

12 April 2013

Our Ref: 103118

The General Manager Pittwater Council PO Box 882 Mona Vale NSW 1650

Dear Sir,

Re: 156 Whale Beach Road, Whale Beach

**Occupation Certificate** 

Please find attached a copy of our Occupation Certificate and relevant documentation in respect of the subject premises.

In accordance with the requirements of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act a copy of all relevant information will be forwarded by us to Council within two (2) days of the date of determination.

We are pleased to have assisted in this matter and should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Anthony Protas

Yours faithfully

**Anthony Protas Consulting Pty Ltd** 

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Other relevant paperwork



### **Occupation Certificate**

1. Details of the applicant Susan Rothwell Architects Mr 🔲 Ms 🛛 Mrs 🔲 Dr 🔲 Other First name Family name Rothwell Susan Flat/street no. Street name Serpentine Road 38 Suburb or town State Postcode NSW 2065 Greenwich Daytime telephone Fax Mobile 2. Details of the building Flat/Street no. Street name Whale Beach Road 156 Postcode Suburb or town 2107 Whale Beach Description of the building or part of the building Alterations & additions to existing dwelling plus pool Section Lot no. В DP/MPS no. Volume/folio 355059 Development application or complying development certificate no. 385/09 3. Decision of the certifying authority Type of certificate issued: an interim occupation certificate  $\boxtimes$ a final occupation certificate 12 April 2013 Date of this decision Information attached to this decision

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The final fire safety certificate or an interim fire safety certificate (as relevant)

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## Final occupation certificate

Anthony Protas			certifies that:						
a current development of	a current development consent has been granted for the development								
_	a current complying development certificate has been issued for the development								
	a current construction certificate has been issued with respect to the plans and specifications for								
	the building is suitable for occupation or use in accordance with its classification under								
the Building Code of Aus	stralia as a class	1a & 10b	building						
a final fire safety certification	a final fire safety certificate has been issued for the building								
a final report from the Co	a final report from the Commissioner of Fire Brigades has been considered.								
Occupation certificate no. OC 3118/10									
Date of the certificate									
12 April 2013									
Signature For this certificate to be valid, Signature	it must be signed by th	e certifying authority.							
Name		<del></del>							
Anthony Protas									
Flat/Street no.	Street name								
Locked Bag 1001									
Suburb or town		State	Postcode						
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Telephone		Fax							
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If the certifier is an accredited	certifier:								
Accreditation body of the ce	rtifier	Accredita	Accreditation no. of the certifier						
<b>Building Professio</b>	nals Board	BPB0	BPB0332						

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#### INSPECTION REGISTER

Anthony Protas Accreditation Number BPB0332 (Building Professionals Board)

DA No.

385/09

CC No. 3118/10

Address: 156 Whale Beach Rd, Whole Beach

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Ref: SY090580

25 March 2013

**Anthony Protas** Locked Bag 1001 WAREEMBA NSW 2046

Attn: Mr Anthony Protas

Dear Anthony,

Re: 156 Whale Beach Road, Whale Beach **Final Engineering Certification** 

This is to certify that structural inspections were carried out during construction of this project by a practicing Structural Engineer in accordance with accepted engineering practice and principles.

At the time of each inspection, the work inspected generally conformed, in our opinion with the engineering drawings. Where minor corrections were required, written instructions were issued to the Builder for their correction.

Elements covered by this certificate include:

- Footings, foundations and retaining walls
- Concrete slabs on ground
- Suspended concrete columns, slabs, beams and stairs
- Timber wall, floor and roof framing
- Steel floor, wall and roof framing
- Drainage and stormwater management system

This certificate does not relieve the Builder or any other party of their responsibilities for the project.

Yours faithfully,

**ACOR Consultants Pty Ltd** 

Chris Rowse BE, MIEAust, CPEng Director

**CC PWG Constructions** 

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21st March 2013

PWG Constructions 62 Edgecliffe Blvd, Collaroy Plateau NSW 2097

Dear Paul,

#### RE: 156 Whale Beach Rd, Whale Beach

This letter is to verify that 4 x 240V smoke detectors with battery backup have been installed over 3 levels of the above mentioned premises and complies with current electrical rules as per the Building Code of Australia and AS3786 - 1993 (Smoke Alarms).

