# **IDAS form 1**—Application details

(Sustainable Planning Act 2009 version 4.3 effective 5 December 2016)

This form must be used for **ALL** development applications.

You **MUST** complete **ALL** questions that are stated to be a mandatory requirement unless otherwise identified on this form.

For all development applications, you must:

- complete this form (IDAS form 1—Application details)
- complete any other forms relevant to your application
- provide any mandatory supporting information identified on the forms as being required to accompany your application.

Attach extra pages if there is insufficient space on this form.

All terms used on this form have the meaning given in the *Sustainable Planning Act* 2009 (SPA) or the Sustainable Planning Regulation 2009.

This form and any other IDAS form relevant to your application must be used for development applications relating to strategic port land and Brisbane core port land under the *Transport Infrastructure Act 1994* and airport land under the *Airport Assets (Restructuring and Disposal) Act 2008*. Whenever a planning scheme is mentioned, take it to mean land use plan for the strategic port land, Brisbane core port land or airport land.

PLEASE NOTE: This form is not required to accompany requests for compliance assessment.

#### **Mandatory requirements**

**Applicant details** (Note: the applicant is the person responsible for making the application and need not be the owner of the land. The applicant is responsible for ensuring the information provided on all IDAS application forms is correct. Any development permit or preliminary approval that may be issued as a consequence of this application will be issued to the applicant.)

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	licant's reference number (non-mandatory uirement)	BA3882				
1.	What is the nature of the development pr	oposed and what type of approval is being sought?				
Tab	le A—Aspect 1 of the application (If there are	additional aspects to the application please list in Table B—Aspect 2.)				
a)	What is the nature of the development? (Plea					
	Material change of use Reconfigu	ring a lot				
b)	What is the approval type? (Please only tick	one box.)				
	<u> </u>	y approval Development permit 41 and s242				
c)		cluding use definition and number of buildings or structures where efined as a <i>multi-unit dwelling</i> , 30 lot residential subdivision etc.)				
	Material Change of Use – Telecommunication	n facility comprising a 25m monopole and equipment shelter.				
d)	What is the level of assessment? (Please only					
	☐ Impact assessment ☐ Code asse	essment				
Tab	Je B—Aspect 2 of the application (If there are	additional aspects to the application please list in Table C—				
	itional aspects of the application.)					
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b)	What is the approval type? (Please only tick	one box.)				
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d)	What is the level of assessment?					
	Impact assessment Code asse	essment				
<b>Table C</b> —Additional aspects of the application (If there are additional aspects to the application please list in a separate table on an extra page and attach to this form.)						
	Refer attached schedule Not requir	ed				

2. Location of the premises (Complete Table D and/or Table E as applicable. Identify each lot in a separate row.)											
<b>Table D</b> —Street address and lot on plan for the premises or street address and lot on plan for the land adjoining or adjacent to the premises (Note: this table is to be used for applications involving taking or interfering with water.) (Attach a separate schedule if there is insufficient space in this table.)											
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3. Total area of land on which the development is proposed (indicate square metres)											
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5.	. Are there any current approvals (e.g. a preliminary approval) associated with this application? (Non-mandatory requirement)					
	No	Yes—provide de	etails belo	w		
List	of approval refe	erence/s		Date approved (dd/mm/yy)	Date approval lapses (dd/mm/yy)	
6.	Is owner's c	onsent required	for this a	pplication? (Refer to notes at the en	d of this form for more information.)	
П	No					
	Yes—complet	e either Table F,	Гable G о	r Table H as applicable		
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	e of owner/s of					
			of the land	, consent to the making of this applic	ation.	
Sign	ature of owner/	s of the land				
Date						
Tabl	e G					
Nam	e of owner/s of	the land	Douglas	Shire Council		
$\square$	The owner's wr	itten consent is at	tached or	will be provided separately to the ass	sessment manager.	
Tabl	e H					
Nam	e of owner/s of	the land				
	By making this a	pplication, I, the app	olicant, dec	clare that the owner has given written cor	nsent to the making of the application.	
7.	Identify if an	y of the following	g apply to	the premises (Tick applicable box/	es.)	
П	Adjacent to a	water body, wate	rcourse o	r aquifer (e.g. creek, river, lake, canal	)—complete Table I	
	On strategic p	oort land under the	e Transpo	rt Infrastructure Act 1994—complete	Table J	
	In a tidal water	er area—complete	Table K			
	On Brisbane core port land under the <i>Transport Infrastructure Act 1994</i> (No table requires completion.)					
	On airport land under the <i>Airport Assets (Restructuring and Disposal) Act 2008</i> (no table requires completion)					
	Listed on either the Contaminated Land Register (CLR) or the Environmental Management Register (EMR) under the Environmental Protection Act 1994 (no table requires completion)					
Tabl	e I					
Nam	e of water body	y, watercourse or	aquifer			

