

# Development Consent

## *Section 4.38 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*

As delegate of the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces under delegation executed on 9 March 2020, I approve the Development Application referred to in Schedule 1, subject to the conditions specified in Schedule 2.

These conditions are required to:

- prevent, minimise, or offset adverse environmental impacts;
- set standards and performance measures for acceptable environmental performance;
- require regular monitoring and reporting; and
- provide for the ongoing environmental management of the development.



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### **SCHEDULE 1**

<b>Application Number:</b>	SSD 9692
<b>Applicant:</b>	Meriden School
<b>Consent Authority:</b>	Minister for Planning and Public Spaces
<b>Site:</b>	Meriden School Strathfield: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Senior Campus, 3-13 Margaret Street and 10-28 Redmyre Road (Lot 101 DP 862040);</li><li>• Prep Campus, 16 and 16B Margaret Street (Lot 1 DP 723946); and</li><li>• Junior Campus, 36-39 Redmyre Road (Lot 1 DP 1244199).</li></ul>
<b>Development:</b>	Alterations and additions to Meriden School consisting of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• demolition of the staff common room on the Senior School, the existing business office on the Prep School and the house and garage at 4 Vernon Street on the Junior School currently used as the uniform shop.</li><li>• site remediation and excavation on the Junior School and Prep School.</li><li>• construction of a new three storey Music and Drama Centre with two basement levels at the Senior School.</li><li>• construction of a new two storey Administration and Student Centre building at the Prep School.</li></ul>

- construction of a new outdoor landscaped space with outdoor furniture, pergola and noise barrier at the Junior School.
- a change of use at 4 Vernon Street from a residential dwelling to an educational establishment.
- ancillary public domain works, landscaping, drainage works and service connections.

## DEFINITIONS

<b>Aboriginal object</b>	Has the same meaning as the definition of the term in section 5 of the <i>National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974</i>
<b>Aboriginal place</b>	Has the same meaning as the definition of the term in section 5 of the <i>National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974</i>
<b>Accredited Certifier</b>	Means the holder of accreditation as an accredited certifier under the <i>Building Professionals Act 2005</i> acting in relation to matters to which the accreditation applies.
<b>Advisory Notes</b>	Advisory information relating to the consent but do not form a part of this consent
<b>Applicant</b>	Meriden School or any other person carrying out any development to which this consent applies
<b>BCA</b>	Building Code of Australia
<b>BC Act</b>	<i>Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016</i>
<b>CEMP</b>	Construction Environmental Management Plan
<b>Certifier</b>	Means a council or accredited certifier
<b>Conditions of this consent</b>	The conditions contained in Schedule 2 of this document
<b>Construction</b>	<p>All physical work to enable operation including but not limited to the demolition and removal of buildings, the carrying out of works for the purposes of the development, including bulk earthworks, and erection of buildings and other infrastructure permitted by this consent, but excluding the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• building and road dilapidation surveys;</li> <li>• establishing temporary site offices (in locations identified by the conditions of this consent);</li> <li>• installation of environmental impact mitigation measures, fencing, enabling works; and</li> <li>• minor adjustments to services or utilities.</li> </ul> <p>However, where heritage items, or threatened species or threatened ecological communities (within the meaning of the <i>Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016</i> or <i>Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999</i>) are affected or potentially affected by any physical work, that work is construction, unless otherwise determined by the Planning Secretary in consultation with EES Group or DPIE Fisheries (in the case of impact upon fish, aquatic invertebrates or marine vegetation)</p>
<b>Council</b>	Strathfield Municipal Council
<b>Day</b>	The period from 7am to 6pm on Monday to Saturday, and 8am to 6pm on Sundays and Public Holidays
<b>Demolition</b>	The deconstruction and removal of buildings, sheds and other structures on the site
<b>Department</b>	NSW Department of Planning, Industry and Environment
<b>Development</b>	The development described in the EIS and Response to Submissions, including the works and activities comprising alterations and additions to Meriden School, as modified by the conditions of this consent.
<b>Earthworks</b>	Bulk earthworks, site levelling, import and compaction of fill material, excavation for installation of drainage and services
<b>EES Group</b>	Environment, Energy and Science Group of the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (Former Office of Environment and Heritage)
<b>EIS</b>	The Environmental Impact Statement titled Meriden School Strathfield Redevelopment, prepared by Urbis Pty Ltd dated 4 July 2019, submitted with

	the application for consent for the development, including any additional information provided by the Applicant in support of the application
<b>ENM</b>	Excavated Natural Material
<b>Environment</b>	Includes all aspects of the surroundings of humans, whether affecting any human as an individual or in his or her social groupings
<b>EPA</b>	NSW Environment Protection Authority
<b>EP&amp;A Act</b>	<i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i>
<b>EP&amp;A Regulation</b>	<i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000</i>
<b>Evening</b>	The period from 6pm to 10pm
<b>Feasible</b>	Means what is possible and practical in the circumstances
<b>Heritage</b>	Encompasses both Aboriginal and historic heritage including sites that predate European settlement, and a shared history since European settlement
<b>Heritage NSW</b>	Heritage, Community Engagement of the Department of Premier and Cabinet
<b>Heritage Item</b>	An item as defined under the <i>Heritage Act 1977</i> , and assessed as being of local, State and/ or National heritage significance, and/or an Aboriginal Object or Aboriginal Place as defined under the <i>National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974</i> , the World Heritage List, or the National Heritage List or Commonwealth Heritage List under the <i>Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999</i> (Cth), or anything identified as a heritage item under the conditions of this consent
<b>Incident</b>	An occurrence or set of circumstances that causes, or threatens to cause, material harm and which may or may not be, or cause, a non-compliance <i>Note: "material harm" is defined in this consent</i>
<b>Land</b>	Has the same meaning as the definition of the term in section 1.4 of the EP&A Act
<b>Management and mitigation measures</b>	The management and mitigation measures set out in Section 9 of the EIS.
<b>Material harm</b>	Is harm that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) involves actual or potential harm to the health or safety of human beings or to the environment that is not trivial; or</li> <li>b) results in actual or potential loss or property damage of an amount, or amounts in aggregate, exceeding \$10,000, (such loss includes the reasonable costs and expenses that would be incurred in taking all reasonable and practicable measures to prevent, mitigate or make good harm to the environment)</li> </ul>
<b>Minister</b>	NSW Minister for Planning and Public Spaces (or delegate)
<b>Mitigation</b>	Activities associated with reducing the impacts of the development prior to or during those impacts occurring
<b>Monitoring</b>	Any monitoring required under this consent must be undertaken in accordance with section 9.39 of the EP&A Act
<b>Night</b>	The period from 10pm to 7am on Monday to Saturday, and 10pm to 8am on Sundays and Public Holidays
<b>Non-compliance</b>	An occurrence, set of circumstances or development that is a breach of this consent
<b>OEMP</b>	Operational Environmental Management Plan
<b>Operation</b>	The carrying out of the approved purpose of the development upon completion of construction
<b>Planning Secretary</b>	Planning Secretary under the EP&A Act, or nominee
<b>POEO Act</b>	<i>Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997</i>

<b>Reasonable</b>	Means applying judgement in arriving at a decision, taking into account: mitigation, benefits, costs of mitigation versus benefits provided, community views, and the nature and extent of potential improvements
<b>Rehabilitation</b>	The restoration of land disturbed by the development to a good condition, to ensure it is safe, stable and non-polluting
<b>Response to submissions</b>	The Applicant's response to issues raised in submissions received in relation to the application for consent for the development under the EP&A Act
<b>Sensitive receivers</b>	A location where people are likely to work, occupy or reside, including a dwelling, school, hospital, office or public recreational area
<b>Site</b>	The land defined in Schedule 1
<b>Site Auditor</b>	As defined in section 4 of the <i>Contaminated Land Management Act 1997</i>
<b>Site Audit Report</b>	As defined in section 4 of the <i>Contaminated Land Management Act 1997</i>
<b>Site Audit Statement</b>	As defined in section 4 of the <i>Contaminated Land Management Act 1997</i>
<b>TfNSW</b>	Transport for New South Wales
<b>TfNSW(RMS)</b>	Transport for New South Wales (Roads and Maritime Services)
<b>Upgrading</b>	The carrying out of works (including replacing plant, equipment, or machinery or updating relevant technology) to improve the efficiency of the development or to enable or enhance its continued operation, and the carrying out of the following maintenance works: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• public domain works</li> <li>• stormwater infrastructure works</li> </ul>
<b>VENM</b>	Virgin Excavated Natural Material
<b>Waste</b>	Has the same meaning as the definition of the term in the Dictionary to the POEO Act
<b>Year</b>	A period of 12 consecutive months

**SCHEDULE 2**  
**PART A ADMINISTRATIVE CONDITIONS**

**Obligation to Minimise Harm to the Environment**

- A1. In addition to meeting the specific performance measures and criteria in this consent, all reasonable and feasible measures must be implemented to prevent, and, if prevention is not reasonable and feasible, minimise any material harm to the environment that may result from the construction and operation of the development.

