

Building Assessment Referral Response

Application Number:	DA2020/0067
To:	Thomas Burns
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 26 DP 211307 , 37 Heather Street WHEELER HEIGHTS NSW 2097

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

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 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

Fire Safety Upgrade and Sound Transmission requirements

Details demonstrating compliance with all Sound Transmission requirements to be provided between occupancies, and the Fire preventative construction to separate occupancies (including upgrading measures and works required to the existing building) are to be submitted to the Principal Certifier prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate

Reason: To ensure adequate provision is made for fire safety and sound transmission minimisation for health/amenity, and building occupant safety prior to use or occupation

Fire Separation - External Walls

The external walls of the proposed secondary dwelling where less than 900mm from an allotment boundary or less than 1.8m from another building on the same allotment other than an associated Class 10 building or a detached part of the same Class 1 building shall have a FRL 60/60/60. Any openings within these walls are to be protected in accordance with Part 3.7 of the Building Code of Australia –‘Fire Safety’.

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 fire safety and for building occupant safety

Laundry Facilities (Class 1)

The layout of the bathroom/laundry area is to be designed/modified to incorporate clothes washing facilities, comprising of at least one washtub and space in the same room for a washing machine in accordance with Part 3.8.3 of the Building Code of Australia –‘Facilities’.

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 building occupant health and amenity