Installation and wiring of same are to approved wiring rules complying with S.A.A. Wiring Standards Australia (C399).

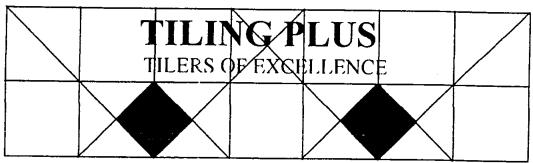
Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me on 0418 442 457.

Yours Sincerely, GOOD DAY ELECTRICAL SERVICE

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Opus Tesserae pty t/as Tiling Plus
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# Tiling and Waterproofing Guarantee

To Pwg Construction Re 156 whale beach road Palm Beach

Tiling Plus Will guarantee the workmanship of the waterproofing and tiling in the bathrooms and balconys which has been done to AS 3958.1-1991 and AS 3740-1994 for a period of 7 years.

The above works were carried out at the above address on 22/1/13

Yours Faithfully

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Kevin Bilbie

#### GEOTECHNICAL RISK MANAGEMENT POLICY FOR PITTWATER FORM NO. 3 – Post Construction Geotechnical Certificate to be submitted with Occupation Certificate or **Subdivision Certificate**

	Development Application for Mr & Mrs Rothery C/- Susan Rothwell architects Pty Ltd Name of Applicant							
	Addres	s of site	156 Wh	ale Beach Road	Whale Beach, NSW			
Declaration	on made	by geotechni	cal engine	er on completion	of the Developmen	t		
I, Daniel E (Insert I	Bliss Name)	on behalf of	JK Geoteca (Trading o	<i>hnics</i> r Company Name	<del>)</del>			
on this the 12 April 2013 certify that I am a Geotechnical Engineer, Engineering Geologist and/or Coastal Engineer as defined by the Geotechnical Risk Management Policy for Pittwater - 2009. I am authorised by the above organisation/company to issue this document and to certify that the organisation/company has a current professional indemnity policy of at least \$2million. I prepared and/or verified the Geotechnical Report as per Form 1 dated 16 September 2009 referred to below.								
Geotechi	nical Rep	ort Details:						
	ort Title:	Geotechnica	Assessme	nt of Section 96 D	evelopment, 156 Wha	ns at 156 Whale Bea ale Beach Road, Wh Report Ref No:		
Repo	ort Date:	16 Septe niel Bliss	mber 2009	and 28 Novembe	r 2012	Report Ret No.	22300EBIP( BIIG 22300	, CBS/CI
			sation: Jei	ffery and Kataus	kas Pty Ltd and JK	Geotechnics		
We/I reviewed the original structural design, and where applicable the subsequently amended structural details (below listed) which have been incorporated into the completed project.  We/I have inspected and/or are/am satisfied that the foundation materials, upon which the structural elements (as detailed in the original and amended structural documents) of the development have been erected, comply with the requirements specified in the Geotechnical Report and the Construction Certificate approved Structural Plans, to the extent as detailed in JK Geotechnics letter dated 12 April 2013 (Ref: 22900LB3/et2)								
We/l have inspected the site during construction and to the best of my/our knowledge, we are/l am satisfied that the development advised to us as detailed within our reports, which we understand is referred to in the development consent D.A dated								
has been constructed in accordance with the intent of the Geotechnical Report, the requirements of the conditions of Development Consent and the Construction Certificate approved Structural Plans relating to the geotechnical issues (including any treatment and/or maintenance plan that may be required to remove risk where reasonable and practical), to the extent as detailed in JK Geotechnics letter dated 12 April 2013 (Ref. 22900LB3let2).								
We are/I am aware that Pittwater Council require this certificate prior to issuing an occupancy certificate for the development identified above and will rely on this certificate in regard to the development having achieved the "Acceptable Risk Management" criterion defined in the Policy and that reasonable and practical measures have been taken to remove foreseeable risk as indicated in the Report.								
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106/D, da Structura	-4-4 0-4-1	ber 2012. s by Acor Cor					01/G, 102/J, 103/K, 104/6 S3.00, S3.05, S4.00 and	
Ongoing maintenance as listed in JK Geotechnics letter dated 12 April 2013 (Ref: 22900LB3let2)								
					DB			
			Signature					

