

# Thermal Comfort Assessment

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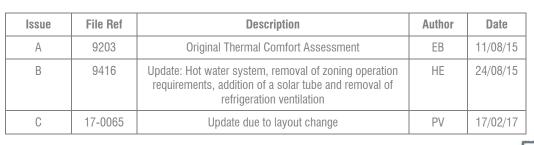
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**RSL Life Care** 

Development application for:

Unit 4 Cutler Village,

Narrabeen, NSW 2101



This report has been prepared by Efficient Living Pty Ltd on behalf of our client TSA Management. Efficient Living prepares all reports in accordance with the BASIX Thermal Comfort Protocol and is backed by professional indemnity insurance. This report takes into account our client's instructions and preferred building inclusions.



Certificate number: 0001247758-01 Certificate Date: 17 Feb 2017 ★ Star rating: 4.7





#### Assessor details

Accreditation

number: VIC/BDAV/12/1473

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Organisation: Efficient Living

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Declaration None

of interest:

Software: BERS Pro v4.3.0.2 (3.13)

AAO: BDAV

## Overview

## **Dwelling details**

Street: Cutler Village
Suburb: Narrabeen

State: NSW Postcode: 2101
Type: New Dwelling NCC Class: 1A

NatHERS climate zone: 56

Lot/DP number: 2641/752038 Exposure: Suburban

#### Key construction and insulation materials

(see following pages for details)

Construction: Brick Veneer

**Roof Tiles** 

Concrete Slab on Ground

Insulation: R2.0 wall insulation

R3.5 ceiling insulation No floor insulation

Glazing: ALM-002-01 A Aluminium B SG Clear

## Net floor area (m²)

Conditioned: 102 Unconditioned: 31 Garage: 19 TOTAL: 133

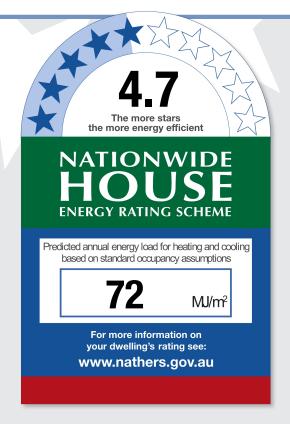
# Annual thermal performance loads (MJ/m²)

Heating: 44
Cooling: 27
TOTAL: 72

#### Plan documents

Plan ref/date: 2007.14

Prepared by: Humel Architects



#### **Ceiling penetrations**

(see following pages for details)

Sealed: 34 Unsealed: 0 TOTAL:\*\* 34 \*\*NOTE: This total is the maximum number of ceiling penetrations allowed to a ceiling (under a roof) for this certificate. If this number is exceded in construction then this certificate IS NOT VALID and a new certificate is required. Loss of ceiling insulation for the penetrations listed has been taken into account with the rating.

Principle downlight type: LED

# Window selection - default windows only

Note on allowable window values: Only a 5% tolerance to the nominated SHGC window values shown on page 2 can be used with this rating.

Note: Only a +/- 5% SHGC tolerance is allowed with this rating.

NB: This tolerance ONLY applies to SHGC, the U-value can always be lower but not higher than the values stated on page 2.

If any of windows selected are outside the 5% tolerance then this certificate is no longer valid and the dwelling will need to be rerated to confirm compliance.

Scan to access this certificate online and confirm this is valid.



<sup>\*</sup> Nationwide House Energy Rating Scheme (NatHERS) is an initiative of the Australian, state and territory governments. For more details see www.nathers.gov.au

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# Building features

Window type and performance value						
Window ID	Window type				U-value	SHGC
ALM-002-01 A	ALM-002-01 A A	Aluminium B SG	Clear		6.70	0.70
Window schedule						
Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade
Garage	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	1050	1210	Е	No Shading
study	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	1690	1810	N	No Shading
study	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	1500	1210	E	No Shading
Sleeping 1	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	2000	1810	Е	No Shading
Sleeping 1	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	570	1810	S	No Shading

