effect of this document.

18.12 **Operation of indemnities**

- (a) Each indemnity in this document survives the expiry or termination of this document.
- (b) A party may recover a payment under an indemnity in this document before it makes the payment in respect of which the indemnity is given.

18.13 **Inconsistency with other documents**

Unless the contrary intention is expressed, if there is an inconsistency between any of one or more of:

- (a) this document;
- (b) any Schedule to this document; and
- (c) the provisions of any other document of the Developer,

the order of precedence between them will be the order listed above, this document having the highest level of precedence.

18.14 **No fetter**

Nothing in this document in any way restricts or otherwise affects the City's unfettered discretion to exercise its statutory powers as a public authority.

18.15 **Counterparts**

This document may be executed in counterparts.

SCHEDULE 1

Agreement Details

ITEM	TERM	DESCRIPTION
1.	Land	Lot 1 in DP 84655, known as 242 Young St Waterloo NSW 2017; and Lot A and B in DP 161650 known as 244-258 Young St Waterloo NSW 2017.
2.	Development	Development of a proposed school on the Land to maximum height of 25m and a Floor Space Ratio of 2.94:1 as contemplated in the Planning Proposal encompassing the setbacks on the Land adjacent to the public domain. The Total Gross Floor Area of the Development on the Land is 13,566sqm
3.	City's Representative	Name: Director, Planning, Development and Transport Address: Level 1, 456 Kent Street, Sydney NSW 2000 Email: council@cityofsydney.nsw.gov.au Or such alternative representative nominated by the City from time to time and notified in writing to the Developer's Representative
4.	Developer's Representative	Name: Alyce Johnson, MillerPrince Address: Level 24 56 Pitt Street, Sydney NSW 2000 Email: a.johnson@millerprince.com.au Or such alternative representative nominated by the Developer from time to time and notified in writing to the City's Representative
5.	Development Application	Any development application submitted in connection with the Development on the Land.
6.	Guarantee Amount	An amount equal to the Value of the Attributed Value of the Developer's works in Schedule 3.
7.	Guarantee Amount Due Date	Prior to the issue of the first Construction Certificate for the Development.

SCHEDULE 2

Requirements under the Act and Regulation (clause 2)

The below table summarises how this document complies with the Act and Regulation.

ITEM	SECTION OF ACT OR REGULATION	PROVISION/CLAUSE OF THIS DOCUMENT
1.	Planning instrument and/or development application (section 7.4(1) of the Act) The Developer has: (a) sought a change to an environmental planning instrument; (b) made, or proposes to make, a Development Application; or (c) entered into an agreement with, or is otherwise associated with, a person, to whom paragraph (a) or (b) applies.	(a) Yes (b) No (c) No
2.	Description of land to which this document applies (section 7.4(3)(a) of the Act)	Item 1 of Schedule 1.
3.	Description of change to the environmental planning instrument to which this document applies and/or the development to which this document applies (section 7.4(3)(b) of the Act)	The environmental planning instrument as described in clause 2.1.
4.	The nature and extent of the provision to be made by the developer under this document, the time or times by which the provision is to be made and the manner in which the provision is to be made (section 7.4(3)(c) of the Act)	Clause 5, 0 and Annexure A
5.	Whether this document excludes (wholly or in part) of does not exclude the application of section 7.11, 7.12 or 7.24 to the development (section 7.4(3)(d) of the Act)	Section 7.11 not excluded Section 7.12 not excluded Section 7.24 not excluded
6.	Applicability of section 7.11 of the Act (section 7.4(3)(e) of the Act)	The application of section 7.11 of the Act is not excluded in respect of the Development and contributions (if any) under section 7.11 will be required to be paid.

ITEM	SECTION OF ACT OR REGULATION	PROVISION/CLAUSE OF THIS DOCUMENT
7.	Consideration of benefits under this document if section 7.11 applies (section 7.4(3)(e) of the Act)	Benefits are not to be taken into consideration in determining a development contribution under section 7.11 of the Act.
8.	Mechanism for Dispute Resolution (section 7.4(3)(f) of the Act)	Clause 11
9.	Enforcement of this document (section 7.4(3)(g) of the Act)	Clause 10
10.	No obligation to grant consent or exercise functions (section 7.4(9) of the Act)	Clause 2.4
11.	Registration of this document (section 7.6 of the Act)	Clause 9
12.	Whether certain requirements of this document must be complied with before a construction certificate is issued (section 205(2) of the Regulation)	Provision of the Bank Guarantee
13.	Whether certain requirements of this document must be complied with before a subdivision certificate is issued (section 205(2) of the Regulation)	Not applicable
14.	Whether certain requirements of this document must be complied with before an occupation certificate is issued (section 205(2) of the Regulation)	Construction of the Developer's Works
15.	Whether the explanatory note that accompanied exhibition of this document may be used to assist in construing this document (section 205(5) of the Regulation)	Clause 2.5