**Terms of Consent**

- A2. The development may only be carried out:
- (a) in compliance with the conditions of this consent;
  - (b) in accordance with all written directions of the Planning Secretary;
  - (c) generally in accordance with the EIS and Response to Submissions;
  - (d) in accordance with the approved plans in the table below:

<b>Survey plans prepared by LTS Lockley</b>			
<b>Dwg No.</b>	<b>Rev</b>	<b>Name of Plan</b>	<b>Date</b>
<b>Senior School</b>			
35598DT	008	Plan of Detail and Levels of part of "Meriden Anglican Girls School", No.10-28 Redmyre Road, Strathfield Being Lot101 in DP862040 – Sheets 1 to 16 inclusive	18.1.2019
<b>Prep School</b>			
44549DT	B	Plan of detail and levels over Lot 1 in DP 723946 at Margaret Street, Strathfield	18.1.2019
<b>Survey plans prepared by Linker Surveying</b>			
<b>Dwg No.</b>	<b>Rev</b>	<b>Name of Plan</b>	<b>Date</b>
<b>Junior School</b>			
161014	4	Plan of Details and Levels – Sheet 1 of 4	5.4.2019
161014	4	Plan of Details and Levels – Sheet 2 of 4	5.4.2019
161014	4	Plan of Details and Levels – Sheet 3 of 4	5.4.2019
161014	4	Plan of Details and Levels – Sheet 4 of 4	5.4.2019
<b>Architectural Plans prepared by AJ+C</b>			
<b>Dwg No.</b>	<b>Rev</b>	<b>Name of Plan</b>	<b>Date</b>
<b>Senior School</b>			
DA0000	A	Cover Sheet	23.04.2019
DA1000	A	Site Plan	23.04.2019
DA1001	A	Site Analysis Plan	23.04.2019
DA1100	A	Demolition Plan	23.04.2019
DA2000	A	Floor Plan – Level -2 (Basement)	23.04.2019
DA2001	A	Floor Plan – Level -1 (Basement)	23.04.2019
DA2100	A	Floor Plan – Level 0 (Ground)	23.04.2019
DA2101	A	Floor Plan- Level 1	23.04.2019
DA2102	A	Floor Plan – Level 2	23.04.2019
DA2103	A	Roof/Plant Plan – Level 3	23.04.2019
DA3100	A	Elevation – North/East	23.04.2019

DA3101	A	Elevation – South/West	23.04.2019
DA3200	A	Sections	23.04.2019
DA3201	A	Sections	23.04.2019
DA5100	A	Shadow Diagrams – Summer	23.04.2019
DA5101	A	Shadow Diagrams – Winter	23.04.2019
DA6100	A	Wall Detail	23.04.2019
DA6101	A	Wall Detail	23.04.2019
DA9600	A	Photomontage	23.04.2019
DA9700	A	Materials Board	23.04.2019
<b>Prep School</b>			
DA0000	A	Cover Sheet	23.04.2019
DA1000	A	Site Plan	23.04.2019
DA1001	A	Site Analysis	23.04.2019
DA1100	A	Demolition Plan	23.04.2019
DA2100	A	Ground Floor Plan	23.04.2019
DA2101	A	Level 1 Plan	23.04.2019
DA2102	A	Roof Plan	23.04.2019
DA3100	A	Elevations	23.04.2019
DA3200	A	Sections	23.04.2019
DA3201	A	Sections	23.04.2019
DA3300	A	Material Board	23.04.2019
DA4100	A	Detailed Wall Sections	23.04.2019
<b>Junior School</b>			
DA1200	B	4 Vernon Street Demolition Plan	25.06.2019
<b>Landscape Plans prepared by Oculus</b>			
<b>Dwg No.</b>	<b>Rev</b>	<b>Name of Plan</b>	<b>Date</b>
<b>Senior School</b>			
103	-	CMAD Proposed Ground Plan	May 2019
104	-	CMAD Proposed Level 2 Plan	May 2019
105	-	CMAD Indicative Ground Planting Plan	May 2019
106	-	CMAD Indicative Level 2 Planting Plan	May 2019
107	-	CMAD Illustrative Section	May 2019
108	-	CMAD Indicative Planting Palette	May 2019
<b>Prep School</b>			
201	-	Lingwood Stage 2 Illustrative Plan	May 2019
202	-	Lingwood Stage 2 Indicative Planting	May 2019
203	-	Lingwood Stage 2 Illustrative Section	May 2019
204	-	Lingwood Stage 2 Indicative Planting Palette	May 2019
<b>Junior School</b>			
100	D	Concept Design Vernon Street – Illustrative Plan	January 2020
200	D	Concept Design Vernon Street – Illustrative Section	January 2020

201	D	Concept Design Vernon Street – Illustrative Section	January 2020
400	D	Concept Design Vernon Street – Proposed Planting	January 2020
500	D	Concept Design Vernon Street – Proposed Plant Schedule	January 2020
<b>Concept Civil Plans prepared by Taylor Thomson Whitting</b>			
<b>Dwg No.</b>	<b>Rev</b>	<b>Name of Plan</b>	<b>Date</b>
SK02	P2	Erosion and Sediment Control Plan and Details	26.04.2019
SK03	P6	Siteworks Plan – Senior School	26.04.2019
SK102	P2	Erosion and Sediment Control Plan	26.04.2019
SK103	P2	Siteworks Plan – Prep School	26.04.2019
SK201	P2	Erosion and Sediment Control Plan and Details	26.04.2019
SK203	P2	Siteworks Plan – Junior School	26.04.2019

- A3. Consistent with the requirements in this consent, the Planning Secretary may make written directions to the Applicant in relation to:
- the content of any strategy, study, system, plan, program, review, audit, notification, report or correspondence submitted under or otherwise made in relation to this consent, including those that are required to be, and have been, approved by the Planning Secretary;
  - any reports, reviews or audits commissioned by the Planning Secretary regarding compliance with this approval; and
  - the implementation of any actions or measures contained in any such document referred to in (a) above.
- A4. The conditions of this consent and directions of the Planning Secretary prevail to the extent of any inconsistency, ambiguity or conflict between them and a document listed in condition A2(c) or A2(d). In the event of an inconsistency, ambiguity or conflict between any of the documents listed in condition A2(c) and A2(d), the most recent document prevails to the extent of the inconsistency, ambiguity or conflict.

#### **Limits of Consent**

- A5. This consent lapses five years after the date of consent unless work is physically commenced.
- A6. This consent does not approve the use of the Music and Drama Centre on the Senior School or the Administration and Student Centre on the Prep School for community use.

*Note: this limit does not preclude the use of other spaces at the school not covered by this approval for community use.*

#### **Student and Staff Numbers**

- A7. A maximum of 950 Senior School students may be in attendance on the school premises at any one time.
- A8. Notwithstanding condition A8, the maximum Senior School attendance on the school premises may exceed 950 by up to a maximum 20 additional students to allow for unanticipated fluctuations on a temporary basis.

#### **Amendment to Development Consent DA2014/023**

- A9. In accordance with section 4.17(1)(b) of the EP&A Act, condition 7 of development consent DA2014/023 issued by Council is to be deleted.

#### **Prescribed Conditions**

- A10. The Applicant must comply with all relevant prescribed conditions of development consent under Part 6, Division 8A of the EP&A Regulation.



## **Planning Secretary as Moderator**

A11. In the event of a dispute between the Applicant and a public authority, in relation to an applicable requirement in this approval or relevant matter relating to the Development, either party may refer the matter to the Planning Secretary for resolution. The Planning Secretary's resolution of the matter must be binding on the parties.

## **Evidence of Consultation**

- A12. Where conditions of this consent require consultation with an identified party, the Applicant must:
- (a) consult with the relevant party prior to submitting the subject document for information or approval; and
  - (b) provide details of the consultation undertaken including:
    - (i) the outcome of that consultation, matters resolved and unresolved; and
    - (ii) details of any disagreement remaining between the party consulted and the Applicant and how the Applicant has addressed the matters not resolved.

## **Staging**

- A13. The project may be constructed and operated in stages. Where compliance with conditions is required to be staged due to staged construction or operation, a Staging Report (for either or both construction and operation as the case may be) must be prepared and submitted for the to the satisfaction of the Planning Secretary. The Staging Report must be submitted to the Planning Secretary no later than one month before the commencement of construction of the first of the proposed stages of construction (or if only staged operation is proposed, one month before the commencement of operation of the first of the proposed stages of operation).
- A14. A Staging Report prepared in accordance with condition A14 must:
- (a) if staged construction is proposed, set out how the construction of the whole of the project will be staged, including details of work and other activities to be carried out in each stage and the general timing of when construction of each stage will commence and finish;
  - (b) if staged operation is proposed, set out how the operation of the whole of the project will be staged, including details of work and other activities to be carried out in each stage and the general timing of when operation of each stage will commence and finish (if relevant);
  - (c) specify how compliance with conditions will be achieved across and between each of the stages of the project; and
  - (d) set out mechanisms for managing any cumulative impacts arising from the proposed staging.
- A15. Where a Staging Report is required, the project must be staged in accordance with the Staging Report, as submitted to the Planning Secretary.
- A16. Where construction or operation is being staged in accordance with a Staging Report, the terms of this consent/approval that apply or are relevant to the works or activities to be carried out in a specific stage must be complied with at the relevant time for that stage as identified in the Staging Report.