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Sleeping 1	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	570	1810	S	No Shading
ens	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	1000	730	S	No Shading
Ldry	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	1000	970	S	No Shading
Sleeping 2	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	570	1810	W	No Shading
Sleeping 2	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	1000	1810	S	No Shading
Bathroom	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	1100	730	W	No Shading
Kitchen/Living	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	2400	4500	N	No Shading
Kitchen/Living	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	2200	1505	Е	No Shading
Kitchen/Living	ALM-002-01 A	n/a	470	4500	N	No Shading

Roof window and skylight type and performance value								
ID	Window type				U-value	SHGC		
GEN-04-008a	Double-glazed clear, Timber and Aluminium Frame 0.00					0.00		
Roof window and skylight schedule								
Location	ID	Roof window/skylight no.	Area (m²)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade/diffuser		
Kitchen/Living	GEN-04-008a	1	1.3	W	None	No		
Kitchen/Living	GEN-04-008a	2	0.8	N	None	No		

<b>External</b> wal	ll type					
ID	Wall type		Insulation		Wa	all wrap or foil
EW-1	Brick Veneer		No insulation		No	)
EW-2	Brick Veneer		Bulk Insulation R2		No	)
External wal	II schedule					
Location	ID	Width (mm)	Height (mm)	Orientation	Fixed Shade	Eaves (mm)
Garage	EW-1	3200	2400	N	No	700
Garage	EW-1	3750	2400	Е	No	700
Garage	EW-1	6095	2400	W	No	700
study	EW-2	3095	2695	N	No	700
study	EW-2	2945	2695	Е	No	5650
Sleeping 1	EW-2	4395	2695	Е	No	700
Sleeping 1	EW-2	4245	900	S	No	0
Sleeping 1	EW-2	4245	1795	S	No	700

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ens	EW-2	2190	1000	S	No	0
ens	EW-2	2190	1695	S	No	700
Ldry	EW-2	1895	1200	S	No	0
Ldry	EW-2	1895	1495	S	No	700
Ldry	EW-2	350	1200	W	No	0
Ldry	EW-2	350	1495	W	No	4200
Sleeping 2	EW-2	3895	600	W	No	0
Sleeping 2	EW-2	3895	2095	W	No	700
Sleeping 2	EW-2	3495	1200	S	No	0
Sleeping 2	EW-2	3495	1495	S	No	700
Bathroom	EW-2	2290	2695	W	No	700
Kitchen/Living	EW-2	4950	2695	N	No	4150
Kitchen/Living	EW-2	4595	2695	Е	No	700
Kitchen/Living	EW-2	3045	2695	W	No	700
Kitchen/Living	EW-2	600	2695	N	No	6800

Internal wall type			
Wall type	Area (m²)	Insulation	Wall wrap or foil
IW-1 - Cavity wall, direct fix plasterboard, single gap	104	No insulation	No

Floors					
Location	Construction	Area (m²)	Sub floor ventilation	Added insulation	Covering
Garage	Concrete Slab on Ground	19.3	None	No Insulation	Bare
study	Concrete Slab on Ground	8.9	None	No Insulation	Carpet 10mm
Sleeping 1	Concrete Slab on Ground	18.3	None	No Insulation	Carpet 10mm
ens	Concrete Slab on Ground	4.1	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Ldry	Concrete Slab on Ground	3.9	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Sleeping 2	Concrete Slab on Ground	13.3	None	No Insulation	Carpet 10mm
WIR	Concrete Slab on Ground	4.9	None	No Insulation	Carpet 10mm
Bathroom	Concrete Slab on Ground	7.4	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Kitchen/Living	Concrete Slab on Ground	52.5	None	No Insulation	60/40 Carpet 10mm/Ceramic

Ceiling type						
Location	Construction	Added insulation	Roof space above			
Garage	Plasterboard	No insulation	Yes			
study	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R3.5	Yes			
Sleeping 1	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R3.5	Yes			