SCHEDULE 3

Public Benefits (clause 5)

1. PUBLIC BENEFITS - OVERVIEW

The Developer must provide the Public Benefits in accordance with Schedule 3 and this document. The Attributed Value, timing of delivery and additional specifications relating to the Public Benefits is set out in the table below

	Public Benefit	Attributed Value	Due date	Additional specifications
	Developer's Works	An amount which is equal to the Attributed Value of the Developer's Works as determined pursuant to clause 4.3 of Schedule 3	Prior to the issue of the first Occupation Certificate for the Development	Plans and specifications showing the nature and extent of the required Essential Infrastructure as at the date of this document are contained in Annexure A to this document.

2. PAYMENT OF MONETARY CONTRIBUTION

Not used

3. TRANSFER LAND

Not used

4. FINAL DESIGN OF THE DEVELOPER'S WORKS

4.1 Scope of Developer's Works

- (a) As at the date of this document, the nature and extent of the required Developer's Works is set out in Annexure A to this document. The parties agree that further design refinement of the Developer's Works may be necessary, having regard to:
- (i) the extent to which the design of the Developer's Works has been approved by the City;
 - (ii) conditions affecting the Developer's Works that were not reasonably capable of identification prior to the date of this document;
 - (iii) the extent of any refinement of the design of the Developer's Works permitted by this clause 4.1(a) of Schedule 3;
 - (iv) any modification to the Development Consent made and approved under section 4.55 of the Act or any other development consent granted that relates to the Developer's Works; and
 - (v) the reasonable requirements of the City, including in regard to the Standards.

4.2 Final design of Developer's Works

- (a) Promptly following the issue of the Development Consent, the Developer must submit to the City's Representative for approval detailed design drawings of the Developer's Works that reflect the plans and specifications as developed between the parties.
- (b) Within 30 Business Days after the City's Representative has received the detailed design drawings, the City must inform the Developer in writing as to whether the detailed design drawings are approved or not approved.
- (c) If the City provides notice under clause 4.2(b) of Schedule 3 that the detailed design drawings are not approved, the City must under that notice inform the Developer in writing as to what further information or modifications to the detailed design drawings are required. The Developer will have a further 20 Business Days after receipt of the written notice outlining the further information or modifications to the detailed design drawings to re-submit said further information or modifications. Following re-submission by the Developer under this clause 4.2(c) of Schedule 3 the process outlined in clauses 4.2(b) to (c) of Schedule 3 will apply again.
- (d) If the Developer:
 - (i) fails to prepare the detailed design drawings; or
 - (ii) does not provide further information or modify the detailed design drawings,in accordance with this clause 4.2 of Schedule 3, then the City may exercise its rights under clause 10 of this document in order to carry out the Developer's Works itself at the cost of the Developer.

4.3 Attributed Value of Developer's Works

- (a) The parties acknowledge and agree that at the date of this document:
 - (i) the final design of the Developer's Works has not been determined; and
 - (ii) the Attributed Value for the Developer's Works has not been determined.
- (b) The Developer must engage an independent quantity surveyor to assess the value of the Developer's Works following completion of the process set out in clause 4.2 of Schedule 3, having regard to the final design and use of the Developer's Works approved by the City and provide that assessment to the City (**QS Assessment**).
- (c) Within 30 Business Days after the City's Representative has received the QS Assessment, the City must inform the Developer in writing as to whether the QS Assessment is approved or not approved. If the City provides notice that the QS is not approved, the City at the same time must inform the Developer of the City's assessment of the value of the Developer's Works (**City Assessment**). The Developer will have a further 20 Business Days after receipt of the City Assessment to re-submit the independent quantity surveyor's assessment of the value of the Developer's Works. Following re-submission by the Developer under this clause 4.3(c) the process outlined in clauses 4.3(b) to (c) of Schedule 3 will apply again.
- (d) The value of the Developer's Works approved by the City will be the Attributed Value of the Developer's Works for the purpose of this document.