## **Staging, Combining and Updating Strategies, Plans or Programs**

- A17. With the approval of the Planning Secretary, the Applicant may:
- (a) prepare and submit any strategy, plan (including management plan, architectural or design plan) or program required by this consent on a staged basis (if a clear description is provided as to the specific stage and scope of the development to which the strategy, plan (including management plan, architectural or design plan) or program applies, the relationship of the stage to any future stages and the trigger for updating the strategy, plan (including management plan, architectural or design plan) or program);
  - (b) combine any strategy, plan (including management plan, architectural or design plan), or program required by this consent (if a clear relationship is demonstrated between the

strategies, plans (including management plan, architectural or design plan) or programs that are proposed to be combined); and

- (c) update any strategy, plan (including management plan, architectural or design plan), or program required by this consent (to ensure the strategies, plans (including management plan, architectural or design plan), or programs required under this consent are updated on a regular basis and incorporate additional measures or amendments to improve the environmental performance of the development).

- A18. Any strategy, plan or program prepared in accordance with condition A18, where previously approved by the Planning Secretary under this consent, must be submitted to the satisfaction of the Planning Secretary.
- A19. If the Planning Secretary agrees, a strategy, plan (including management plan, architectural or design plan), or program may be staged or updated without consultation being undertaken with all parties required to be consulted in the relevant condition in this consent.
- A20. Updated strategies, plans (including management plan, architectural or design plan), or programs supersede the previous versions of them and must be implemented in accordance with the condition that requires the strategy, plan, program or drawing.

### **Structural Adequacy**

- A21. All new buildings and structures, and any alterations or additions to existing buildings and structures, that are part of the development, must be constructed in accordance with the relevant requirements of the BCA.

#### **Notes:**

- *Part 8 of the EP&A Regulation sets out the requirements for the certification of the development.*
- *Under section 21 of the Coal Mine Subsidence Compensation Act 2017, the Applicant is required to obtain the Chief Executive of Subsidence Advisory NSW's approval before carrying out certain development in a Mine Subsidence District.*

### **External Walls and Cladding**

- A22. The external walls of all new buildings including additions to existing buildings must comply with the relevant requirements of the BCA.

### **Site Contamination**

- A23. Remediation approved as part of this development consent must be carried out in accordance with the Remedial Action Plans titled 'Proposed Open Play Space, 4 Vernon Street, Strathfield', dated 3 June 2019, prepared by Douglas Partners and 'Proposed Administration and Student Centre of Meriden School', prepared by JKEnvironments, dated 25 June 2019. Additional ground water investigations and monitoring must also be undertaken as recommended by the Remedial Action Plans.
- A24. Additional groundwater investigations must be undertaken on the Prep School as required in the Remedial Action Plans referenced in condition A24. The results of this investigations must be included in the Validation Report required by condition E26.

### **Applicability of Guidelines**

- A25. References in the conditions of this consent to any guideline, protocol, Australian Standard or policy are to such guidelines, protocols, Standards or policies in the form they are in as at the date of this consent.
- A26. Consistent with the conditions of this consent and without altering any limits or criteria in this consent, the Planning Secretary may, when issuing directions under this consent in respect of ongoing monitoring and management obligations, require compliance with an updated or revised version of such a guideline, protocol, Standard or policy, or a replacement of them.

### **Monitoring and Environmental Audits**

- A27. Any condition of this consent that requires the carrying out of monitoring or an environmental audit, whether directly or by way of a plan, strategy or program, is taken to be a condition requiring monitoring or an environmental audit under Division 9.4 of Part 9 of the EP&A Act. This includes conditions in respect of incident notification, reporting and response, non-compliance notification, Site audit report and independent auditing.

**Note:** For the purposes of this condition, as set out in the EP&A Act, “monitoring” is monitoring of the development to provide data on compliance with the consent or on the environmental impact of the development, and an “environmental audit” is a periodic or particular documented evaluation of the development to provide information on compliance with the consent or the environmental management or impact of the development.

### **Access to Information**

- A28. At least 48 hours before the commencement of construction until the completion of all works under this consent, or such other time as agreed by the Planning Secretary, the Applicant must:
- (a) make the following information and documents (as they are obtained or approved) publicly available on its website:
    - (i) the documents referred to in condition A2 of this consent;
    - (ii) all current statutory approvals for the development;
    - (iii) all approved strategies, plans and programs required under the conditions of this consent;
    - (iv) regular reporting on the environmental performance of the development in accordance with the reporting arrangements in any plans or programs approved under the conditions of this consent;
    - (v) a comprehensive summary of the monitoring results of the development, reported in accordance with the specifications in any conditions of this consent, or any approved plans and programs;
    - (vi) a summary of the current stage and progress of the development;
    - (vii) contact details to enquire about the development or to make a complaint;
    - (viii) a complaints register, updated monthly;
    - (ix) audit reports prepared as part of any independent audit of the development and the Applicant’s response to the recommendations in any audit report;
    - (x) any other matter required by the Planning Secretary; and
  - (b) keep such information up to date, to the satisfaction of the Planning Secretary.

### **Compliance**

- A29. The Applicant must ensure that all of its employees, contractors (and their sub-contractors) are made aware of, and are instructed to comply with, the conditions of this consent relevant to activities they carry out in respect of the development.

### **Incident Notification, Reporting and Response**

- A30. The Planning Secretary must be notified in writing to [compliance@planning.nsw.gov.au](mailto:compliance@planning.nsw.gov.au) immediately after the Applicant becomes aware of an incident. The notification must identify the development (including the development application number and the name of the development if it has one), and set out the location and nature of the incident.
- A31. Subsequent notification must be given and reports submitted in accordance with the requirements set out in **Appendix 1**.

### **Non-Compliance Notification**

- A32. The Planning Secretary must be notified in writing to [compliance@planning.nsw.gov.au](mailto:compliance@planning.nsw.gov.au) within seven days after the Applicant becomes aware of any non-compliance. The Certifier must also notify the Planning Secretary in writing to [compliance@planning.nsw.gov.au](mailto:compliance@planning.nsw.gov.au) within seven days after they identify any non-compliance.
- A33. The notification must identify the development and the application number for it, set out the condition of consent that the development is non-compliant with, the way in which it does not comply and the reasons for the non-compliance (if known) and what actions have been, or will be, undertaken to address the non-compliance.
- A34. A non-compliance which has been notified as an incident does not need to also be notified as a non-compliance.

### **Revision of Strategies, Plans and Programs**

- A35. Within three months of:
- (a) the submission of a compliance report under condition C22;

- (b) the submission of an incident report under condition A31;
- (c) the submission of an Independent Audit under condition D34;
- (d) the approval of any modification of the conditions of this consent; or
- (e) the issue of a direction of the Planning Secretary under condition A2 which requires a review,

the strategies, plans and programs required under this consent must be reviewed, and the Planning Secretary and the Certifier must be notified in writing that a review is being carried out.

A36. If necessary to either improve the environmental performance of the development, cater for a modification or comply with a direction, the strategies, plans, programs or drawings required under this consent must be revised, to the satisfaction of the Planning Secretary and / or Certifier (where relevant). Where revisions are required, the revised document must be submitted to the Planning Secretary and / or Certifier for approval and / or information (where relevant) within six weeks of the review.

**Note:** *This is to ensure strategies, plans and programs are updated on a regular basis and to incorporate any recommended measures to improve the environmental performance of the development.*

## **PART B PRIOR TO THE ISSUE OF A CONSTRUCTION CERTIFICATE**

### **Outdoor Lighting**

- B1. Prior to the issue of a construction certificate, evidence must be submitted to the Certifier that all outdoor lighting within the site has been designed to comply with AS 1158.3.1:2005 Lighting for roads and public spaces – Pedestrian area (Category P) lighting – Performance and design requirements and AS 4282-2019 Control of the obtrusive effects of outdoor lighting.

### **External Walls and Cladding**

- B2. Prior to the issue of a construction certificate, the Applicant must provide the Certifier with documented evidence that the products and systems proposed for use or used in the construction of external walls, including finishes and claddings such as synthetic or aluminium composite panels, comply with the requirements of the BCA. The Applicant must provide a copy of the documentation given to the Certifier and to the Planning Secretary within seven days after the Certifier accepts it.

### **Ecologically Sustainable Development**

- B3. Prior to the issue of a construction certificate, unless otherwise agreed by the Planning Secretary, the Applicant must demonstrate that ESD is being achieved by either:
- (a) registering for a minimum 5 star Green Star rating with the Green Building Council Australia for the proposed Music and Drama Centre at the Senior School and Administration and Student Centre at the Prep School and submit evidence of registration to the Certifier; or
  - (b) seeking approval from the Planning Secretary for an alternative certification process.

### **Stormwater Management System**

- B4. Prior to the issue of a construction certificate, the Applicant must design an operational stormwater management system for the development and submit it to the Certifier. The system must:
- (a) be designed by a suitably qualified and experienced person(s);
  - (b) be designed in consultation with and to the satisfaction of Council;
  - (c) be generally in accordance with the conceptual design in the EIS;
  - (d) be in accordance with applicable Australian Standards;
  - (e) ensure that the system capacity has been designed in accordance with *Australian Rainfall and Runoff* (Engineers Australia, 2016) and *Managing Urban Stormwater: Council Handbook* (EPA, 1997) guidelines;
  - (f) divert existing clean surface water around operational areas of the site; and
  - (g) include details of all on-site retention/detention and water quality treatment systems are to be individually signposted in accordance with Council's Stormwater and Water Efficiency for Development Technical Manual.

