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Proposed Bus Depot 21 Middleton Road, Cromer Traffic and Parking Assessment

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1.0 Introduction

This report has been prepared for Comfort Delgro Corp. (CDC) to accompany a Development Application to Northern Beaches Council for a proposed Bus Depot in Middleton Road at Cromer (Figure 1).

CDC commenced operations in Australia in 2005 and currently operates in NSW, Victoria and Western Australia with a total fleet of some 3500 buses, coaches, taxis and ambulances. The company purchased the former Forest Coach Lines business in 2018 and this increased its NSW fleet to some 1460 vehicles.

CDC until quite recently operate a charter bus depot on part of the former Roche site in Inman Road at Cromer for 34 buses (see details overleaf); however, that site, apart from being inadequate (cramped and inflexible), is to be redeveloped. As a result, CDC now proposes to acquire part of the nearby large Ausgrid site to provide an upgraded facility that retains the convenient access for buses servicing the central and northern parts of the Northern Beaches Peninsula.

The purpose of this report is to:

- describe the site, its context and the proposed development scheme
- describe the road network serving the site and the existing traffic conditions
- assess the access circumstances for the site
- assess the potential traffic implications
- assess the adequacy of the proposed parking provision
- assess the proposed internal circulation and servicing arrangements





2.0 Proposed Development Scheme

2.1 Site, Context and Existing Circumstances

The development site (Figure 2) comprises the eastern part of the Ausgrid landholding (Lot 6 in DP771621) which occupies an area of 28,330m² on the corner of Middleton Road and Dympa Street in the central part of the Cromer Industrial area.

The proposed elongated generally rectangular shaped site occupies an area of some 6,131m² with a frontage of some 50m to the northern side of Middleton Road just to the east of Thew Parade.

The site is adjoined to the east by the large Northern Beaches Council Depot while warehouses, factories and service industries as well as some industrial unit complexes are spread throughout the Cromer Industrial Area. The former CDC bus depot was located just to the east on part of the former Roche site at 4-10 Inman Road which is to be redeveloped into the Northern Beaches Business Park.

The proposed depot site is relatively level rising slightly to the north and there is a large existing warehouse building occupying the northern part. The southern part of the site is used for open storage and vehicle access is provided by a combined ingress/egress driveway located at the western site boundary. Much of the site comprises 'hardstand' pavement apart from some trees in the southern part.

2.2 Proposed Development

It is proposed to retain the existing building structure converting part for bus driver facilities and the remainder for the parking of buses. There will also be external bus parking areas together with:

- car parking in the southern frontage part of the site
- a bus fuelling element (2 positions)





The proposed depot will provide initially for relocation of the existing 34 buses increasing over time to a maximum of 60 buses (12.5m) with 45 car parking spaces. The buses will principally be for charter services while some future provision is envisaged for route service buses. Buses will commence departing at 6.00am and all will return by 11.00pm being a slight extension to the operating times at the nearby former depot.

The existing vehicle access driveway will be retained while the western boundary will be fenced to provide separation from the remaining Ausgrid property.

Architectural details of the proposed development are provided on the plans which accompany the Development Application and are reproduced in part in Appendix A.

3.0 Road Network and Traffic Conditions

3.1 Road Network

The road network serving the site (Figure 3) comprises a network of collector roads, which connect to the State Road and arterial routes of Pittwater Road to the east and Warringah Road to the south.

Middleton Road is a local access road which, with Inman Road, forms a "crescent" connecting to the South Creek Road collector route. It is relatively straight with a 13.0 metre wide carriageway with a 90° bend where it connects to Inman Road.