4.4 **Preparation of and changes to construction design drawings**

- (a) Following approval of the detailed design drawings by the City in accordance with clause 4.2 of Schedule 3, the Developer must promptly:
 - (i) prepare construction design drawings that comply with the detailed design drawings; and
 - (ii) provide the City with a copy of the construction design drawings.
- (b) The City, acting reasonably, may by written notice to the Developer at any time, approve, vary or direct the Developer to vary the construction design drawings so that the Developer's Works reflect:
 - (i) the Standards;
 - (ii) a departure or discrepancy from the plans approved under clause 4.2 of Schedule 3; or
 - (iii) any other standard or specification for materials or methodology for carrying out works that is adopted by the City from time to time, provided that any direction given under this clause 4.4(b)(iii) of Schedule 3 does not significantly increase:
 - (A) the cost of that element of the Developer's Works; or
 - (B) the complexity of implementation of the Developer's Works that may lead to a delay in the completion of the Developer's Works of 4 weeks or more.
- (c) Within 20 Business Days of receiving a notice from the City under clause 4.4(b) of Schedule 3, the Developer must:
 - (i) to the extent practicable, use reasonable endeavours to comply with the notice given by the City; or
 - (ii) if the Developer determines that the notice given by the City is unreasonable or impracticable, notify a dispute in accordance with clause 11 of this document.

If the Developer does not provide any response during the 20 Business Days after receiving a notice from the City under clause 4.4(b) of Schedule 3, it is deemed that the Developer accepts the notice given by the City and will take all steps required to comply with the notice.
- (d) The City does not assume or owe any duty of care to the Developer in reviewing any design drawings submitted to it under this clause 3.3(d) of Schedule 3 or for any errors, omissions or non-compliance with this document.
- (e) No participation by the City in the development of, the review of, or comments on any design drawings submitted by the Developer will lessen or otherwise affect the Developer's obligations under this document or constitute an acknowledgement by the City that the Developer has complied with its obligations under this document.

5. CONSTRUCTION OF DEVELOPER'S WORKS

5.1 Insurance

- (a) From commencement of the Developer's Works until expiration of the Defects Liability Period, the Developer must effect and maintain (or cause to be effected and maintained under one or more policies of insurance and without requiring any risk to be double insured) the following insurances held with an insurer licensed by the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority or holding an investment grade rating from Standard & Poors, Moody's or Fitch:
 - (i) worker's compensation insurance or registrations as required by Laws;
 - (ii) public liability insurance written on an occurrence basis with a limit of indemnity of not less than \$20,000,000 covering all aspects of the Developer's Works;
 - (iii) construction works insurance in relation to the Developer's Works; and
 - (iv) motor vehicle third party cover with a limit of indemnity of not less than \$20 million for each and every occurrence.
- (b) The Developer must submit a copy of all certificates of insurance to the City:
 - (i) prior to commencing construction of the Developer's Works; and
 - (ii) promptly following a written request by the City, provided that such a request is not made more than twice in any 12 month period.

5.2 Approvals and consents

The Developer must, at its cost, obtain all relevant approvals and consents for the Developer's Works, whether from the City or from any other relevant Government Agency, including any necessary road opening permits. Before commencing the Developer's Works, the Developer must give to the City copies of all approvals and consents for the Developer's Works, other than the Development Consent.

5.3 Construction work

The Developer must, at its cost:

- (a) carry out and complete the Developer's Works in accordance with all approvals and consents relating to the Developer's Works, including any approval given by the City under this document;
- (b) ensure that all Developer's Works are constructed in a good and workmanlike manner, in accordance with the plans approved under this document so that the Developer's Works are structurally sound, fit for purpose and suitable for their intended use;
- (c) ensure that the Developer's Works reach Completion by the due date specified in clause 1 of Schedule 3 and promptly after becoming aware advise the City's Representative of any significant delays in completing the Developer's Works or delays that may impact the delivery of the Public Benefits by the due date specified in Item 1 of Schedule 3; and
- (d) comply with all reasonable directions of the City in respect to construction of the Developer's Works.

5.4 **Inspections by the City**

The City, as a party to this document and not in its role as a Government Agency, may:

- (a) inspect the Developer's Works during the course of construction at reasonable times and on reasonable notice; and
- (b) notify the Developer's Representative of any material or significant defect, error or omission relating to the construction or installation of the Developer's Works identified during or as the result of an inspection.