### **Car Parking and Service Vehicle Layout**

- B5. Prior to the issue of a construction certificate, evidence of the provision of a minimum of 105 on-site car parking spaces on site for use during operation of the development must be submitted to the Certifier.

### **Rainwater Harvesting**

- B6. Prior to the issue of a construction certificate (not including demolition), the Applicant must ensure that a rainwater reuse/harvesting system for the development is developed for the Music and Drama Centre. A rainwater re-use plan must be prepared and certified by a suitably qualified hydraulic engineer.

### **Operational Noise – Design of Mechanical Plant and Equipment**

- B7. Prior to the issue of a construction certificate (not including demolition), the Applicant must incorporate the noise mitigation recommendations in the Construction and Operational Noise Report, version E, dated 13 January 2020 prepared by Wilkinson Murray into the detailed

design drawings. The Certifier must verify that all noise mitigation measures have been incorporated into the design to ensure the development will not exceed the recommended operational noise levels identified in the Construction and Operational Noise Report, version E, dated 13 January 2020 prepared by Wilkinson Murray.

### **Junior School Acoustic Barrier and Boundary fencing**

- B8. Prior to the issue of a construction certificate for works at the Junior School, the Applicant must submit plans of an acoustic barrier to the Planning Secretary. The acoustic barrier plans must demonstrate that that the acoustic barrier would:
- (a) consist of a masonry material, or other material (either composite or uniform) with a cementitious external finish that provides an equivalent or better acoustic performance and longevity that either meets or exceeds the minimum material thicknesses recommended in the Operational Noise Report, version E, dated 13 January 2020 prepared by Wilkinson Murray;
  - (b) the upper levels of the barrier may include a transparent material if required, subject to providing equivalent acoustic performance;
  - (c) have a minimum height of 2.1 metres from the finished levels approved under this application; and
  - (d) be located wholly within the Junior School development site.
- B9. Prior to the issue of a construction certificate for works at the Junior School, the Applicant must to the satisfaction of the Planning Secretary submit details of proposed new / refurbished fencing on or adjoining the eastern and northern boundaries of 2 Vernon Street. The details must include plans and specifications of:
- (a) the refurbishment of existing sections of timber paling fencing or construction of new timber paling fencing that achieves a minimum 1.8 metres in height (measured from the ground level of the Junior School site) along or adjoining the entirety of the eastern and northern boundaries of 2 Vernon Street; and
  - (b) the fencing wholly located within the Junior School site unless located on the boundary with the agreement of the adjoining landowner in accordance with the *Dividing Fences Act 1991*.

## **PART C PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION**

### **Notification of Commencement**

- C1. The Applicant must notify the Planning Secretary in writing of the dates of intended commencement of construction and operation at least 48 hours before those dates.
- C2. If the construction or operation of the development is to be staged, the Planning Secretary must be notified in writing at least 48 hours before the commencement of each stage, of the intended date of commencement and the development to be carried out in that stage.

### **Certified Drawings**

- C3. Prior to the commencement of construction, the Applicant must submit to the Certifier structural drawings prepared and signed by a suitably qualified practising Structural Engineer that demonstrates compliance with this development consent.

### **Development Contributions**

- C4. Prior to commencement of construction for any part of the development (not including demolition or site remediation and groundwater investigations), a Section 7.12 levy totalling **\$247,642.33** (1% of the CIV of the proposal), must be paid to Council under Section 7.12 of the EP&A Act and the Strathfield Development Contributions Plan. Prior to payment Council can provide the value of the indexed levy.

### **Protection of Public Infrastructure**

- C5. Prior to the commencement of construction, the Applicant must:
  - (a) consult with the relevant owner and provider of services that are likely to be affected by the development to make suitable arrangements for access to, diversion, protection and support of the affected infrastructure;
  - (b) prepare a dilapidation report identifying the condition of all public infrastructure in the vicinity of the site (including roads, gutters and footpaths); and
  - (c) submit a copy of the dilapidation report to the Planning Secretary, Certifier and Council.

### **Pre-Construction Dilapidation Report**

- C6. Prior to the commencement of construction, the Applicant must submit a pre-commencement dilapidation report to Council, and the Certifier. The report must provide an accurate record of the existing condition of adjoining private properties, and Council assets that are likely to be impacted by the proposed works.

### **Unexpected Contamination Procedure**

- C7. The Applicant must implement the unexpected contamination finds protocols provided at Section 10 of the Remediation Action Plan titled 'Proposed Open Play Space, 4 Vernon Street, Strathfield' prepared by Douglas Partners, dated 3 June 2019 and Section 8.1 of the Remediation Action Plan titled 'Proposed Administration and Student Centre of Meriden School' prepared by JKEvironments, dated 25 June 2019 to ensure that potentially contaminated material is appropriately managed. The protocols must form part of the of the CEMP in accordance with condition C12 and where any material identified as contaminated is to be disposed off-site, the disposal location and results of testing submitted to the Planning Secretary prior to its removal from the site.

### **Community Communication Strategy**

- C8. No later than two weeks before the commencement of construction, a Community Communication Strategy must be submitted to the Planning Secretary for information. The Community Communication Strategy must provide mechanisms to facilitate communication between the Applicant, the relevant Council and the community (including adjoining affected landowners and businesses, and others directly impacted by the development), during the design and construction of the development and for a minimum of 12 months following the completion of construction.

The Community Communication Strategy must:

- (a) identify people to be consulted during the design and construction phases;

- (b) set out procedures and mechanisms for the regular distribution of accessible information about or relevant to the development;
- (c) provide for the formation of community-based forums, if required, that focus on key environmental management issues for the development;
- (d) set out procedures and mechanisms:
  - (i) through which the community can discuss or provide feedback to the Applicant;
  - (ii) through which the Applicant will respond to enquiries or feedback from the community; and
  - (iii) to resolve any issues and mediate any disputes that may arise in relation to construction and operation of the development, including disputes regarding rectification or compensation.
- (e) include any specific requirements around traffic, noise and vibration, visual impacts, amenity, flora and fauna, soil and water, contamination, heritage.

### **Demolition**

- C9. Prior to the commencement of construction, demolition work plans required by *AS 2601-2001 The demolition of structures* (Standards Australia, 2001) must be accompanied by a written statement from a suitably qualified person that the proposals contained in the work plan comply with the safety requirements of the Standard. The work plans and the statement of compliance must be submitted to the Certifier and Planning Secretary.

### **Archival Photographic Documentation**

- C10. Prior to the commencement of demolition works, a photographic archival record of the external and internal areas of the staff common room, business centre and dwelling and garage at 2 Vernon Street must be prepared in accordance with the recommendations of the Heritage Impact Statement prepared by Urbis dated 20 May 2019. A digital copy must be submitted to Council, any relevant local studies collection in the locality and the Planning Secretary prior to the commencement of demolition works.

### **Environmental Management Plan Requirements**

- C11. Management plans required under this consent must be prepared in accordance with relevant guidelines, and include:
- (a) detailed baseline data;
  - (b) details of:
    - (i) the relevant statutory requirements (including any relevant approval, licence or lease conditions);
    - (ii) any relevant limits or performance measures and criteria; and
    - (iii) the specific performance indicators that are proposed to be used to judge the performance of, or guide the implementation of, the development or any management measures;
  - (c) a description of the measures to be implemented to comply with the relevant statutory requirements, limits, or performance measures and criteria;
  - (d) a program to monitor and report on the:
    - (i) impacts and environmental performance of the development;
    - (ii) effectiveness of the management measures set out pursuant to paragraph (c) above;
  - (e) a contingency plan to manage any unpredicted impacts and their consequences and to ensure that ongoing impacts reduce to levels below relevant impact assessment criteria as quickly as possible;
  - (f) a program to investigate and implement ways to improve the environmental performance of the development over time;
  - (g) a protocol for managing and reporting any:
    - (i) incident and any non-compliance (specifically including any exceedance of the impact assessment criteria and performance criteria);



- (ii) complaint;
- (iii) failure to comply with statutory requirements; and
- (h) a protocol for periodic review / update of the plan and any updates in response to incidents or matters of non-compliance.

