

# **Building Assessment Referral Response**

Application Number:	DA2023/0021
Proposed Development:	Alterations and additions to an existing building and use of premises as a business premises (sports therapy and recovery services) including internal fit-out and signage
Date:	15/02/2023
То:	Jordan Howard
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 2 SP 67886 , 29 Belgrave Street MANLY NSW 2095 Lot 1 SP 67886 , 29 Belgrave Street MANLY NSW 2095

## 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 concerns with the application subject to inclusion of the attached conditions of approval and consideration of the notes below.

<u>Note:</u> 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

## National Construction Code (BCA) 2019

A 'Building Code of Australia (BCA) Assessment Report' / 'Fire Audit Report' from an appropriately qualified Registered Certifier\* will need to be submitted with the Construction Certificate application



addressing the following:

The report is to detail the extent to which the existing building (relevant affected parts) does or does not comply with the deemed-to satisfy provisions of Sections C, D, E and F of the Building Code of Australia. The report is to also provide recommendations with respect to the existing building / works required to ensure that the specified measures and facilities contained in the existing building, including any modifications to be made by the proposed development are appropriate for its intended use to:

i) restrict the spread of fire from the building to other buildings nearby, and

ii) protect persons using the building, and to facilitate their egress from the building in the event of fire, and

- iii) where appropriate, provide access for persons with a disability, and
- iv) provide facilities and services appropriate for the development

\*To be regarded as an "appropriately qualified registered certifier" the certifier must hold the relevant level of accreditation that would enable the certifier to issue a construction certificate for the subject building.

The 'Building Code of Australia (BCA) Assessment Report' / 'Fire Audit Report' is to be submitted to the Certifying Authority with the Construction Certificate application.

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

## 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 Principal Certifier prior to the issue of an 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 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2021.