This form must be read in conjunction with JK Geotechnics letter dated 12 April 2013 (Ref: 22900LBelet2)

Chartered Professional Status

Membership No. Company

MIEAust; CPEng

JK Geotechncis

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12 April 2013 Ref No 22900LB3let2

Mr & Mrs Rothery C/- Susan Rothwell Architects Pty Ltd 6 Goodchap Street SURRY HILLS NSW 2010

ATTENTION: Mr Alan Kempster

Dear Sir

# GEOTECHNICAL INSPECTIONS PROPOSED ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS 156 WHALE BEACH ROAD, WHALE BEACH, NSW

JK Geotechnics GEOTECHNICAL & ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERS

PO Box 976, North Ryde BC NSW 1670 115 Wicks Rd, Macquarie Park NSW 2113 Tel: 02 9888 5000 Fax: 02 9888 5001 www.jkgeotechnics.com.au

Jeffery and Katauskas Pty Ltd (now trading as JK Geotechnics) completed a geotechnical assessment for proposed alterations and additions to the above site as detailed in our report dated 16 September 2009 (ref: 22900LBrpt). Following that report the first stage of the development involved the construction of a new swimming pool to the north-east of the house, with geotechnical inspections carried out during those works. The structural drawings for the project were reviewed and Form 2 issued as detailed in our letter report dated 26 July 2010 (Ref: 22900LB1let).

Following construction of the swimming pool the nature of the proposed alterations and additions to the existing house were revised and the revised architectural drawings were reviewed and a site visit made as detailed in our letter dated 28 November 2012 (Ref: 22900LB3let). No revised structural drawings for the proposed house were provided to us.

#### **Geotechnical Inspections**

During construction of the swimming pool to the north-east of the house the following items were inspected by ourselves:

- Excavation faces within the sandstone.
- Footing excavations for the pool and for the new columns to support the extension of the terraces on the north-eastern side of the house.

Footing excavations for the retaining walls next to the pool, subsoil drainage behind the retaining walls or the backfill material behind the retaining walls were not inspected by ourselves. Similarly, we have not been supplied with any records of compaction testing of the backfill behind the retaining walls.

A site inspection was carried out on 11 April 2013 at the end of construction to assess if there were any outstanding geotechnical issues that limited the issue of Pittwater Council Form 3. The following issues were identified that had not been inspected by ourselves during construction:

• New landscaping retaining walls constructed to the north-west of the house, comprising a sandstone block wall and a timber sleeper wall. These walls were a maximum of about 0.85m high. These walls are not shown on the latest architectural drawings provided to us (drawing by Susan Rothwell Architects Pty Ltd, Job No. SRWB(2), Drawing Nos 100/E, 101/G, 102/J, 103/K, 104/F, 105/G and 106/D, dated October 2012) or on the structural drawings by



Acor Consultants provided to us and no geotechnical inspections of the footings for these walls the subsoil drainage or the backfill were commissioned.

- The free standing masonry wall between the western corner of the house and the northwestern boundary had been constructed and no geotechnical inspection of the footing excavations was carried out by ourselves. The site foreman, Mr Daniel O'Neill of PWG Constructions, advised that the wall is supported on a footing founded within the sandstone.
- The subgrade preparation works below the new on-grade extended terrace on the northeastern side of the house was not inspected by ourselves.
- An unsupported excavation on the south-eastern boundary of the site. This cut face was near vertical and was about 1m to 1.4m high. The cut face extended for a length of about 5m. The cut had exposed soils for about the top 0.5m and then banded sandstone ranging from extremely low strength to low strength with some clay bands. It appeared that the excavation had been carried out to accommodate new air conditioning units attached to the house. Either side of this vertical cut was the steep batter covered with wire as previously identified during our geotechnical risk assessment report. Mr O'Neill advised that it is proposed to construct a new retaining wall along the south-eastern boundary to support the vertical cut and the steep batter either side and these works are planned to be carried out in the next few weeks.
- We have not been supplied with any records of testing of the existing stormwater, sewer and water pipes.

