STATEMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS

SECTION 4.55 (1A) MODIFICATION TO AN APPROVED DA DA 2021/0060

PROPOSED ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO AN EXISTING RESIDENCE AT

10 TAMINGA STREET, BAYVIEW NSW 2104

LOT 10 DP 27133

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1) Introduction

This Statement of Environmental Effects for modification accompanies documents prepared by JJ Drafting Australia P/L, job number 815/20, modified date August 2023 to detail proposed alterations and additions to an existing residence at 10 Taminga Street, Bayview NSW 2104.

This Statement describes the subject site and the surrounding area, together with the relevant planning controls and policies relating to the site and the type of development proposed. As a result of this assessment it is concluded that the development of the site in the manner proposed is acceptable and is worthy of support by Council.

In preparation of this document, consideration has been given to the following:

- # The Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 as amended
- # The Environmental Planning and Assessment regulation 2000
- # State Environmental Planning Policy (Building Sustainability Index: BASIX) 2004
- # Pittwater Local Environmental Plan 2014
- # Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan 2014

2) Proposed Modifications

Description

As detailed within the accompanying plans, the proposal seeks approval for modifications to the approved DA for additions and alterations to an existing double storey dwelling. It provides compliance with the Pittwater Local Environmental Plan 2014 and Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan 2014. The proposed modifications are as follows:

Upper Floor Plan

- Study room deleted and bathroom relocated to allow more space to guest bedroom and family room.
- One window deleted from the south side wall.

Entry Level Plan

- Approved existing opening which is to be bricked up to kitchen east wall to be provided with a new splashback window, width to match existing opening.
- 2 new windows provided in the walk in pantry east wall.
- Walk in robe in bed 1 to be relocated along the garage wall.
- Ensuite to be extended
- Window to ensuite west facing made wider.

Lower Level Plan

- Door to bed 3 relocated
- Separate toilet to be removed and bathroom made bigger.

Basement Level Plan

Retaining wall provided to supporting to existing structure as per engineering requirements

New timber steps provided as shown on plans

4) Zoning & Development Controls

4.1 Pittwater Local Environmental Plan 2014

The site is zoned E4 Environmental Living under the provisions of the Pittwater LEP 2014. The proposed modifications to the approved alterations and additions are permissible with the consent of council.

4.2) State Environmental Planning Policy (Building Sustainable Index: BASIX) 2004

The proposal will require an amended BASIX certificate with this application

4.3 Height of Building (LEP 4.3) – NO CHANGES

The maximum building height control ------8.5m. Although a maximum building height of 10.0m is allowable if:

- (a) the consent authority is satisfied that the portion of the building above the maximum height shown for that land on the Height of Buildings Map is minor, and
- (b) the objectives of this clause are achieved, and
- (c) the building footprint is situated on a slope that is in excess of 16.7 degrees (that is, 30%), and
- (d) the buildings are sited and designed to take into account the slope of the land to minimise the need for cut and fill by designs that allow the building to step down the slope.

Only a small portion of the building contravenes the 8.5m building height, and only a small portion contravenes the 10m building height limit. It is requested that this slight non compliance be supported due to the topography of the land and the siting of the existing dwelling. Currently there is very little of an outdoor living area. This will be discussed in clause 4.6

The building is situated on a slope that is greater than 16.7 deg – The proposed addition has been designed to follow the topography of the site. There will no need for cut and fill.

The proposed building height varies between 5.8m -10m. Only a small portion of the new roof over the new extended balcony contravenes the 10m building height control, it varies between 10.2m – 11.5m

<u>PART 7</u>

7.1 – Acid Sulphate soils – NO CHANGES

The site is identified as being within Class 5 Acid Sulphate Soils Area. The proposed modifications will not see any substantial excavations of the site, and it is therefore not anticipated that the acid sulphate soils will not be encountered.

7.2 – Earthworks – NO CHANGES

The proposed modifications will not require any additional excavations of the site.

