## **Concept Plan Refusal**

Section 750 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979

As delegate of the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure under delegation executed on 14 September 2011, we the Planning Assessment Commission of New South Wales (the Commission), determine the concept plan referred to in Schedule 1, by refusing to approve the concept plan pursuant to Section 75O(1) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act* 1979 (the Act) for the reasons outlined in Schedule 2, having considered all relevant matters prescribed under Section 75O(2) of the Act, including those relevant matters prescribed by Section 75I(2) as contained in the Director-General's Assessment Report.

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**SCHEDULE 1** 

**Application No.:** 

10\_0061

2012

**Proponent:** 

Mamre Road Developments Pty Limited

Land:

Lot 1 DP 104958 (No 708) Mamre Road Kemps Creek

Project:

Development and operation of a campus style warehouse and distribution facility and associated

infrastructure, car parking and external road works.

## **SCHEDULE 2**

## **REASONS FOR REFUSAL**

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- 1. The Proponent has failed to demonstrate that the water management strategy would accommodate future demand for the development of the site, and that the water management strategy for the site could be appropriately integrated into future servicing for the area.
- 2. The Proponent has failed to demonstrate that the proposal represents no cost to government in regard to infrastructure requirements or meets all relevant environmental tests, required for sites being rezoned ahead of schedule under the Guide to the Western Sydney Employment Area (August 2009).
- 3. The proposal does not achieve the objects of the Act as it does not represent orderly development as required by Section 5(a)(ii) of the Act in that it seeks an ad-hoc expansion to the WSEA, is out of order with respect to strategic planning, limits adaptive reuse of the subject site, and does not allow for the proper and optimal use of existing services and transport infrastructure.
- 4. The Proponent has provided insufficient justification for the proposal and the need to accelerate the site's use as employment land.
- 5. The Proponent has failed to demonstrate that the site is suitable for the proposed landuse.
- 6. The proposal is not in the public interest.