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# **Building features continued**

ens	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation Yes R3.5
Ldry	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation Yes R3.5
Sleeping 2	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation Yes R3.5
WIR	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation Yes R3.5
Bathroom	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation Yes R3.5
Kitchen/Living	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation No R3.5

Ceiling penetrations	Cei	ling	pene	tratio	ons
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Location	Number	Type	Diameter (mm)	Sealed/unsealed
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study	3	Downlights - LED	150	Sealed
ens	2	Downlights - LED	150	Sealed
ens	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed
Ldry	1	Downlights - LED	150	Sealed
Ldry	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed
Bathroom	3	Downlights - LED	150	Sealed
Bathroom	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed
Kitchen/Living	21	Downlights - LED	150	Sealed
Kitchen/Living	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed

# **Ceiling fans**

Location	Number	Diameter (mm)	
None Present			

# **Roof type**

Construction	Added Roof colour insulation		
Roof Tiles	No Insulation, Dark Only an Air Gap		



Additional information	

# **Explanatory notes**

#### **About this report**

Residential energy ratings address the quality of the building fabric i.e. walls, windows, floors and roof/ceilings. Ratings do not cover the energy or water efficiency of appliances including heating and cooling, hot water, dishwashers, ovens, fridges, TVs etc. or solar panel or water tank requirements. The efficiency or specification of these items is generally covered by other regulations, standards or guidelines.

#### **General Information**

A NatHERS House Energy Rating is a comprehensive, dynamic computer modelling evaluation of the floorplans, elevations and specifications to predict an energy load of a home. Not all of us use our homes in the same way, so ratings are generated using standard assumptions. This means homes can be compared across the country.

The actual energy consumption of your home may vary significantly from the predicted energy load figures in the report depending on issues such as the size of your household and your personal preferences, e.g. in terms of heating or cooling.

While the figures are an indicative guide to energy use, they can be used as a reliable guide for comparative purposes between different house designs and for demonstrating that the design meets the required regulatory compliance.

Homes that are energy efficient use less energy, are warmer in winter, cooler in summer and cost less to run. The higher the star rating the more energy efficient.

This NatHERS House Energy Rating report was carefully prepared by your assessor on the basis of comprehensive modelling using standard procedures to rate your home using the underlying engine developed by the Australian Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO).

All information relating to energy loads presented in this report is based on a range of standard assumptions in order to allow for comparisons with reports prepared for other homes and to demonstrate minimum regulatory compliance.

The standard assumptions include figures for occupancy, indoor air temperature and are based on a unique climate file for your region.

#### **Accredited Assessors**

To ensure you get a high-quality, professional NatHERS House Energy Rating report, you should always use an accredited assessor, accredited assessors are members of a professional body called an Assessor Accrediting Organisation (AAO).

AAOs have specific quality assurance processes in place and continuing professional development requirements to maintain a high and consistent standard of assessments across the country. Non-accredited assessors do not have this level of quality assurance or any on-going training requirements.

If you have any questions or concerns about this report, please direct them to your assessor in the first instance.

If your assessor is unable to address your questions or concerns, please contact their AAO listed under 'assessor details'. You can also find a range of information about accredited assessors on the AAO websites.

#### **Disclaimer**

The energy values quoted are for comparison purposes only; they are not a prediction of actual energy use. This rating only applies to the floor plan, construction details, orientation and climate as submitted and included in the attached drawing set that bears a stamp with the same number as this certificate. Changes to any of these details could affect the rating.

#### **Contact**

For more information on the Nationwide House Energy Rating Scheme (NatHERS), visit www.nathers.gov.au For more information on energy efficient design and insulation visit www.yourhome.gov.au

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# Single Dwelling

Certificate number: 641647S 04

This certificate confirms that the proposed development will meet the NSW government's requirements for sustainability, if it is built in accordance with the commitments set out below. Terms used in this certificate, or in the commitments, have the meaning given by the document entitled "BASIX Definitions" dated 18/09/2014 published by the Department. This document is available at www.basix.nsw.gov.au

This certificate is a revision of certificate number 641647S\_02 lodged with the consent authority or certifier on 24 August 2015 with application DA2008/0802.