7.6 Biodiversity Protection – NO CHANGES

There will be no effect upon the biodiversity of the site in terms of flora and fauna due to the modifications. No trees or vegetation will be removed due to the proposed modifications . There will be no adverse effect on the habitat elements due to the proposed modifications. The development has been designed and sited to avoid any adverse environmental effect.

4.4) Development Standards and the Effects of the Proposal

Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan

The proposed modifications responds to the characteristics of the site and the qualities of the surrounding neighbourhood in a sympathetic and positive manner.

B6.3 Internal Driveways (B6.2) and Off-Street Parking – NO CHANGES

The proposed works will provide for a double garage.

All parking facilities have been designed to comply with AS 2890

C1.3 - View Sharing – NO CHANGES

The proposed Modifications will not negatively affect adjoining dwellings

C1.4 - Solar Access - NO CHANGES

No loss of daylight to habitable rooms in adjacent dwellings will be experienced as a consequence of this proposal.

Adjoining properties will continue to receive a min. of 3hours of natural solar access.

C1.5 - Visual Privacy- NO CHANGES

The proposed modifications will not negatively affect adjoining dwellings.

A4.4 Church Point and Bayview Locality

Desired future character

It is proposed modifications are consistent with the desired future character, the streetscape and the surrounding properties.

The proposed development respects the scale and form of other new and existing developments in the vicinity and therefore compliments the locality.

No vegetation will be removed due to the proposed modifications.

The proposed modifications will be surrounded by existing canopy trees. The visual impact of the built form is secondary to landscaping and vegetation. The proposed modifications will not dominate the streetscape a it follows the steep topography of the site. The setbacks are compatible with the existing surrounding developments.

The proposed modifications will not have any significant or adverse impact on the neighbouring properties.

D4.1 – Character as viewed from a public place

The proposed modifications will not affect the character as view from a public place. The proposed modifications will not remove any significant vegetation.

D4.2 – Scenic Protection – General – NO CHANGES

There will be no changes to the visual views from waterways. The proposed modifications will not be visually seen from the waterways. Existing vegetation has remained on the site. A bushland landscape is the predominate feature of the site.

D4.3– Building colours and materials – NO CHANGES

The proposal will match the existing dwelling in mid tone colours

D4.5 – Front Building line – NO CHANGES

The front setback control is a minimum of 6.5 m Front setback to the proposed new deck addition will be – 12.629m COMPLIES

D4.6 – Side and rear building line – NO CHANGES

The side setback control is a minimum of 2.5 m to one side and 1.0 m for the other.

Existing side setbacks

East side setback varies between885mm – 888mm – no change
West side setback to the ground floor level – to carport is1.456m – no change
West side setback to lower ground floor level -to terrace1.456m – no change

Proposed Addition

ENTRY LEVEL East side setback to balcony – 2.2m East side setback to pantry – 2.083m – to match existing carport setback West side setback to garage varies between – 1.456m – 1.461m to match existing

<u>NEW UPPER LEVEL</u> East side setback to balcony – 900mm East side setback to Family - – 2.085m West side setback –----- 3.751m

LOWER LEVEL

East side setback to balcony ------ 2.2m West side setback to patio addition varies between - 1.456m - 1.461m to match existing West side setback to addition varies between ------ 2.559m - 3.316m

SUB FLOOR LEVEL

West side setback to addition varies between - 1.456m - 1.461m to match existing

It is difficult to adhere the side setback control due to pre- existing structures. West side setback to garage varies between -1.456m - 1.461m to match existing

Is requested that the slight non compliance be supported as it will not affect adjoining properties in view loss or shadow loss.

D4.8m - Building envelope - NO CHANGES

The control for this parcel of land is to maintain a building envelope that rises 3.5 m from the side boundary and projects at an angle of 45 deg.

West Side

- New upper level addition (Red) only a very small portion contravenes the side building envelope
- Ground floor addition (green and red) -The addition contravenes the side building envelope with greatest being 3.6m to a compliance.
- Lower ground floor addition (blue) slight non compliance a small triangular area with a max. height of 900mm.