Table J						
Lot on plan description for	or strategic port land		Port author	ority for the lot		
Table K						
Name of local governme	nt for the tidal area (if a	applicable)	Port author	ority for the tidal area (if applicable)		
8. Are there any exi water etc)	sting easements on th	he premises? (e	.g. for vehic	cular access, electricity, overland flow,		
☐ No ☐ Yes—	ensure the type, location	n and dimension	of each eas	sement is included in the plans submitted		
9. Does the propose services)	al include new buildin	g work or opera	tional worl	k on the premises? (Including any		
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No—go to question	11 Yes					
10a. Has the portable information.)	long service leave lev	vy been paid? (F	Refer to note	es at the end of this form for more		
☐ No						
Yes—complete Tal accepted QLeave f		his application, th	ne local gove	ernment/private certifier's copy of the		
Table L						
Amount paid			ate paid ld/mm/yy)	QLeave project number (6 digit number starting with A, B, E, L, P or S)		
	11. Has the local government agreed to apply a superseded planning scheme to this application under section 96 of the Sustainable Planning Act 2009?					
No No						
Yes—please provid	Yes—please provide details below					
Name of local governme	b	Date of written no by local governme dd/mm/yy)		Reference number of written notice given by local government (if applicable)		

**12.** List below all of the forms and supporting information that accompany this application (Include all IDAS forms, checklists, mandatory supporting information etc. that will be submitted as part of this application)

Description of attachment or title of attachment	Method of lodgement to assessment manager
Town Planning Report	Email
Signed Owners Consent	Email
Title Search	Email
Proposal Plan	Email
EME Report	Email

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By making this application, I declare that all information in this application is true and correct (Note: it is unlawful to
provide false or misleading information)

#### Notes for completing this form

Applicant's declaration

• Section 261 of the Sustainable Planning Act 2009 prescribes when an application is a properly-made application. Note, the assessment manager has discretion to accept an application as properly made despite any non-compliance with the requirement to provide mandatory supporting information under section 260(1)(c) of the Sustainable Planning Act 2009

#### **Applicant details**

• Where the applicant is not a natural person, ensure the applicant entity is a real legal entity.

#### **Question 1**

Schedule 3 of the Sustainable Planning Regulation 2009 identifies assessable development and the type of
assessment. Where schedule 3 identifies assessable development as "various aspects of development" the
applicant must identify each aspect of the development on Tables A, B and C respectively and as required.

#### **Question 6**

• Section 263 of the Sustainable Planning Act 2009 sets out when the consent of the owner of the land is required for an application. Section 260(1)(e) of the Sustainable Planning Act 2009 provides that if the owner's consent is required under section 263, then an application must contain, or be accompanied by, the written consent of the owner, or include a declaration by the applicant that the owner has given written consent to the making of the application. If a development application relates to a state resource, the application is not required to be supported by evidence of an allocation or entitlement to a state resource. However, where the state is the owner of the subject land, the written consent of the state, as landowner, may be required. Allocation or entitlement to the state resource is a separate process and will need to be obtained before development commences.

#### **Question 7**

 If the premises is listed on either the Contaminated Land Register (CLR) or the Environmental Management Register (EMR) under the *Environmental Protection Act 1994* it may be necessary to seek compliance assessment. Schedule 18 of the Sustainable Planning Regulation 2009 identifies where compliance assessment is required.

#### **Question 10**

- The Building and Construction Industry (Portable Long Service Leave) Act 1991 prescribes when the portable long service leave levy is payable.
- The portable long service leave levy amount and other prescribed percentages and rates for calculating the levy are prescribed in the Building and Construction Industry (Portable Long Service Leave) Regulation 2013.

#### **Question 10a**

- The portable long service leave levy need not be paid when the application is made, but the *Building and Construction Industry (Portable Long Service Leave) Act 1991* requires the levy to be paid before a development permit is issued.
- Building and construction industry notification and payment forms can be completed on the QLeave website at www.qleave.qld.gov.au. For further information contact QLeave on 1800 803 481.