Any failure by the City to identify a Defect, error or omission will not be construed as amounting to an acceptance by the City of the Defect, error or omission.

6. **STANDARDS**

The following list of Standards are included for information purposes only, and as a guide to the relevant standards for the general nature of the work identified as Developer's Works in this document. The City makes no representation or warranty as to the currency of the standards identified, or their application on the final design of the Developer's Works. The Developer must make its own enquiries regarding whether any standard has been replaced or supplemented. In the event that an Australian Standard prescribed a different level of material, finish, work or workmanship than those contained in a City standard, then the higher of the two standards will apply. If there is a conflict between City standards then the Developer must request the City nominate the correct and applicable City standard. The City's decision as to the applicable standard is final.

Relevant Australian Standards – Verge Works, Through site links

- AS 1725 Geotechnical Site investigations
- AS 4455 Masonry Units and segmental pavers
- AS 4678 Earth Retaining Structures
- AS 3600 Concrete Structures
- AS 2876 Concrete kerbs and channels
- AS 1158 Road Lighting
- AS 1743 Road signs
- AS 4282 Control of the Obtrusive Effects of Outdoor lighting
- AS 3500 Plumbing and Drainage
- AS 3700 Masonry Structures
- AS 2890 Parking Facilities
- AS 1428 Design for Access and Mobility
- AS 4454 Composts, soil conditioners and mulches

Relevant Australian Standards – Roads (including pedestrian areas)

- AS 1725 Geotechnical Site investigations
- AS 4455 Masonry Units and segmental pavers

- AS 4678 Earth Retaining Structures
- AS 3600 Concrete Structures
- AS 2876 Concrete kerbs and channels
- AS 1158 Road Lighting
- AS 4282 Control of the Obtrusive Effects of Outdoor lighting
- AS 1428 Design for Access and Mobility
- AS 3500 Plumbing and Drainage
- AS 3700 Masonry Structures
- AS 2890 Parking Facilities
- AS 1742 Manual of uniform traffic control devices
- AS 1743 Road Signs

City Standards (All Works)

- City of Sydney Contaminated Lands DCP 2004
- Sydney Street Code 2013
- Sydney Lights Code 2013
- City of Sydney Access Policy
- Sydney Street Technical Specification and Drawings
- City of Sydney Street Tree Master Plan 2011

EXECUTION

EXECUTED as a deed.

Signed, sealed and delivered for
**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
SYDNEY** (ABN 22 636 550 790) by
its duly authorised officer, in the
presence of:

Signature of witness

Name of witness

456 Kent Street, Sydney NSW 2000

Address of witness

Signature of officer

Name of officer

Position of officer
Authorised delegate pursuant to
section 377 of the Local Government
Act 1993

EXECUTED by **CHARVIC PTY LTD**
(ACN 003 181 093) in accordance with
s127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001
(Cth):

Signature of director

Name

EXECUTED by **INTERNATIONAL
SCREEN ACADEMY PROPERTY PTY
LTD** (ACN 160 984 574) in accordance
with s127(1) of the Corporations Act
2001 (Cth):