East side

- New upper level addition (Red) only a small portion contravenes the side building envelope
- Ground floor (green and red) -This is an existing wall with a new roof to replace an existing roof.
- New deck will slightly contravene the side building envelope

Due to the existing topography of the site which is very steep and pre existing building structures it is difficult to strickly adhere to the side building envelope, It is therefore requested that this non-compliance be supported as it will not affect adjoining properties in solar loss or privacy loss or view loss. It also provides a much needed covered outdoor recreational area that can be utilised throughout the year.

The existing dwelling is quite small in area and the proposed additinos will provide for additinoal bedrooms and living areas that can be used better. The proposed additions have been designed so that there is no excavation.

There will be no detrimental impact upon adjoining dwellings.

4.10 Landscaped Area – Environmentally sensitive land – NO CHANGES

The control for this parcel of land is a minimum of 60% landscaped area. <u>Site area is 689.31sqm</u> Minimum Landscape are requirement -----60% ------413.59sqm Existing Landscape area ------62.85%------433.25sqm New landscaping area ------60.83% -------419.32sqm - COMPLIES Existing hard surface area -----256.07sqm Hard surface to remain -----283.75sqm

There will be an increase in the hard surface area by 27.68sqm, no on-site detention will be required

5) Matters For Consideration Under Section 79c Of The Environmental Planning And Assessment Act, 1979

5.1 The provisions of any environmental planning instrument

The proposed modifications are subject to the provisions of the Pittwater Development Control Plan 21 and the relevant supporting Council Local plan. It is considered that the provisions of this environmental planning instrument have been satisfactorily addressed within this report and that the proposed modifications achieves majority of the compliance with its provisions. There are no other environmental planning instruments applying to the site.

5.2 Any draft environmental planning instrument that is or has been placed on public exhibition and details of which have been notified to the consent authority

It is not considered that there are any draft environmental planning instruments applying to the site.

5.3 Any development control plan

The development has been designed to comply with the requirements of the Church Point & Bayview locality and the general principles of Development Control 21.

It is considered that the proposed modifications respects the aims and objectives of the DCP, alternative solution to compliance as the proposal effectively responds to the site constraints.

It is considered that the proposed modification design respects the desired character objectives of the PDCP 2014 and PLEP 2014 in that it reinforces the existing and new residential character of the area and is compatible with the existing uses in the vicinity.

5.4 Any matter prescribed by the regulations that apply to the land to which the development relates

No matters of relevance area raised regarding the proposed development.

5.5 The likely impacts of that development, including environmental impacts on both the natural and built environments, and the social and economic impacts in the locality.

It is considered that the proposed modifications to the approved DA, will not unreasonably impact upon the amenity of adjoining properties or upon the character of the surrounding area. It is considered that the resultant development is compatible with and will complement the character of the area.

The proposed modifications are well designed having regard to the relevant provisions of the Pittwater Development Control Plan 21

5.6 The suitability of the site for the development

The subject land is zone E4 Environmental Living under the Pittwater Local Environmental Plan 2014

and the proposed development is permissible as category 1 and 10 development. The site is considered suitable for the proposed development.

5.7 Submissions made in accordance with this Act or the regulations

This is a matter for Council in the consideration of the proposed modifications.

5.8 The public interest

The proposed Modifications will not impact upon the environment, the character of the locality or upon the amenity of adjoining properties and is therefore considered to be within the public interest.

6) Conclusion

The proposed modifications will not have any detrimental impact on the adjoining properties or the locality. The proposal is in keeping with Council's aims and objectives for this locality. There will be no effect on local fauna and flora.

In scale, form and finishes, the proposed modifications will have a positive effect on the lifestyle of its inhabitants and the visual amenity of its neighbours.

As the proposed modifications will not have any significant impact on the environment, scenic quality of the area or the amenity of the adjoining allotments, the issue of Development Consent under the delegation of Council is requested.