

Building Assessment Referral Response

Application Number:	DA2022/0646
Proposed Development:	Demolition works and construction of a residential flat building
Date:	06/06/2023
To:	Alex Keller
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 5 DP 16941 , 124 Queenscliff Road QUEENSCLIFF NSW 2096 Lot 6 DP 16941 , 122 Queenscliff Road QUEENSCLIFF NSW 2096

Reasons for referral

This application seeks consent for Class 2-9 Buildings (i.e. all buildings except a dwelling, garage, shed, gazebo or swimming pool/spa) which include:

- Alterations and Additions; or
- Change of Use

And as such, Councils Building Assessment officers are required to consider the likely impacts.

Officer comments

Amended Plans - 4/5/2023

The amended application has been investigated with respect to aspects relevant the Building Certification and Fire Safety Department. There are no objections to approval of the development subject to inclusion of the attached conditions of approval and consideration of the notes below.

Note: The proposed development may not comply with some requirements of the BCA and the Premises Standards. Issues such as this however may be determined at Construction Certificate Stage.

The application has been investigated with respects to aspects relevant to the Building Certification and Fire Safety Department. There are no objections to approval of the development subject to inclusion of the attached conditions of approval and consideration of the notes below.

Note: The proposed access lift located at the pedestrian entrance for the purposes of complying with Access for Persons with a Disability is considered undesirable and should be reviewed with the view to providing a ramp.

Note: The proposed development may not comply with some requirements of the BCA and the Premises Standards. Issues such as this however may be determined at Construction Certificate Stage.

The proposal is therefore supported.

Note: Should you have any concerns with the referral comments above, please discuss these with the Responsible Officer.

Recommended Building Assessment Conditions

CONDITIONS TO BE SATISFIED PRIOR TO THE ISSUE OF THE CONSTRUCTION CERTIFICATE

Building Code of Australia Fire Safety Requirements

The Building Code of Australia fire safety requirements for the building as detailed and recommended in the BCA 2019 Compliance Report prepared by Building Regulation Services dated 17/3/2022, Report No.BCA220119, issue B are to be considered including any Performance Engineered Solutions as part of the assessment of the Construction Certificate. Details demonstrating compliance are to be provided to the Certifying Authority, prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate..

Reason: To ensure adequate provision is made for Health, Amenity, access and Fire safety for building occupant health and safety.

Access and Facilities for Persons with Disabilities

Access and facilities to and within the building are to be provided for Persons with a Disability in accordance with the Building Code of Australia and AS1428. In this regard the recommendations proposed in the Access Report prepared by Access – I, dated 21/3/2022, Ref. 22016 are to be considered as part of the Construction Certificate assessment. Details are to be provided to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate and be implemented prior to occupation of the building.

Reason: To ensure adequate provision is made for access to and within the building for Persons with a disability.

CONDITIONS WHICH MUST BE COMPLIED WITH PRIOR TO THE ISSUE OF THE OCCUPATION CERTIFICATE

Fire Safety Matters

At the completion of all works, a Fire Safety Certificate will need to be prepared which references all the Essential Fire Safety Measures applicable and the relative standards of Performance (as per Schedule of Fire Safety Measures). This certificate must be prominently displayed in the building and copies must be sent to Council and the NSW Fire Brigade.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Interim / Final Occupation Certificate.

Each year the Owners must send to the Council and the NSW Fire Brigade an annual Fire Safety Statement which confirms that all the Essential Fire Safety Measures continue to perform to the original design standard.

Reason: Statutory requirement under Part 9 Division 4 & 5 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000.