It is the responsibility of the applicant to verify with the consent authority that the original, or any revised certificate, complies with the requirements of Schedule 1 Clause 2A, 4A or 6A of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000

Secretary

BASIX

Date of issue: Friday, 17 February 2017

To be valid, this certificate must be lodged within 3 months of the date of issue.



Project summary			
Project name	Unit 4, Cutler Village, Narrabeen_04		
Street address	4 Cutler Circuit Narrabeen 2101		
Local Government Area	Warringah Council		
Plan type and plan number	deposited 752038		
Lot no.	2641		
Section no.	-		
Project type	separate dwelling house		
No. of bedrooms	2		
Project score			
Water	✓ 41 Target 40		
Thermal Comfort	✓ Pass Target Pass		
Energy	✓ 41 Target 40		

Certificate	Prepared by

Name / Company Name: Efficient Living

ABN (if applicable): 82116346082

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# **Description of project**

Project address	
Project name	Unit 4, Cutler Village, Narrabeen_04
Street address	4 Cutler Circuit Narrabeen 2101
Local Government Area	Warringah Council
Plan type and plan number	Deposited Plan 752038
Lot no.	2641
Section no.	-
Project type	
Project type	separate dwelling house
No. of bedrooms	2
Site details	
Site area (m²)	400
Roof area (m²)	195
Conditioned floor area (m2)	102.0
Unconditioned floor area (m2)	12.0
Total area of garden and lawn (m2)	28

Assessor details and thermal lo	ads
Assessor number	BDAV/12/1473
Certificate number	0001247758
Climate zone	56
Area adjusted cooling load (MJ/m².year)	27
Area adjusted heating load (MJ/m².year)	44
Other	
none	n/a
Project score	
Water	✓ 41 Target 40
Thermal Comfort	✓ Pass Target Pass
Energy	✓ 41 Target 40

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# **Schedule of BASIX commitments**

The commitments set out below regulate how the proposed development is to be carried out. It is a condition of any development consent granted, or complying development certificate issued, for the proposed development, that BASIX commitments be complied with.

Water Commitments	Show on DA plans	Show on CC/CDC plans & specs	Certifier check
Fixtures			
The applicant must install showerheads with a minimum rating of 3 star (> 7.5 but <= 9 L/min) in all showers in the development.		~	V
The applicant must install a toilet flushing system with a minimum rating of 3 star in each toilet in the development.		V	V
The applicant must install taps with a minimum rating of 3 star in the kitchen in the development.		<b>~</b>	
The applicant must install basin taps with a minimum rating of 3 star in each bathroom in the development.		V	
Alternative water			
Rainwater tank			
The applicant must install a rainwater tank of at least 2000 litres on the site. This rainwater tank must meet, and be installed in accordance with, the requirements of all applicable regulatory authorities.	-	<b>~</b>	V
The applicant must configure the rainwater tank to collect rain runoff from at least 100 square metres of the roof area of the development (excluding the area of the roof which drains to any stormwater tank or private dam).		V	V
The applicant must connect the rainwater tank to:			
all toilets in the development		<b>✓</b>	~
<ul> <li>at least one outdoor tap in the development (Note: NSW Health does not recommend that rainwater be used for human consumption in areas with potable water supply.)</li> </ul>		<b>~</b>	~