**Note:** *The Planning Secretary may waive some of these requirements if they are unnecessary or unwarranted for particular management plans*

### **Construction Environmental Management Plan**

- C12. Prior to the commencement of construction, the Applicant must submit a Construction Environmental Management Plan (CEMP) to the satisfaction of Certifier and provide a copy to the Planning Secretary. The CEMP must include, but not be limited to, the following:
- (a) Details of:
    - (i) hours of work;
    - (ii) 24-hour contact details of site manager;
    - (iii) management of dust and odour to protect the amenity of the neighbourhood;
    - (iv) stormwater control and discharge;
    - (v) measures to ensure that sediment and other materials are not tracked onto the roadway by vehicles leaving the site;
    - (vi) external lighting in compliance with AS 4282-2019 Control of the obtrusive effects of outdoor lighting;
    - (vii) an alternate location(s) for the concrete pump station for the Senior School construction site that provide a minimum setback of 10 metres from 15 Margaret Street;
    - (viii) community consultation and complaints handling;
  - (b) Construction Traffic and Pedestrian Management Sub-Plan (see condition C15);
  - (c) Construction Noise and Vibration Management Sub-Plan (see condition C16);
  - (d) Construction Waste Management Sub-Plan (see condition C17);
  - (e) Construction Soil and Water Management Sub-Plan (see condition C18);
  - (f) Include the unexpected finds protocols for contamination and associated communications procedure provided in the EIS;
  - (g) an unexpected finds protocol for Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal heritage and associated communications procedure;
  - (h) waste classification (for materials to be removed) and validation (for materials to remain) be undertaken to confirm the contamination status in these areas of the site; and
- C13. The recommendations contained in the following documents must be incorporated into the CEMP as required by condition C12 and as amended by the conditions of this consent:
- (a) Draft Traffic and Parking Management Plan, Issue 3, dated 26 November 2019, prepared by Ason Group;
  - (b) Construction and Operational Noise Report, version E, dated 13 January 2020 prepared by Wilkinson Murray; and
  - (c) Construction Plan of Management, version 1, dated 6 May 2019, prepared by Gledhill.
- C14. The Applicant must not commence construction of the development until the CEMP is submitted to the Certifier and a copy is submitted to the Planning Secretary.
- C15. A Construction Traffic and Pedestrian Management Sub-Plan (CTPMSP) must be prepared to achieve the objective of ensuring safety and efficiency of the road network and address, but not be limited to, the following:
- (a) be prepared by a suitably qualified and experienced person(s);
  - (b) be prepared in consultation with Council;

- (c) detail the measures that are to be implemented to ensure road safety and network efficiency during construction in consideration of potential impacts on general traffic, cyclists and pedestrians and bus services;
  - (d) detail heavy vehicle routes, access and parking arrangements; and
  - (e) detail arrangements that any work zone required along Vernon Street to facilitate construction on the Junior School is located clear of 2 Vernon Street.
- C16. The Construction Noise and Vibration Management Sub-Plan must address, but not be limited to, the following:
- (a) be prepared by a suitably qualified and experienced noise expert;
  - (b) describe procedures for achieving the noise management levels in EPA's *Interim Construction Noise Guideline* (DECC, 2009);
  - (c) describe the measures to be implemented to manage high noise generating works such as piling, in close proximity to sensitive receivers;
  - (d) include strategies that have been developed with the community for managing high noise generating works;
  - (e) describe the community consultation undertaken to develop the strategies in condition C16(d);
  - (f) include a complaints management system that would be implemented for the duration of the construction; and
  - (g) include a program to monitor and report on the impacts and environmental performance of the development and the effectiveness of the management measures in accordance with Condition C11(d). The program should be developed with reference to the recommendations made in the Construction and Operational Noise Report, version E, dated 13 January 2020, prepared by Wilkinson Murray.
- C17. The Construction Waste Management Sub-Plan (CWMS) must address, but not be limited to, the following:
- (a) detail the quantities of each waste type generated during construction and the proposed reuse, recycling and disposal locations; and
  - (b) removal of hazardous materials, particularly the method of containment and control of emission of fibres to the air, and disposal at an approved waste disposal facility in accordance with the requirements of the relevant legislation, codes, standards and guidelines, prior to the commencement of construction.
- C18. The Applicant must prepare a Construction Soil and Water Management Plan (CSWMS) and the plan must address, but not be limited to the following:
- (a) be prepared by a suitably qualified expert, in consultation with Council;
  - (b) describe all erosion and sediment controls to be implemented during construction in accordance with the publication *Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils & Construction* (4<sup>th</sup> edition, Landcom 2004) commonly referred to as the 'Blue Book';
  - (c) provide a plan of how all construction works will be managed in a wet-weather events (i.e. storage of equipment, stabilisation of the Site) including measures to:
    - (i) divert existing clean surface water around operational areas of the site;
    - (ii) direct all sediment laden water into overland flow away from surrounding properties;
    - (iii) prevent cross-contamination of clean and sediment or leachate laden water;
  - (d) detail all off-Site flows from the Site; and
  - (e) describe the measures that must be implemented to manage stormwater and flood flows for small and large sized events, including, but not limited to 1 in 1-year ARI, 1 in 5-year ARI.
- C19. A Driver Code of Conduct must be prepared and communicated by the Applicant to heavy vehicle drivers and must address the following:

- (a) minimise the impacts of earthworks and construction on the local and regional road network;
- (b) minimise conflicts with other road users;
- (c) minimise road traffic noise; and
- (d) ensure truck drivers use specified routes.

#### **Construction Worker Transportation Strategy**

C20. Prior to the commencement of construction, the Applicant must submit a Construction Worker Transportation Strategy to the Certifier. The Strategy must detail the provision of sufficient parking facilities or other travel arrangements for construction workers in order to minimise demand for parking in nearby public and residential streets or public parking facilities. A copy of the strategy must be submitted to the Planning Secretary for information.

#### **Construction and Demolition Waste Management**

C21. Prior to the commencement of the removal of any waste material from the site, the Applicant must notify the TfNSW(RMS) Traffic Management Centre of the truck route(s) to be followed by trucks transporting waste material from the site.

#### **Compliance Reporting**

C22. No later than two weeks before the date notified for the commencement of construction, a Compliance Monitoring and Reporting Program prepared in accordance with the Compliance Reporting Post Approval Requirements (Department 2018) must be submitted to the Planning Secretary and the Certifier.

C23. Compliance Reports of the project must be carried out in accordance with the Compliance Reporting Post Approval Requirements (Department 2018).

C24. The Applicant must make each Compliance Report publicly available 60 days after submitting it to the Planning Secretary and notify the Planning Secretary and the Certifier in writing at least seven days before this is done.

C25. Notwithstanding the requirements of the Compliance Reporting Post Approval Requirements (Department 2018), the Planning Secretary may approve a request for ongoing annual operational compliance reports to be ceased, where it has been demonstrated to the Planning Secretary's satisfaction that an operational compliance report has demonstrated operational compliance.

## PART D DURING CONSTRUCTION

### Site Notice

- D1. A site notice(s):
- (a) must be prominently displayed at the boundaries of the site during construction for the purposes of informing the public of project details including, but not limited to the details of the Builder, Certifier and Structural Engineer is to satisfy the following requirements;
  - (b) minimum dimensions of the notice must measure 841 mm x 594 mm (A1) with any text on the notice to be a minimum of 30-point type size;
  - (c) the notice is to be durable and weatherproof and is to be displayed throughout the works period;
  - (d) the approved hours of work, the name of the site/ project manager, the responsible managing company (if any), its address and 24-hour contact phone number for any inquiries, including construction/ noise complaint must be displayed on the site notice; and
  - (e) the notice(s) is to be mounted at eye level on the perimeter hoardings/fencing and is to state that unauthorised entry to the site is not permitted.

### Operation of Plant and Equipment

- D2. All construction plant and equipment used on site must be maintained in a proper and efficient condition and operated in a proper and efficient manner.

### Demolition

- D3. Demolition work must comply with the demolition work plans required by *Australian Standard AS 2601-2001 The demolition of structures* (Standards Australia, 2001) and endorsed by a suitably qualified person as required by Condition C9.

### Construction Hours

- D4. Construction, including the delivery of materials to and from the site, may only be carried out between the following hours:
- (a) between 7am and 6pm, Mondays to Fridays inclusive; and
  - (b) between 8am and 1pm, Saturdays.

No work may be carried out on Sundays or public holidays.

- D5. Construction activities may be undertaken outside of the hours in condition D4 if required:
- (a) by the Police or a public authority for the delivery of vehicles, plant or materials; or
  - (b) in an emergency to avoid the loss of life, damage to property or to prevent environmental harm; or
  - (c) where a variation is approved in advance in writing by the Planning Secretary or his nominee if appropriate justification is provided for the works.
- D6. Notification of such construction activities as referenced in Condition D5 must be given to affected residents before undertaking the activities or as soon as is practical afterwards.
- D7. Rock breaking, rock hammering, sheet piling, pile driving and similar activities may only be carried out between the following hours:
- (a) 9am to 12pm, Monday to Friday;
  - (b) 2pm to 5pm Monday to Friday; and
  - (c) 9am to 12pm, Saturday.

### Implementation of Management Plans

- D8. The Applicant must carry out the construction of the development in accordance with the most recent version of the approved CEMP (including Sub-Plans).

### **Construction Traffic**

- D9. All construction vehicles are to be contained wholly within the site, except if located in an approved on-street work zone, and vehicles must enter the site before stopping.

### **Hoarding Requirements**

- D10. The following hoarding requirements must be complied with:
- (a) no third-party advertising is permitted to be displayed on the subject hoarding/ fencing; and
  - (b) the construction site manager must be responsible for the removal of all graffiti from any construction hoardings or the like within the construction area within 48 hours of its application.

### **No Obstruction of Public Way**

- D11. The public way (outside of any approved construction works zone) must not be obstructed by any materials, vehicles, refuse, skips or the like, under any circumstances.