Signature of director

Name

Signature of director/secretary

Name

Signature of director/secretary

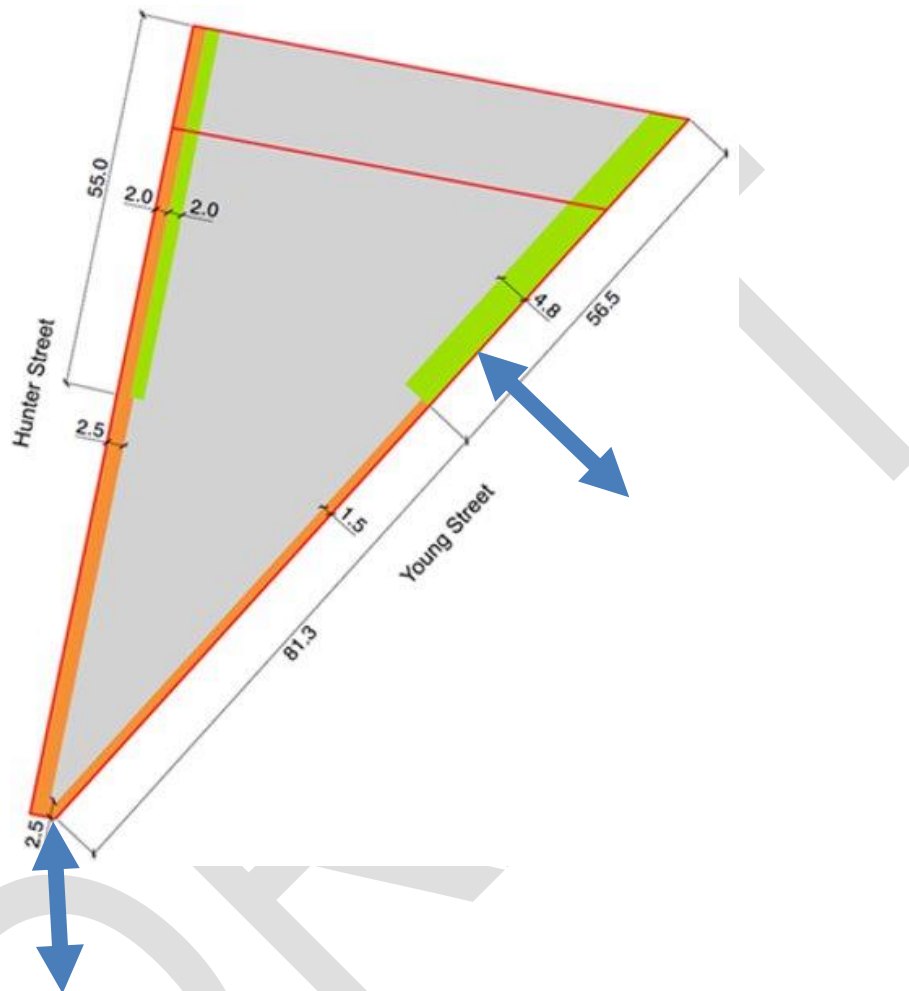
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ANNEXURE A

Public Benefits – additional plans and specifications

Additional Plans

- (a) Indicative Location Plan for Pedestrian Crossings



Developer's Works

The Developer's Works will include the following element to be delivered in accordance with the document:

- (b) Construction of two pedestrian crossings on Young and Powell Streets in the locations generally as shown, designed in accordance with all Ausroads, TfNSW and City of Sydney standards.
- (c) Pedestrian crossings are to be raised where possible, subject to assessment of flood management and stormwater system
- (d) Augmentation of lighting to meet safety requirements at the new crossing locations
- (e) Adjustment of utility services and service pit lids to meet adjusted levels at crossings
- (f) Installation of new surface inlet pits and connections to existing stormwater system as required

- (g) Construction of public domain improvements to meet TfNSW standards for pedestrian crossings

Maintenance of Developer's Works

For a period of 12 months from Completion the Developer must maintain all plants, trees and planted areas in optimum growing condition and appearance, which shall include but is not limited to:

- (a) Water all plants and trees as required to ensure active growth keeping areas moist but not saturated.
- (b) Apply maintenance period fertiliser in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications.
- (c) Keep planting areas free of weeds and undesirable grasses. Remove the entire root system. Dispose of all weeds appropriately.
- (d) Inspect all plants and trees for disease or insect damage weekly. Treat affected material immediately.
- (e) Remove damaged or diseased growth from plants and trees.
- (f) Immediately replace any failed or damaged plants and trees. Replacement plants and trees shall be of equal size and species as the original plant.
- (g) Reset to proper grades or upright position any plants that are not in their proper growing position.
- (h) Stakes and ties must be adjusted or replaced as required.
- (i) Prune plants and trees in order to repair mechanical damage, improve plant shape and to form or clear footpaths.
- (j) Turfed areas must be mowed when sufficient establishment of turf has occurred including but not limited to adequate root contact/anchoring and root depth. All edges must be trimmed. Lawn clippings must be removed from site. Adjust the height of the mower to the lowest level where the lawn has a green appearance without being scalped.
- (k) Top dress lawn when required and replace any areas of subsidence or dead turf which are greater than 1m² in area. Apply lawn fertiliser to ensure healthy growth in the growing season. Remove by hand all weed growth or grass around base of plants in turf. Do not use nylon line type edge trimmers around base of trees.