3.2 Traffic Controls

The principal traffic controls which have been applied to the road system serving the site (Figure 4a & 4b) comprise:

Arterial Road Connections (traffic signal controls)

- Pittwater Road & Mactier Street
- Pittwater Road & Anzac Avenue
- Pittwater Road & South Creek Road
- Pittwater Road & Lismore Avenue
- Pittwater Road & Fisher Street
- Warringah Road & Alfred Street
- Warringah Road & Willandra Road

Collector Road Connections

- Roundabouts
 - o South Creek Road & Campbell Avenue
 - South Creek Road & Toronto Avenue
 - o Fisher Road & Campbell Avenue
 - o Fisher Road & McIntosh Road
 - Veterans Parade & Mactier Street various







* GIVE WAY Signage

- Middleton Road at South Creek Road
- o Inman Road at South Creek Road

✤ Light Traffic Restrictions

- Alexander Street, Telopea Street to Pittwater Road
- o Alfred Street, McIntosh Road to Carawa Road
- o McIntosh Road, Willandra Road to Fisher Road
- o Willandra Road, Warringah Road to Carawa Road
- Veterans Parade/Nioka Road/The Esplanade/Mactier Street, Edgecliffe Boulevard to Lakeside Road

It is noted that these restrictions are largely in place to preclude the movement of trucks generated by the industrial area through the residential streets. There is no "structural" basis to the restrictions, although there are steep grades on sections of Alexander Street, Mactier Street and Nioka Road. However, there are existing bus routes along all of these light traffic restriction streets except Alexander Street and the latter route.

3.3 Traffic Conditions

An indication of the traffic conditions in the vicinity of the site are provided by data published by TfNSW and surveys undertaken as part of the study. The TfNSW data is expressed in terms of Annual Average Daily Traffic (AADT) and details of the latest published data are provided in the following:

	AADT
Pittwater Road at South Creek Road	43,714
South Creek Road at Pittwater Road	8,356
Campbell Avenue at South Creek Road	10,639

Traffic surveys have been undertaken at the intersections South Creek Road/Middleton Road and South Creek Road/Inman Road during the morning and afternoon peak periods and the results of those surveys which include the bus movements generated by the existing depot are provided in Appendix B and summarised on Figure 5.



The operational performances of the two South Creek Road intersections has been assessed with SIDRA and the results are provided in Appendix C and summarised in the following while the criteria for interpreting SIDRA results is reproduced overleaf.

	Α	Μ	P	М
	LOS	AVD	LOS	AVD
Middleton Road	В	15.8	В	16.2
Inman Road	А	6.4	А	7.4

The results indicate that these intersections operate quite satisfactorily with significant spare capacity.

3.4 Transport Services

The existing bus services operating in the vicinity of the site (see details overleaf) comprise:

- Routes 146 and 179X which operate along South Creek Road/Fisher Road
- Routes 158 which operates along Middleton Road
- Routes 180 and 180x which operate along Campbell Avenue and Parkes Road

3.5 Proposed Road/Traffic Works

Enquiries with TfNSW and Council reveal that there are no proposed or envisaged changes to the current road circumstances or traffic control/management arrangements on the road network serving the site.

Criteria for Interpreting Results of SIDRA Analysis

1. Level of Service (LOS)

LOS	Traffic Signals and Roundabouts	Give Way and Stop Signs									
'A'	Good	Good									
'B'	Good with acceptable delays and spare capacity	Acceptable delays and spare capacity									
'C'	Satisfactory	Satisfactory but accident study required									
'D'	Operating near capacity	Near capacity and Accident Study required									
'E'	At capacity; at signals incidents will cause excessive delays. Roundabouts require other control mode	At capacity and requires other control mode									
'F'	Unsatisfactory and requires additional capacity	Unsatisfactory and requires other control mode									

2. Average Vehicle Delay (AVD)

The AVD provides a measure of the operational performance of an intersection as indicated on the table below, which relates AVD to LOS. The AVD's listed in the table should be taken as a guide only as longer delays could be tolerated in some locations (ie inner city conditions) and on some roads (ie minor side street intersecting with a major arterial route).

Level of Service	Average Delay per Vehicle (secs/veh)	Traffic Signals, Roundabouts	Give Way and Stop Signs
А	Less than 14	Good operation	Good operation
В	15 to 28	Good with acceptable delays and spare capacity	Acceptable delays and spare capacity
С	29 to 42	Satisfactory	Satisfactory but accident study required
D	43 to 56	Operating near capacity	Near capacity and accident study required
E	57 to 70	At capacity; at signals incidents will cause excessive delays. Roundabouts require other control mode	At capacity and requires other control mode

3. Degree of Saturation (DS)

The DS is another measure of the operational performance of individual intersections.