### **Construction Noise Limits**

- D12. The development must be constructed to achieve the construction noise management levels detailed in *the Interim Construction Noise Guideline* (DECC, 2009). All feasible and reasonable noise mitigation measures must be implemented and any activities that could exceed the construction noise management levels must be identified and managed in accordance with the management and mitigation measures identified in the approved Construction Noise and Vibration Management Plan.
- D13. The Applicant must ensure construction vehicles (including concrete agitator trucks) do not arrive at the Senior School or Prep School Campuses outside of the construction hours of work outlined under condition D4.
- D14. The Applicant must implement, where practicable and without compromising the safety of construction staff or members of the public, the use of 'quackers' to ensure noise impacts on surrounding noise sensitive receivers are minimised.

### **Vibration Criteria**

- D15. Vibration caused by construction at any residence or structure outside the site must be limited to:
- (a) for structural damage, the latest version of *DIN 4150-3 (1992-02) Structural vibration - Effects of vibration on structures* (German Institute for Standardisation, 1999); and
  - (b) for human exposure, the acceptable vibration values set out in the *Environmental Noise Management Assessing Vibration: a technical guideline* (DEC, 2006) (as may be updated or replaced from time to time).
- D16. Vibratory compactors must not be used closer than 30 metres from residential buildings unless vibration monitoring confirms compliance with the vibration criteria specified in condition D15.
- D17. The limits in conditions D15 and D16 apply unless otherwise outlined in a Construction Noise and Vibration Management Plan, approved as part of the CEMP required by condition C16 of this consent.

### **Tree Protection**

- D18. For the duration of the construction works:
- (a) street trees must not be trimmed or removed unless it forms a part of this development consent or prior written approval from Council is obtained or is required in an emergency to avoid the loss of life or damage to property;
  - (b) all street trees immediately adjacent to the approved disturbance area must be protected at all times during construction in accordance with Council's tree protection requirements. Any street tree, which is damaged or removed during construction due to an emergency, must be replaced, to the satisfaction of Council;

- (c) all trees on the site that are not approved for removal must be suitably protected during construction as per the recommendations of the Arboricultural Impact Assessment Tree Protection Specification, Meriden School Strathfield, Revision C, dated 13 May 2019, prepared by Tree IQ; and
- (d) if access to the area within any protective barrier is required during the works, it must be carried out under the supervision of a qualified arborist. Alternative tree protection measures must be installed, as required. The removal of tree protection measures, following completion of the works, must be carried out under the supervision of a qualified arborist and must avoid both direct mechanical injury to the structure of the tree and soil compaction within the canopy or the limit of the former protective fencing, whichever is the greater.

### **Air Quality**

D19. The Applicant must take all reasonable steps to minimise dust generated during all works authorised by this consent.

D20. During construction, the Applicant must ensure that:

- (a) exposed surfaces and stockpiles are suppressed by regular watering;
- (b) all trucks entering or leaving the site with loads have their loads covered;
- (c) trucks associated with the development do not track dirt onto the public road network;
- (d) public roads used by these trucks are kept clean; and
- (e) land stabilisation works are carried out progressively on site to minimise exposed surfaces.

### **Erosion and Sediment Control**

D21. All erosion and sediment control measures must be maintained at or above design capacity for the duration of the construction works and until such time as all ground disturbed by the works have been stabilised and rehabilitated so that it no longer acts as a source of sediment. Erosion and sediment control techniques, as a minimum, are to be in accordance with the publication *Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils & Construction* (4<sup>th</sup> edition, Landcom, 2004) commonly referred to as the 'Blue Book'.

### **Imported Soil**

D22. The Applicant must:

- (a) ensure that only VENM, ENM, or other material approved in writing by EPA is brought onto the site;
- (b) keep accurate records of the volume and type of fill to be used; and
- (c) make these records available to the Certifier upon request.

### **Disposal of Seepage and Stormwater**

D23. Adequate provisions must be made to collect and discharge stormwater drainage during construction of the building to the satisfaction of the Certifier. The prior written approval of Council must be obtained to connect or discharge site stormwater to Council's stormwater drainage system or street gutter.

### **Unexpected Finds Protocol – Aboriginal Heritage**

D24. In the event that surface disturbance identifies a new Aboriginal object, all works must halt in the immediate area to prevent any further impacts to the object(s). A suitably qualified archaeologist and the registered Aboriginal representatives must be contacted to determine the significance of the objects. The site is to be registered in the Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System (AHIMS) which is managed by EES Group and the management outcome for the site included in the information provided to AHIMS. The Applicant must consult with the Aboriginal community representatives, the archaeologists and EES Group to develop and implement management strategies for all objects/sites. Works shall only recommence with the written approval of EES Group.

### **Unexpected Finds Protocol – Historic Heritage**

- D25. If any unexpected archaeological relics are uncovered during the work, then all works must cease immediately in that area and the NSW Heritage NSW contacted. Depending on the possible significance of the relics, an archaeological assessment and management strategy may be required before further works can continue in that area. Works may only recommence with the written approval of the NSW Heritage NSW.

### **Waste Storage and Processing**

- D26. All waste generated during construction must be secured and maintained within designated waste storage areas at all times and must not leave the site onto neighbouring public or private properties.
- D27. All waste generated during construction must be assessed, classified and managed in accordance with the Waste Classification Guidelines Part 1: Classifying Waste (EPA, 2014).
- D28. The Applicant must ensure that concrete waste and rinse water are not disposed of on the site and are prevented from entering any natural or artificial watercourse.
- D29. The Applicant must record the quantities of each waste type generated during construction and the proposed reuse, recycling and disposal locations for the duration of construction.
- D30. The Applicant must ensure that the removal of hazardous materials, particularly the method of containment and control of emission of fibres to the air, and disposal at an approved waste disposal facility is in accordance with the Hazardous Building Material Register, dated 24 May 2019, prepared by Douglas Partners, requirements of the relevant legislation, codes, standards and guidelines.

### **Independent Environmental Audit**

- D31. Proposed independent auditors must be agreed to in writing by the Planning Secretary prior to the preparation of an Independent Audit Program or commencement of an Independent Audit.
- D32. Prior to the commencement of construction, an Independent Audit Program prepared in accordance with the Independent Audit Post Approval Requirements (Department 2018) must be submitted to the Planning Secretary and the Certifier.
- D33. Table 1 of the Independent Audit Post Approval Requirements (Department 2018) is amended so that the frequency of audits required in the construction phase is:
- An initial construction Independent Audit must be undertaken within eight weeks of the notified commencement date of construction; and
  - A subsequent Independent Audit of construction must be undertaken no later than six months from the date of the initial construction Independent Audit.

In all other respects Table 1 remains the same. The Planning Secretary may require the initial and subsequent Independent Audits to be undertaken at different times to those specified above, upon giving at least 4 weeks notice to the applicant of the date upon which the audit must be commenced.

- D34. Independent Audits of the development must be carried out in accordance with:
- the Independent Audit Program submitted to the Planning Secretary and the Certifier under condition D32 of this consent; and
  - the requirements for an Independent Audit Methodology and Independent Audit Report in the Independent Audit Post Approval Requirements (Department 2018).
- D35. In accordance with the specific requirements in the Independent Audit Post Approval Requirements (Department 2018), the Applicant must:
- review and respond to each Independent Audit Report prepared under condition D32 of this consent;
  - submit the response to the Planning Secretary and the Certifier; and
  - make each Independent Audit Report and response to it publicly available 60 days after submission to the Planning Secretary and notify the Planning Secretary and the Certifier in writing at least seven days before this is done.

D36. Notwithstanding the requirements of the Independent Audit Post Approval Requirements (Department 2018), the Planning Secretary may approve a request for ongoing annual operational audits to be ceased, where it has been demonstrated to the Planning Secretary's satisfaction that an audit has demonstrated operational compliance.



## **PART E PRIOR TO THE ISSUE OF AN OCCUPATION CERTIFICATE**

### **Notification of Occupation**

- E1. At least one month before commencement of operation, the date of commencement of the operation of the development must be notified to the Planning Secretary in writing. If the operation of the development is to be staged, the Planning Secretary must be notified in writing at least one month before the commencement of each stage, of the date of commencement and the development to be carried out in that stage.

### **External Walls and Cladding**

- E2. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, the Applicant must provide the Certifier with documented evidence that the products and systems used in the construction of external walls including finishes and claddings such as synthetic or aluminium composite panels comply with the requirements of the BCA.
- E3. The Applicant must provide a copy of the documentation given to the Certifier to the Planning Secretary within seven days after the Certifier accepts it.

### **Post-construction Dilapidation Report**

- E4. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, the Applicant must engage a suitably qualified person to prepare a post-construction dilapidation report at the completion of construction. This report is:
- a) to ascertain whether the construction created any structural damage to adjoining buildings or infrastructure;
  - b) to be submitted to the Certifier. In ascertaining whether adverse structural damage has occurred to adjoining buildings or infrastructure, the Certifier must:
    - i) compare the post-construction dilapidation report with the pre-construction dilapidation report required by these conditions; and
    - ii) have written confirmation from the relevant authority that there is no adverse structural damage to their infrastructure and roads.
  - c) to be forwarded to Council.

### **Protection of Public Infrastructure**

- E5. Unless the Applicant and the applicable authority agree otherwise, the Applicant must:
- (a) repair, or pay the full costs associated with repairing, any public infrastructure that is damaged by carrying out the development; and
  - (b) relocate, or pay the full costs associated with relocating any infrastructure that needs to be relocated as a result of the development.