Deed of Novation

The Council of the City of Sydney ABN 22 636 550 790 and **[party name]**
Alt ABN/ACN/ARBN [number] and **[party name]** **Alt** ABN/ACN/ARBN [number]

For ***Planning Agreement re [description/address] dated # –
Novation date: #***

Reference:

Deed of Novation (Planning Agreement)

Version number and year of contract

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THIS DEED OF NOVATION is made on

20[insert].

BETWEEN:

1. **The Council of the City of Sydney ABN 22 636 550 790** of Town Hall House, 456 Kent Street, SYDNEY NSW 2000 (the **City**); and
2. [Insert name] ABN [insert number] of [insert address] (the **Outgoing Party**).
3. [Insert name] ABN [insert number] of [insert address] (the **Incoming Party**).

BACKGROUND

- A. The City and the Outgoing Party are parties to the Planning Agreement.
- B. The parties agree to novate the Planning Agreement as set out in this Deed.

THE PARTIES AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

1 DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION

2. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions apply in this document.

Effective Date means date of completion of the Incoming Party's acquisition of the Property.

Planning Agreement means the agreement named "Planning Agreement" dated [insert] entered into between the City and the Outgoing Party registration number [insert].

3. RULES FOR INTERPRETING THIS DOCUMENT

Words and expressions defined in the Planning Agreement have the same meaning in this Deed.

2 NOVATION

The parties acknowledge and agree that the Planning Agreement is novated so that, on and from the Effective Date:

- a) the Incoming Party replaces the Outgoing Party under the Planning Agreement; and
- b) any reference in the Planning Agreement to the Outgoing Party will be read as a reference to the Incoming Party.

3 RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS

On and from the Effective Date:

- a) the Incoming Party obtains the rights and assumes the obligations and liabilities of the Outgoing Party under the Planning Agreement in respect of events occurring on and after the Effective Date; and
- b) the City as the continuing party must continue to comply with its obligations and liabilities under the Planning Agreement on the basis that the Incoming

Party has replaced the Outgoing Party under the Planning Agreement in accordance with this Deed.

4 RELEASE AND LIABILITY

4.1 City

The City releases and discharges the Outgoing Party from:

- a) all of the Outgoing Party's obligations and liabilities under the Planning Agreement; and
- b) all actions, claims, demands and proceedings that it may have against the Outgoing Party in respect of the performance of, and obligations under the Planning Agreement,

arising in respect of events occurring on or after the Effective Date.

4.2 Outgoing Party

The Outgoing Party releases and discharges the City from:

- a) all of the City's obligations and liabilities under the Planning Agreement; and
- b) all actions, claims, demands and proceedings that it may have against the City in respect of the performance of, and obligations under the Planning Agreement,

arising in respect of events occurring on or after the Effective Date.

5 CONFIRMATION OF PLANNING AGREEMENT

Subject to this Deed, the City and the Incoming Party ratify and confirm the Planning Agreement, which remains fully effective.

6 REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

6.1 Authority

Each party represents and warrants to each other party that it has full power and authority to enter into and perform its obligations under this Deed.

6.2 Authorisations

Each party represents and warrants to each other party that it has taken all necessary action to authorise the execution, delivery and performance of this Deed in accordance with its terms.

7 GENERAL

- a) This Deed is governed by the laws of New South Wales. The parties submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of New South Wales in relation to all matters arising under, or relating to, this Deed.
- b) Each party will take all steps, execute all deeds and do everything reasonably required by any other party to give effect to any of the actions contemplated by this Deed.
- c) This Deed may consist of a number of counterparts and the counterparts taken together constitute one and the same instrument.
- d) Nothing in this Deed in any way restricts or otherwise affects the City's unfettered discretion to exercise its statutory powers as a public authority.

EXECUTED as a deed.

Signed, sealed and delivered for
**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
SYDNEY** by its duly authorised officer,
in the presence of:

Signature of officer

Signature of witness

Name of officer

Name

Position of officer

456 Kent Street, Sydney NSW 2000

Address of witness

EXECUTED by [**OUTGOING PARTY**]
[**ABN**] in accordance with s127(1) of
the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth):

Signature of director

Signature of director/secretary

Name

Name

EXECUTED by [**INCOMING PARTY**]
[**ABN**] in accordance with s127(1) of
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Signature of director

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Name

Name

EXPLANATORY NOTE PURSUANT TO REGULATION 205 OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND ASSESSMENT REGULATION 2021

242-258 YOUNG STREET, WATERLOO

Planning Proposal: 242-258 Young Street, Waterloo

Background

This explanatory note supports the notification of a draft Planning Agreement.