#### **Geotechnical Assessment and Council Form 3**

Based on our inspections and our recent site visit on 11 April 2013 there are several items that were not inspected during construction at the site. The footings for the major additional structure of the swimming pool were inspected, but some low height landscaped retaining walls were constructed without geotechnical inspections and a vertical unsupported excavation is still present along the south-eastern boundary.

As the main intent of the completion of Pittwater Council Form 3 is that the site meets "Acceptable Risk Management" we have assessed the risk of the hazards of the works not inspected by ourselves, namely the landscaping retaining walls constructed without inspection and the cut on the south-eastern boundary. We consider that the geotechnical risk to both property and life for these hazards would be "acceptable" in accordance with Pittwater Council's policy. Therefore, attached is our completed Pittwater Council Form 3.

Even with the completion of Form 3, the proposed retaining wall along the south-eastern boundary should still be constructed as soon as possible to support the vertical cut face.

The completed Form 3 dose not relieve the builder of their responsibility to produce the completed development in accordance with the relevant design drawings, construction codes, the geotechnical assessment, etc. We cannot be held responsible for the work of the builder nor items where geotechnical inspections were not organised at the appropriate time. In preparing our assessment we have assumed that construction has been carried out in accordance with the structural drawings and normal construction standards. In addition, we have assumed that the existing stormwater, sewer and water pipes are in good working order and no leaks are present.

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#### **Ongoing Maintenance**

As detailed within our previous geotechnical assessment report, the current and future owners of the property should be aware of the following ongoing site maintenance responsibilities in relation to geotechnical aspects:

- All surface (including roof) and subsurface drains must be subject to ongoing and regular maintenance by the property owners.
- No cut or fill in excess of 0.5m (e.g. for landscaping, buried pipes, retaining walls, etc.) is to be carried out without prior written consent from Pittwater Council.
- The design life for the structural elements is to be nominated by the structural engineer and where the design life is less than 100 years, structural inspections must be carried out at the end of the design life and a report provided detailing any remedial measures required to extend the design life over the remainder of the 100 year period.

Should you require any further information regarding the above, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours faithfully For and on behalf of JK GEOTECHNICS

Daniel Bliss Senior Associate

Encl: Pittwater Council Form 3

# Planning For Bushfire Protection Pty Ltd



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Reference: 771 4/04/2013

#### Subject:

Bushfire Mitigation: Certification of materials, methods of construction and asset protection zone requirements for the development of alterations and additions at No 156 Whale Beach Road, Whale Beach in accordance with the conditions of consent imposed by Pittwater Council

#### Reference:

Address: No 156 Whale Beach Road, Whale Beach

Development Application No: NO385/09

NSW Rural Fire Service advice: Reference DA09100163675 SF

Development Application No: NO385/09, consent condition No B5, requires that the development of alterations and additions at No 156 Whale Beach Road, Whale Beach shall be constructed in accordance with NSW Rural Fire Service recommendations and advice: Reference DA09100163675 SF.

I have inspected the recently completed development and I have read and understand condition of consent imposed by Pittwater Council and the NSW Rural Fire Service recommendations and advice: Reference DA09100163675 SF.

This is to certify that the development has been constructed in accordance with these conditions and the landscaping of the entire site, where not built on, conforms to the design criteria for the Inner Protection Area requirements of Planning for Bushfire Protection 2006.

Ron Coffey - Bushfire Safety Engineer

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Grad Cert Fire Safety Engineer [UWS - 2003]

Grad Dip Building in Bushfire Prone Areas [UWS - 2005]
Ass Prof Cert in Expert Evidence in the Land & Environment Court

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