*Note: This condition does not apply to any damage to roads caused as a result of general road usage or otherwise addressed by contributions required by condition C4 of this consent.*

### **Protection of Property**

- E6. Unless the Applicant and the applicable owner agree otherwise, the Applicant must repair, or pay the full costs associated with repairing any property that is damaged by carrying out the development.

### **Utilities and Services**

- E7. Prior to issue of an occupation certificate, the Applicant must obtain a Compliance Certificate for water and sewerage infrastructure servicing of the site under section 73 of the *Sydney Water Act 1994*.

### **Works as Executed Plans**

- E8. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, works-as-executed drawings signed by a registered surveyor demonstrating that the stormwater drainage and finished ground levels have been constructed as approved, must be submitted to the Certifier.

## **Green Travel Plan**

- E9. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, a Green Travel Plan (GTP), must be submitted to the satisfaction of the Planning Secretary to promote the use of active and sustainable transport modes. The plan must:
- (a) be prepared by a suitably qualified traffic consultant in consultation with Council and (Sydney Coordination Office) Transport for NSW;
  - (b) include objectives and modes share targets (i.e. Site and land use specific, measurable and achievable and timeframes for implementation) to define the direction and purpose of the GTP;
  - (c) include specific tools and actions to help achieve the objectives and mode share targets;
  - (d) include measures to promote and support the implementation of the plan, including financial and human resource requirements, roles and responsibilities for relevant employees involved in the implementation of the GTP;
  - (e) include details regarding the methodology and monitoring/review program to measure the effectiveness of the objectives and mode share targets of the GTP, including the frequency of monitoring and the requirement for travel surveys to identify travel behaviours of users of the development;
  - (f) incorporate the strategies and recommendations of the Green Travel Plan, Issue 3, dated 26 November 2019, prepared by Ason Group; and
  - (g) incorporate the strategies and recommendations of the Workplace Travel Plan, Issue 3, dated 26 November 2019, prepared by Ason Group provided in the RtS.

## **Operational Management Plan**

- E10. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, the Applicant must prepare an Operational Management Plan for the site. The plan must:
- (a) include measures to ensure all wayfinding signage, security measures, and landscaping is managed to maintain their effectiveness;
  - (b) include measures to manage the operation and use of the Junior School Playground, Senior School Music and Drama Centre and Prep School Administration and Student Centre; and
  - (c) ensure the use of the Junior School Playground does not result in exceedances of the project noise trigger levels in the report titled Operational Noise Report, version E, dated 13 January 2020 prepared by Wilkinson Murray.
- E11. The Operational Management Plan must be submitted to the Certifier and implemented for the life of the approved development.

## **Operational Transport and Access Management Plan (OTAMP)**

- E12. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, an OTAMP is to be prepared by a suitably qualified person, in consultation with Council, Transport for NSW and TfNSW(RMS), and submitted to the satisfaction of the Planning Secretary. The OTAMP must address the following:
- (a) detailed pedestrian analysis including the identification of safe route options – to identify the need for management measures such as staggered school start and finish times to ensure students and staff are able to access and leave the Site in a safe and efficient manner during school start and finish;
  - (b) the location of all car parking spaces on the school campuses and their allocation (i.e. staff, visitor, accessible, emergency, etc.);
  - (c) the location and operational management procedures of the pick-up and drop-off parking located within Vernon Street, including staff management/traffic controller arrangements;
  - (d) the location and operational management procedures for the pick-up and drop-off of students by buses and coaches for excursions and sporting activities along Vernon Street and Margaret Street, including staff management/traffic controller arrangements;
  - (e) delivery and services vehicle and bus access and management arrangements;

- (f) management of approved access arrangements;
- (g) potential traffic impacts on surrounding road networks and mitigation measures to minimise impacts, including measures to mitigate queuing impacts associated with vehicles accessing pick-up and drop-off parking in Vernon Street;
- (h) arrangements to ensure compliance with the School's policy of restricting students from driving to school;
- (i) car parking arrangements and management associated with the proposed use of school facilities by community members; and
- (j) a monitoring and review program.

### **Mechanical Ventilation**

- E13. Prior to issue of an occupation certificate, the Applicant must provide evidence to the Certifier that the installation and performance of the mechanical ventilation systems complies with:
- (a) *AS 1668.2-2012 The use of air-conditioning in buildings – Mechanical ventilation in buildings* and other relevant codes; and
  - (b) any dispensation granted by Fire and Rescue NSW.

### **Operational Noise – Design of Mechanical Plant and Equipment**

- E14. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, the Applicant must submit evidence to the Certifier that the noise mitigation recommendations in the Operational Noise Report, version E, dated 13 January 2020 prepared by Wilkinson Murray have been incorporated into the design to ensure the development will not exceed the recommended operational noise levels identified in the Environmental Noise Assessment.

### **Road Damage**

- E15. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, the cost of repairing any damage caused to Council or other Public Authority's assets in the vicinity of the Subject Site as a result of construction works associated with the approved development must be met in full by the Applicant.

### **Fire Safety Certification**

- E16. Prior to issue of an occupation certificate, a Fire Safety Certificate must be obtained for all the Essential Fire or Other Safety Measures forming part of this consent. A copy of the Fire Safety Certificate must be submitted to the relevant authority and Council. The Fire Safety Certificate must be prominently displayed in the building.

### **Structural Inspection Certificate**

- E17. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate of the relevant parts of any new or refurbished buildings, a Structural Inspection Certificate or a Compliance Certificate must be submitted to the Certifier. A copy of the Certificate with an electronic set of final drawings (contact approval authority for specific electronic format) must be submitted to the approval authority and the Council after:
- (a) the site has been periodically inspected and the Certifier is satisfied that the structural works is deemed to comply with the final design drawings; and
  - (b) the drawings listed on the Inspection Certificate have been checked with those listed on the final Design Certificate/s.

### **Compliance with Food Code**

- E18. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, the Applicant (where required) is to obtain a certificate from a suitably qualified tradesperson, certifying that the kitchen, food storage and food preparation areas have been fitted in accordance with the *AS 4674 Design, construction and fit-out of food premises* and provide evidence of receipt of the certificate to the Certifier.

### **Rainwater Harvesting**

- E19. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, a signed works-as-executed Rainwater Re-use Plan for the Music and Drama Centre on the Senior School must be provided to the Planning Secretary and Certifier.

## Warm Water Systems and Cooling Systems

E20. The installation of warm water systems and water cooling systems (as defined under the *Public Health Act 2010*) must comply with the *Public Health Act 2010*, Public Health Regulation 2012 and Part 1 (or Part 3 if a Performance-based water cooling system) of *AS/NZS 3666.2:2011 Air handling and water systems of buildings – Microbial control – Operation and maintenance* and the NSW Health Code of Practice for the Control of Legionnaires' Disease.

## Outdoor Lighting

E21. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, the Applicant must submit evidence from a suitably qualified practitioner to the Certifier that demonstrates that installed lighting associated with the development achieves the objective of minimising light spillage to any adjoining or adjacent sensitive receivers and:

- (a) complies with the latest version of AS 4282-2019 - *Control of the obtrusive effects of outdoor lighting* (Standards Australia, 1997); and
- (b) has been mounted, screened and directed in such a manner that it does not create a nuisance to surrounding properties or the public road network.

## Signage

E22. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, 'Do not drink' signage on non-potable water used for toilet flushing and to new hose taps and irrigation systems for landscaped areas must be installed within the site.

## Operational Waste Management Plan

E23. Prior to the commencement of operation, the Applicant must prepare a Waste Management Plan for the development and submit it to the Certifier. The Waste Management Plan must:

- (a) detail the type and quantity of waste to be generated during operation of the development;
- (b) describe the handling, storage and disposal of all waste streams generated on site, consistent with the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997*, *Protection of the Environment Operations (Waste) Regulation 2014* and the *Waste Classification Guideline* (Department of Environment, Climate Change and Water, 2009);
- (c) detail the materials to be reused or recycled, either on or off site;
- (d) include the measures detailed in the Operational Waste Management Plan, dated 7 May 2019, revision D, prepared by Elephants Foot; and
- (e) include the Management and Mitigation Measures included in EIS.

## Site Contamination

E24. Remediation approved as part of this development consent must be carried out in accordance with the:

- (a) Proposed Open Play Space, 4 Vernon Street, Strathfield, dated 3 June 2019, prepared by Douglas Partners; and
- (b) Proposed Administration and Student Centre of Meriden School, prepared by JKEnvironments, dated 25 June 2019.

E25. The Applicant must undertake additional groundwater contamination assessments to address a data gap as indicated by the RAP at condition E24(b). The results of this investigation shall be included in the Validation Report required by condition E26.

E26. The Applicant must prepare a Validation Report for the development. The Validation Report must:

- (a) be prepared by a Certified Contaminated Land Consultant;
- (b) be submitted to the Site Auditor, the Planning Secretary and the Certifier for information within one month after the completion of remediation works; and
- (c) be prepared in accordance with the RAP and the Contaminated Sites: Guidelines for Consultants Reporting on Contaminated Sites (OEH, 2011).

### **Site Audit Statement**

E27. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, the Applicant must submit a Site Audit Report and Section A Site Audit Statement for the relevant part of the site prepared by a NSW EPA accredited Site Auditor. The Site Audit Report and Section A Site Audit Statement must verify the relevant part of the site is suitable for the educational establishment land use and be provided for the information of the Planning Secretary and the Certifier.