For intersections controlled by **traffic signals**¹ both queue length and delay increase rapidly as DS approaches 1, and it is usual to attempt to keep DS to less than 0.9. Values of DS in the order of 0.7 generally represent satisfactory intersection operation. When DS exceeds 0.9 queues can be anticipated.

For intersections controlled by a **roundabout or GIVE WAY or STOP signs**, satisfactory intersection operation is indicated by a DS of 0.8 or less.

¹ the values of DS for intersections under traffic signal control are only valid for cycle length of 120 secs



4.0 Access Routes and Site Access

Access Routes

The choices and constraints for access routes for buses stationed at the proposed depot are shown on Figure 6 and the steep grades on Mactier Street and Noika Road preclude use by westbound buses while Alexander Street is not available for both directions due to the steep grade and narrow width.

A principal consideration for access is the provision of traffic signal control to access to/from the Pittwater Road arterial route and this is provided at the Mactier Street, Anzac Avenue, South Creek Road, Lismore Avenue and Fisher Road intersections while access on Warringah Road is available at the Alfred Street and Willandra Road intersections. It is apparent that the preferred routes are:

- Inman Road/South Creek Road to access to the north and Dee Why
- Fisher Road/Alfred Street to access to the west and south (avoiding Dee Why Town Centre)

Site Access

The existing wide combined ingress/egress driveway on Middleton Road at the western site boundary will be used for bus, car and other vehicle access (eg fuel delivery). There are excellent sight distances available at this driveway which will be adequate to accommodate all vehicles needing to access the depot.



5.0 Traffic

As the proposed depot will principally provide for charter bus services (as was the case for the former depot), the movements of the buses will continue to be somewhat random and dependent on "bookings" although there will be some regular ongoing bookings (e.g. school outings). The experience with the former depot in Inman Road which accommodated 34 buses is that buses commence departures at 6.00am and continue to leave up until 8.00am while returning buses arrive between 4.30 and 11.00pm.

While there will ultimately be up to 60 buses operating from the depot, it is envisaged that a maximum of 55 buses would depart and return on a busy day as follows:

Morning Depa	rtures	Evening Returns	
6.00 - 6.30	10	4.30 – 5.30	10
6.30 - 7.00	18	5.30 - 6.30	15
7.00 - 7.30	20	6.30 – 7.30	12
7.30 - 8.00	7	7.30 – 8.30	9
		8.30 – 9.30	6
		9.30 – 11.00	3
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Thus, the maximum potential movements during the road network peak periods when the Depot reaches full capacity would be as follows:

7.00 – 8.00am	27 vtph OUT (none after 8.00am)
4.30 – 5.30pm	10 vtph IN

The great majority of buses, as at the present time, will not travel through the South Creek Road/Middleton Road intersection but will use the South Creek Road/Inman Road intersection for access to/from the site.

However, both these intersections operate with a very satisfactory Level of Service A during the AM and PM peak periods at the present time. The buses will access to/from the arterial road system with the assistance of the existing traffic signal controlled intersections (see Figure 6). In addition, the bus drivers will generally commence and finish shifts outside of the normal AM and PM peak periods and a large number of bus departure and return movements will also occur outside of these times.

It is apparent therefore that the proposed new bus depot will not result in adverse traffic implications particularly given that the former depot which only ceased operations in late 2020 did not create any apparent adverse traffic circumstances.

6.0 Parking

It is proposed to provide 45 formal parking spaces for staff (the great majority being bus drivers and as with most bus depots, cars can also be parked in bus bay areas which are not being utilised (i.e. the bays where the last returning buses will park). While there will be provision for a maximum of 60 buses to park on the site, there will never be 60 bus drivers present at one time while drivers will also:

- car pool
- travel by bus (using the routes along Middleton Road and South Creek Road)
- be dropped off and picked up by car
- travel by motorcycle.

It is apparent that the proposed provision of 45 formal parking spaces, including 1 accessible space, will be quite adequate and appropriate.