In February 2024, the Council of the City of Sydney received a request to amend the planning controls that apply to 242-258 Young Street, Waterloo (**Land**) under Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2012 (**SLEP 2012**).

A Planning Proposal has been prepared to enable new school on the Land to maximum height of 25m and a Floor Space Ratio of 2.94:1.

The purpose of this explanatory note is to support the notification of a Planning Agreement, under section 7.4 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* (**Act**) by meeting the statutory requirements of regulation 205 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2021* (**Regulation**).

This explanatory note has been prepared jointly by the parties.

The public benefits set out in the Planning Agreement do not in any way exclude the developer or owner (as the case may be) from paying monies under section 7.11 of the Act.

This explanatory note is not to be used to assist in construing the Planning Agreement.

1. Parties to the Planning Agreement

The parties to the Planning Agreement are Charvic Pty Ltd and International Screen Academy Property Pty Ltd (**Developer**), and the Council of the City of Sydney (**City**).

2. Description of the Subject Land

The Planning Agreement applies to Lot 1 in DP 84655, known as 242 Young St Waterloo NSW 2017; and Lot A and B in DP 161650 known as 244-258 Young St Waterloo NSW 2017.

3. Summary of the Objectives, Nature and Effect of the Proposed Agreement

The objective of the Planning Agreement is to secure public benefits in connection with the Planning Proposal for the Land.

The nature of the Planning Agreement is to secure the delivery of two pedestrian crossings adjacent to the development on Young and Powell Streets:

The effect of the proposed agreement is for the public benefits to be delivered in a timely manner with the development of the Land (as set out in the Planning Agreement).

4. Assessment of the Merits of the Proposed Agreement

(a) How the Planning Agreement promotes the public interest and one or more of the objects of the Act

The Planning Agreement promotes the objects of the Act, in particular objects identified in section 1.3 (c) and 1.3(g) of the Act which is to promote the orderly and economic

use and development of land and to promote good design and amenity of the built environment. The Planning Agreement promotes the objects of the Act by providing improved community infrastructure which will support and service the existing and future population and will contribute to greater amenity and infrastructure in the locality.

(b) How the Planning Agreement promotes the elements of the Council's charter and objects under the Local Government Act 1993

The Planning Agreement promotes a number of elements of the Council's charter under section 8 of the *Local Government Act 1993* (NSW) consistent with the guiding principles for Councils under that Act. In particular, the Planning Agreement through the delivery of the public benefits allows Council to:

- (i) provide directly or on behalf of other levels of government, after due consultation, adequate, equitable and appropriate services and facilities for the community and to ensure that those services and facilities are managed efficiently and effectively;
- (ii) exercise community leadership;
- (iii) properly manage, develop, protect, restore, enhance and conserve the environment of the area for which it is responsible, in a manner that is consistent with and promotes the principles of ecologically sustainable development;
- (iv) in its capacity as the custodian and trustee of public assets, effectively plan for, account for and manage the assets for which it is responsible;
- (v) engage in long-term strategic planning on behalf of the local community; and
- (vi) keep the local community and the State government (and through it, the wider community) informed about its activities.

(c) The impact of the Planning Agreement on the public or any section of the public

The Planning Agreement will benefit the public and local community by providing improved infrastructure to the area. In this way the Planning Agreement promotes the public interest.

This Planning Agreement is in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Planning Proposal and site-specific development control plan for the Land.

(d) Whether the Planning Agreement conforms with Council's capital works program

Yes. The Planning Agreement conforms to Council's capital works program.

(e) The planning purpose or purposes of the Planning Agreement

The Planning Agreement will serve a planning purpose by enhancing the public domain and local infrastructure to reflect the changing nature of the area and the needs of the anticipated incoming population.

It is considered that the Planning Agreement provides for a reasonable means by which to achieve these planning purposes given the extent of the statutory tools that are available to Council by which it can deliver the proposed public benefits.

- (f) **Compliance with certain requirements prior to issue of construction, occupation or subdivision certificates.**

The following requirements of the Planning Agreement must be complied with before:

- (i) **A construction certificate is issued:** Provision of the bank guarantee.
- (ii) **An occupation certificate is issued:** Completion of the Developer's Works
- (iii) **A subdivision certificate is issued:** Nil