### **Landscaping**

E28. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate, the Applicant must submit an Operational Landscape Management Plan to manage the landscaping on-site to the Certifier. The plan must:

- (a) describe the ongoing monitoring and maintenance measures to manage landscaping;  
and
- (b) be consistent with the Applicant's Management and Mitigation Measures within the EIS;

### **Junior School Boundary Fencing**

E29. Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate for works at the Junior School, evidence must be submitted to the Certifier that an acoustic barrier has been constructed at the Junior School adjoining the southern boundary of 2 Vernon Street in accordance the details approved under condition B8.

- (a) Prior to the issue of an occupation certificate for works at the Junior School, evidence must be submitted to the Certifier that the fencing approved under condition B9 has been constructed in accordance with the approved details.

## **PART F POST OCCUPATION**

### **Out of Hours Event Management Plan**

- F1. Prior to the commencement of the first out of hours events (school use) run by the school that involve 80 or more people, the Applicant is to prepare an Out of Hours Event Management Plan (School Use) and submit it to the Council and Planning Secretary in consultation with Council. The plan must include the following:
- (a) the number of attendees, time and duration;
  - (b) arrival and departure times and modes of transport;
  - (c) where relevant, a schedule of all annual events;
  - (d) demonstrate measures to encourage non-vehicular travel to the school and promote and support the use of alternate travel modes (i.e. public transport);
  - (e) details of the use of the Music and Drama Centre on the Senior Campus, where applicable, restricting use before 6:45am and after 10pm;
  - (f) measures to minimise localised traffic and parking impacts; and
  - (g) include measures to minimise noise impacts on any sensitive residential receivers, including the preparation of acoustic management plan. The plan must confirm that no amplified music would be used on the third floor deck area of the Music and Drama Centre on the Senior School.
- F2. The Out of Hours Event Management Plan must be implemented by the Applicant for the duration of the identified events or use.

### **Operation of Plant and Equipment**

- F3. All plant and equipment used on site must be maintained in a proper and efficient condition operated in a proper and efficient manner.

### **Warm Water Systems and Cooling Systems**

- F4. The operation and maintenance of warm water systems and water cooling systems (as defined under the Public Health Act 2010) must comply with the Public Health Act 2010, Public Health Regulation 2012 and Part 2 (or Part 3 if a Performance-based water cooling system) of AS/NZS 3666.2:2011 Air handling and water systems of buildings – Microbial control – Operation and maintenance and the NSW Health Code of Practice for the Control of Legionnaires' Disease.

### **Community Communication Strategy**

- F5. The Community Communication Strategy, as approved by the Planning Secretary, must be implemented for a minimum of 12 months following the completion of construction.

### **Operational Transport and Access Management Plan (OTAMP)**

- F6. The OTAMP(s) approved under condition E12 as revised from time to time) must be implemented by the Applicant for the life of the development.

### **Operational Noise Limits**

- F7. The Applicant must ensure that noise generated by operation of the development does not exceed the noise limits in Construction and Operational Noise Report, version E, dated 13 January 2020 prepared by Wilkinson Murray.
- F8. The Applicant must undertake short term noise monitoring in accordance with the *Noise Policy for Industry* where valid data is collected following the commencement of use of each stage of the development. The monitoring program must be carried out by an appropriately qualified person and a monitoring report must be submitted to the Planning Secretary within two months of commencement use of each stage of the development to verify that operational noise levels do not exceed the recommended noise levels for mechanical plant or the project noise trigger levels for 2 Vernon Street identified in the Construction and Operational Noise Report, version E, dated 13 January 2020 prepared by Wilkinson Murray.
- F9. Should the noise monitoring program identify any exceedance of the recommended noise levels referred to above, the Applicant is required to implement appropriate noise attenuation

measures so that operational noise levels do not exceed the recommended noise levels or provide attenuation measures at the affected noise sensitive receivers.

#### **Unobstructed Driveways and Parking Areas**

F10. All driveways, footways and parking areas must be unobstructed at all times. Driveways, footways and car spaces must not be used for the manufacture, storage or display of goods, materials, refuse, skips or any other equipment and must be used solely for vehicular and/or pedestrian access and for the parking of vehicles associated with the use of the premises.

#### **Green Travel Plan**

F11. The Green Travel Plan required by condition E9 of this consent must be updated annually and implemented unless otherwise agreed by the Planning Secretary.

#### **Ecologically Sustainable Development**

F12. Unless otherwise agreed by the Planning Secretary, within six months of commencement of operation of the proposed Music and Drama Centre at the Senior School and Administration and Student Centre at the Prep School, Green Star certification must be obtained demonstrating the development achieves a minimum 5 star Green Star Design & As Built rating. If required to be obtained, evidence of the certification must be provided to the Certifier and the Planning Secretary. If an alternative certification process has been agreed to by the Planning Secretary under Condition B3, evidence of compliance of implementation must be provided to the Planning Secretary and Certifier.

#### **Outdoor Lighting**

F13. Notwithstanding Condition E21, should outdoor lighting result in any residual impacts on the amenity of surrounding sensitive receivers, the Applicant must provide mitigation measures in consultation with affected landowners to reduce the impacts to an acceptable level.

#### **Landscaping**

F14. The Applicant must maintain the landscaping and vegetation on the site in accordance with the approved Landscape Management Plan required by condition E28 for the duration of occupation of the development.

#### **Rainwater Harvesting**

F15. The Applicant must implement the rainwater re-use plan required by condition E19 for the duration of the development

## APPENDIX 1 ADVISORY NOTES

### General

AN1. All licences, permits, approvals and consents as required by law must be obtained and maintained as required for the development. No condition of this consent removes any obligation to obtain, renew or comply with such licences, permits, approvals and consents.

### Long Service Levy

AN2. For work costing \$25,000 or more, a Long Service Levy must be paid. For further information please contact the Long Service Payments Corporation Helpline on 131 441.

### Legal Notices

AN3. Any advice or notice to the consent authority must be served on the Planning Secretary.

### Access for People with Disabilities

AN4. The works that are the subject of this application must be designed and constructed to provide access and facilities for people with a disability in accordance with the BCA. Prior to the commencement of construction, the Certifier must ensure that evidence of compliance with this condition from an appropriately qualified person is provided and that the requirements are referenced on any certified plans.

### Utilities and Services

AN5. Prior to the construction of any utility works associated with the development, the Applicant must obtain relevant approvals from service providers.

AN6. Prior to the commencement of above ground works written advice must be obtained from the electricity supply authority, an approved telecommunications carrier and an approved gas carrier (where relevant) stating that satisfactory arrangements have been made to ensure provisions of adequate services.

### Road Occupancy Licence

AN7. A Road Occupancy Licence must be obtained from the relevant road authority for any works that impact on traffic flows during construction activities.

### SafeWork Requirements

AN8. To protect the safety of work personnel and the public, the work site must be adequately secured to prevent access by unauthorised personnel, and work must be conducted at all times in accordance with relevant SafeWork requirements.

### Hoarding Requirements

AN9. The Applicant must submit a hoarding application to Council for the installation of any hoardings over Council footways or road reserve.

### Handling of Asbestos

AN10. The Applicant must consult with SafeWork NSW concerning the handling of any asbestos waste that may be encountered during construction. The requirements of the Protection of the Environment Operations (Waste) Regulation 2014 with particular reference to Part 7 – 'Transportation and management of asbestos waste' must also be complied with.

### Fire Safety Certificate

AN11. The owner must submit to Council an Annual Fire Safety Statement, each 12 months after the final Safety Certificate is issued. The certificate must be on, or to the effect of, Council's Fire Safety Statement.



## APPENDIX 2 WRITTEN INCIDENT NOTIFICATION AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

### Written Incident Notification Requirements

1. A written incident notification addressing the requirements set out below must be emailed to the Planning Secretary at the following address: [compliance@planning.nsw.gov.au](mailto:compliance@planning.nsw.gov.au) within seven days after the Applicant becomes aware of an incident. Notification is required to be given under this condition even if the Applicant fails to give the notification required under condition or, having given such notification, subsequently forms the view that an incident has not occurred.
2. Written notification of an incident must:
  - a. identify the development and application number;
  - b. provide details of the incident (date, time, location, a brief description of what occurred and why it is classified as an incident);
  - c. identify how the incident was detected;
  - d. identify when the applicant became aware of the incident;
  - e. identify any actual or potential non-compliance with conditions of consent;
  - f. describe what immediate steps were taken in relation to the incident;
  - g. identify further action(s) that will be taken in relation to the incident; and
  - h. identify a project contact for further communication regarding the incident.
3. Within 30 days of the date on which the incident occurred or as otherwise agreed to by the Planning Secretary, the Applicant must provide the Planning Secretary and any relevant public authorities (as determined by the Planning Secretary) with a detailed report on the incident addressing all requirements below, and such further reports as may be requested.
4. The Incident Report must include:
  - a. a summary of the incident;
  - b. outcomes of an incident investigation, including identification of the cause of the incident;
  - c. details of the corrective and preventative actions that have been, or will be, implemented to address the incident and prevent recurrence; and
  - d. details of any communication with other stakeholders regarding the incident.