7.0 Internal Circulation and Servicing

Internal Circulation

The buses will circulate in a one-way clockwise circulate and, as with most urban depots, buses are not assigned to a particular driver or parking space but are stack parked and depart in a progressive manner while the last returning buses will park at the rear. Refuelling will be undertaken for returning buses as part of their ingress movements while buses will be washed on an "as needed" basis.

Details of the turning path assessment for bus access and internal circulation are provided in Appendix D. The design of the car park area complies with the requirements of AS2890.1 & 6 and adopts a flexible 2-way circulation arrangement.

Servicing

Fuel deliveries will be made by tankers during the middle of the day when most buses are out of the depot while it is envisaged that any new buses purchases are likely to be electric powered. Other service/delivery movements will be relatively minor involving refuse removal etc. and these will be accommodated on the large hardstand areas.

8.0 Conclusion

The development proposal is to replace a former bus depot in the Cromer Industrial area. This assessment has concluded that the proposal:

- will not result in any adverse traffic implications
- will provide adequate parking for buses and staff vehicles
- will involve vehicle access, internal circulation and servicing arrangements which will be suitable and appropriate

Appendix A

Development Plans





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GENERAL ARRANGEMENT

















LOT 6 DP 771621, 21 MIDDLETON ROAD CROMER I FUEL BAY
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Appendix **B**

Traffic Survey Results











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7:45	-	8:45	107	6	113	478	18	496			609	115	12	127			51	4	55	182	1210	65	1275		
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16:30	-	17:30	58	2	60	403	10	413			473	159	4	163			87	1	88	251	1257	33	1290		
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7:45 - 8:45		57 2 59 170 14 184 243	609 45 654
8:00 - 9:00		55 3 58 167 15 182 240	618 49 667
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16:00 - 17:00		41 0 41 129 8 137 178	621 29 650
16:15 - 17:15		62 0 62 158 5 163 225	674 20 694
16:30 - 17:30		63 0 63 164 5 169 232	690 16 706
16:45 - 17:45		72 0 72 177 3 180 252	726 11 737
17:00 - 18:00		82 0 82 206 3 209 291	708 7 715
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17:00	-	17:15	53	0	53				10	0	10	63			41	1	42	31	1	32	74	231	2	233
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Pe	riod I	End	235	5	240				110	3	113	353			374	15	389	152	2	154	543	1329	36	1365

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7:30 - 7:45			6	0	6	34	1	35		41	101	7	108
7:45 - 8:00			10	0	10	33	2	35		45	127	6	133
8:00 - 8:15			11	0	11	43	6	49		60	123	9	132
8:15 - 8:30			24	2	26	51	3	54		80	213	16	229
8:30 - 8:45			12	0	12	43	3	46		58	146	14	160
8:45 - 9:00			8	1	9	30	3	33		42	136	10	146
Period End			85	6	91	278	27	305		396	1049	90	1139
16:00 - 16:15			11	0	11	35	3	38		49	178	11	189
16:15 - 16:30			7	0	7	34	2	36		43	134	7	141
16:30 - 16:45			6	0	6	26	3	29		35	124	6	130
16:45 - 17:00			17	0	17	34	0	34		51	185	5	190
17:00 - 17:15			32	0	32	64	0	64		96	231	2	233
17:15 - 17:30			8	0	8	40	2	42		50	150	3	153
17:30 - 17:45			15	0	15	39	1	40		55	160	1	161
17:45 - 18:00			27	0	27	63	0	63		90	167	1	168
Period End			123	0	123	335	11	346		469	1329	36	1365

Appendix C

SIDRA Results



Site: 1 [South Creek Rd & Middleton Road AM PEAK]

South Creek Road and Middleton Road, Cromer Site Category: Bus Depot Giveway / Yield (Two-Way)