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Thermal Comfort Commitments	Show on DA plans	Show on CC/CDC plans & specs	Certifier check
Simulation Method			
The applicant must attach the certificate referred to under "Assessor Details" on the front page of this BASIX certificate (the "Assessor Certificate") to the development application and construction certificate application for the proposed development (or, if the applicant is applying for a complying development certificate for the proposed development, to that application). The applicant must also attach the Assessor Certificate to the application for an occupation certificate for the proposed development.			
The Assessor Certificate must have been issued by an Accredited Assessor in accordance with the Thermal Comfort Protocol.			
The details of the proposed development on the Assessor Certificate must be consistent with the details shown in this BASIX certificate, including the Cooling and Heating loads shown on the front page of this certificate.			
The applicant must show on the plans accompanying the development application for the proposed development, all matters which the Assessor Certificate requires to be shown on those plans. Those plans must bear a stamp of endorsement from the Accredited Assessor to certify that this is the case. The applicant must show on the plans accompanying the application for a construction certificate (or complying development certificate, if applicable), all thermal performance specifications set out in the Assessor Certificate, and all aspects of the proposed development which were used to calculate those specifications.			
The applicant must construct the development in accordance with all thermal performance specifications set out in the Assessor Certificate, and in accordance with those aspects of the development application or application for a complying development certificate which were used to calculate those specifications.		~	~
The applicant must construct the floors and walls of the dwelling in accordance with the specifications listed in the table below.	V	~	V

Floor and wall construction	Area
floor - concrete slab on ground	All or part of floor area square metres

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Energy Commitments	Show on DA plans	Show on CC/CDC plans & specs	Certifier check
Hot water			
The applicant must install the following hot water system in the development, or a system with a higher energy rating: solar (electric boosted) with a performance of 26 to 30 RECs or better.	~	~	V
Cooling system			
The applicant must install the following cooling system, or a system with a higher energy rating, in at least 1 living area: 1-phase airconditioning; Energy rating: EER 2.5 - 3.0		<b>→</b>	V
The applicant must install the following cooling system, or a system with a higher energy rating, in at least 1 bedroom: 1-phase airconditioning; Energy rating: EER 2.5 - 3.0		~	V
Heating system			
The applicant must install the following heating system, or a system with a higher energy rating, in at least 1 living area: 1-phase airconditioning; Energy rating: EER 3.0 - 3.5		•	~
The applicant must install the following heating system, or a system with a higher energy rating, in at least 1 bedroom: 1-phase airconditioning; Energy rating: EER 3.0 - 3.5		~	V
Ventilation			
The applicant must install the following exhaust systems in the development:			
At least 1 Bathroom: individual fan, ducted to façade or roof; Operation control: manual switch on/off		<b>~</b>	V
Kitchen: individual fan, ducted to façade or roof; Operation control: manual switch on/off		<b>~</b>	•
Laundry: natural ventilation only, or no laundry; Operation control: n/a		<b>→</b>	V
Artificial lighting			
The applicant must ensure that the "primary type of artificial lighting" is fluorescent or light emitting diode (LED) lighting in each of the following rooms, and where the word "dedicated" appears, the fittings for those lights must only be capable of accepting fluorescent or light emitting diode (LED) lamps:			
• at least 3 of the bedrooms / study;		<b>~</b>	V
• at least 2 of the living / dining rooms;		<b>~</b>	V
• the kitchen;			

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Energy Commitments	Show on DA plans	Show on CC/CDC plans & specs	Certifier check
all bathrooms/toilets;		~	V
• the laundry;		<b>✓</b>	V
• all hallways;		•	-
Natural lighting			
The applicant must install a window and/or skylight in the kitchen of the dwelling for natural lighting.	~	•	V
The applicant must install a window and/or skylight in 2 bathroom(s)/toilet(s) in the development for natural lighting.	-	<b>~</b>	V
Other			
The applicant must install a fixed indoor or sheltered clothes drying line as part of the development.		~	

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## Legend

In these commitments, "applicant" means the person carrying out the development.

Commitments identified with a in the "Show on DA plans" column must be shown on the plans accompanying the development application for the proposed development (if a development application is to be lodged for the proposed development).

Commitments identified with a in the "Show on CC/CDC plans and specs" column must be shown in the plans and specifications accompanying the application for a construction certificate / complying development certificate for the proposed development.

Commitments identified with a in the "Certifier check" column must be certified by a certifying authority as having been fulfilled, before a final occupation certificate(either interim or final) for the development may be issued.

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