Move	ment Pe	erformanc	e - Vel	nicles								
Mov ID	Turn	Demand F Total veh/h	Flows HV %	Deg. Satn v/c	Average Delay sec	Level of Service	95% Back Vehicles veh	of Queue Distance m	Prop. Queued	Effective Stop Rate	Aver. No. Cycles	Average Speed km/h
South:	South C	reek Road										
2	T1	359	5.0	0.379	3.3	LOS A	2.9	21.0	0.54	0.27	0.71	46.3
3	R2	166	5.7	0.379	9.6	LOS A	2.9	21.0	0.54	0.27	0.71	46.3
Approa	ach	525	5.2	0.379	5.3	NA	2.9	21.0	0.54	0.27	0.71	46.3
East: N	Middletor	n Road										
4	L2	149	6.3	0.313	7.8	LOS A	1.3	9.8	0.60	0.84	0.72	43.7
6	R2	51	6.3	0.313	15.8	LOS B	1.3	9.8	0.60	0.84	0.72	43.2
Approa	ach	200	6.3	0.313	9.8	LOS A	1.3	9.8	0.60	0.84	0.72	43.6
North:	South C	reek Road										
7	L2	133	4.8	0.316	4.6	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.11	0.00	48.7
8	T1	514	3.9	0.316	0.0	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.11	0.00	49.3
Approa	ach	646	4.1	0.316	1.0	NA	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.11	0.00	49.1
All Veh	nicles	1372	4.8	0.379	3.9	NA	2.9	21.0	0.29	0.28	0.38	47.1

Site Level of Service (LOS) Method: Delay (RTA NSW). Site LOS Method is specified in the Parameter Settings dialog (Site tab). Vehicle movement LOS values are based on average delay per movement.

Minor Road Approach LOS values are based on average delay for all vehicle movements.

NA: Intersection LOS and Major Road Approach LOS values are Not Applicable for two-way sign control since the average delay is not a good LOS measure due to zero delays associated with major road movements.

SIDRA Standard Delay Model is used. Control Delay includes Geometric Delay.

Gap-Acceptance Capacity: SIDRA Standard (Akçelik M3D).

HV (%) values are calculated for All Movement Classes of All Heavy Vehicle Model Designation.

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Site: 1 [South Creek Rd & Middleton Road PM PEAK]

South Creek Road and Middleton Road, Cromer Site Category: Bus Depot Giveway / Yield (Two-Way)

Move	lovement Performance - Vehicles													
Mov ID	Turn	Demand F Total veh/h	Flows HV %	Deg. Satn v/c	Average Delay sec	Level of Service	95% Back Vehicles veh	of Queue Distance m	Prop. Queued	Effective Stop Rate	Aver. No. Cycles	Average Speed km/h		
South:	South C	reek Road												
2	T1	492	1.9	0.355	1.3	LOS A	1.9	13.3	0.33	0.13	0.39	48.1		
3	R2	121	4.3	0.355	7.9	LOS A	1.9	13.3	0.33	0.13	0.39	47.9		
Approa	ach	613	2.4	0.355	2.6	NA	1.9	13.3	0.33	0.13	0.39	48.1		
East: N	Viddleton	Road												
4	L2	174	1.8	0.425	7.9	LOS A	2.1	14.9	0.61	0.88	0.86	43.2		
6	R2	94	2.2	0.425	16.2	LOS B	2.1	14.9	0.61	0.88	0.86	42.7		
Approa	ach	267	2.0	0.425	10.8	LOS A	2.1	14.9	0.61	0.88	0.86	43.0		
North:	South C	reek Road												
7	L2	65	3.2	0.243	4.6	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.07	0.00	48.9		
8	T1	441	1.9	0.243	0.0	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.07	0.00	49.5		
Approa	ach	506	2.1	0.243	0.6	NA	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.07	0.00	49.5		
All Veh	nicles	1386	2.2	0.425	3.5	NA	2.1	14.9	0.26	0.26	0.34	47.4		

Site Level of Service (LOS) Method: Delay (RTA NSW). Site LOS Method is specified in the Parameter Settings dialog (Site tab). Vehicle movement LOS values are based on average delay per movement.

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V Site: 2 [South Creek Rd & Inman Road AM PEAK]

South Creek Road and Inman Road, Cromer Site Category: Bus Depot Giveway / Yield (Two-Way)

Move	ovement Performance - Vehicles													
Mov ID	Turn	Demand F Total veh/h	Flows HV %	Deg. Satn v/c	Average Delay sec	Level of Service	95% Back Vehicles veh	of Queue Distance m	Prop. Queued	Effective Stop Rate	Aver. No. Cycles	Average Speed km/h		
East: \$	South Cre	eek Road												
2	T1	214	6.4	0.182	0.6	LOS A	0.8	5.8	0.28	0.17	0.28	38.9		
3	R2	101	8.3	0.182	4.6	LOS A	0.8	5.8	0.28	0.17	0.28	39.0		
Appro	ach	315	7.0	0.182	1.9	NA	0.8	5.8	0.28	0.17	0.28	39.0		
North:	Inman R	oad												
4	L2	83	8.9	0.135	4.2	LOS A	0.5	3.8	0.34	0.55	0.34	37.8		
6	R2	52	6.1	0.135	6.4	LOS A	0.5	3.8	0.34	0.55	0.34	38.0		
Appro	ach	135	7.8	0.135	5.0	LOS A	0.5	3.8	0.34	0.55	0.34	37.9		
West:	South Cr	eek Road												
7	L2	61	5.2	0.126	3.4	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.11	0.00	39.8		
8	T1	192	8.2	0.126	0.0	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.11	0.00	39.6		
Appro	ach	253	7.5	0.126	0.8	NA	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.11	0.00	39.6		
All Vel	nicles	702	7.3	0.182	2.1	NA	0.8	5.8	0.19	0.22	0.19	39.0		

Site Level of Service (LOS) Method: Delay (RTA NSW). Site LOS Method is specified in the Parameter Settings dialog (Site tab). Vehicle movement LOS values are based on average delay per movement.

Minor Road Approach LOS values are based on average delay for all vehicle movements.

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SIDRA Standard Delay Model is used. Control Delay includes Geometric Delay.

Gap-Acceptance Capacity: SIDRA Standard (Akçelik M3D).

HV (%) values are calculated for All Movement Classes of All Heavy Vehicle Model Designation.

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Site: 2 [South Creek Rd & Inman Road PM PEAK]

South Creek Road and Inman Road, Cromer Site Category: Bus Depot Giveway / Yield (Two-Way)

Move	ovement Performance - Vehicles													
Mov ID	Turn	Demand F Total veh/h	lows HV %	Deg. Satn v/c	Average Delay sec	Level of Service	95% Back Vehicles veh	of Queue Distance m	Prop. Queued	Effective Stop Rate	Aver. No. Cycles	Average Speed km/h		
East: S	South Cre	ek Road												
2	T1	217	2.4	0.174	0.5	LOS A	0.7	5.1	0.26	0.17	0.26	48.2		
3	R2	95	2.2	0.174	5.6	LOS A	0.7	5.1	0.26	0.17	0.26	47.6		
Approa	ach	312	2.4	0.174	2.1	NA	0.7	5.1	0.26	0.17	0.26	48.0		
North:	Inman Ro	oad												
4	L2	135	0.0	0.182	5.2	LOS A	0.7	5.1	0.33	0.59	0.33	45.3		
6	R2	64	1.6	0.182	7.4	LOS A	0.7	5.1	0.33	0.59	0.33	45.8		
Approa	ach	199	0.5	0.182	5.9	LOS A	0.7	5.1	0.33	0.59	0.33	45.5		
West:	South Cre	eek Road												
7	L2	76	0.0	0.128	4.6	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.16	0.00	48.6		
8	T1	189	1.7	0.128	0.0	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.16	0.00	49.0		
Approa	ach	265	1.2	0.128	1.3	NA	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.16	0.00	48.9		
All Veh	nicles	776	1.5	0.182	2.8	NA	0.7	5.1	0.19	0.27	0.19	47.6		

Site Level of Service (LOS) Method: Delay (RTA NSW). Site LOS Method is specified in the Parameter Settings dialog (Site tab). Vehicle movement LOS values are based on average delay per movement.

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Appendix D

Swept Path Analysis





modelling computer software AutoTrack V5.00a in conjunction with AutoCAD 2013. The vehicle used is based upon vehicle data provided by Austroads and incorporates a reasonable degree of tolerance. However, it is not possible to account for all vehicle types/characteristics and/or driver ability.

SWEPT PATH ANALYSIS OF A 12.5m BUSES ACCESSING THE SITE

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