**Privacy—**The information collected in this form will be used by the Department of Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning (DILGP), assessment manager, referral agency and/or building certifier in accordance with the processing and assessment of your application. Your personal details should not be disclosed for a purpose outside of the IDAS process or the provisions about public access to planning and development information in the *Sustainable Planning Act 2009*, except where required by legislation (including the *Right to Information Act 2009*) or as required by Parliament. This information may be stored in relevant databases. The information collected will be retained as required by the *Public Records Act 2002*.

OFFICE USE ONLY								
Date received			Reference nu	Reference numbers				
NOTIFICATION OF EN	GAGE	MENT OF A PRIVAT	E CERTIFIER					
To Council. I have been engaged as the private certifier for the building work referred to in this application						ifier for the		
Date of engagement Name		e		BSA Certification license number				uilding assification/s
QLEAVE NOTIFICATION AND PAYMENT (For completion by assessment manager or private certifier if applicable.)								
Description of the work		QLeave project number	Amount paid (\$)	Date pa	aid	Date receipted form sighted by assessment manager	,	Name of officer who sighted the form

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# **IDAS form 5**—Material change of use assessable against a planning scheme

(Sustainable Planning Act 2009 version 3.1 effective 3 August 2015)

This form must be used for development applications for a material change of use assessable against a planning scheme.

You **MUST** complete **ALL** questions that are stated to be a mandatory requirement unless otherwise identified on this form.

For all development applications, you must:

- complete IDAS form 1—Application details
- complete any other forms relevant to your application
- provide any mandatory supporting information identified on the forms as being required to accompany your application.

Attach extra pages if there is insufficient space on this form.

All terms used on this form have the meaning given in the *Sustainable Planning Act* 2009 (SPA) or the Sustainable Planning Regulation 2009.

This form must also be used for material change of use on strategic port land and Brisbane core port land under the *Transport Infrastructure Act 1994* and airport land under the *Airport Assets (Restructuring and Disposal) Act 2008* that requires assessment against the land use plan for that land. Whenever a planning scheme is mentioned, take it to mean land use plan for the strategic port land, Brisbane core port land or airport land.

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1. **Describe the proposed use.** (Note: this is to provide additional detail to the information provided in question 1 of *IDAS form 1—Application details*. Attach a separate schedule if there is insufficient space in this table.)

General explanation of the proposed use	Planning scheme definition (include each definition in a new row) (non-mandatory)	No. of dwelling units (if applicable) or gross floor area (if applicable)	Days and hours of operation (if applicable)	No. of employees (if applicable)
Telecommunications Tower (25m Monopole & ancillary equipment shelter)	Telecommunications Facility	N/A	24/7	N/A

2.	2. Are there any current approvals associated with the proposed material change of use?  (e.g. a preliminary approval.)						
$\boxtimes$	No Provide details below						
List o	f approval reference/s	Date approved	(dd/mm/yy) Da	Date approval lapses (dd/mm/			



3. Does the proposed use involve the following? (Tick all applicable box	xes.)	
The reuse of existing buildings on the premises No	Yes	
New building work on the premises	Yes	
The reuse of existing operational work on the premises No	Yes	
New operational work on the premises	Yes	
Mandatory supporting information		
4. Confirm that the following mandatory supporting information according	mpanies this applica	ation
Mandatory supporting information	Confirmation of lodgement	Method of lodgement
All applications		
A site plan drawn to an appropriate scale (1:100, 1:200 or 1:500 are recommended scales) which shows the following:	Confirmed	Email
<ul> <li>the location and site area of the land to which the application relates (relevant land)</li> <li>the north point</li> <li>the boundaries of the relevant land</li> <li>any road frontages of the relevant land, including the name of the road</li> <li>the location and use of any existing or proposed buildings or structures on the relevant land (note: where extensive demolition or new buildings are proposed, two separate plans [an existing site plan and proposed site plan] may be appropriate)</li> <li>any existing or proposed easements on the relevant land and their function</li> <li>the location and use of buildings on land adjoining the relevant land</li> <li>all vehicle access points and any existing or proposed car parking areas on the relevant land. Car parking spaces for persons with disabilities and any service vehicle access and parking should be clearly marked</li> <li>for any new building on the relevant land, the location of refuse storage</li> <li>the location of any proposed retaining walls on the relevant land and their height</li> <li>the location of any proposed landscaping on the relevant land</li> <li>the location of any stormwater detention on the relevant land.</li> </ul>		
A statement about how the proposed development addresses the local government's planning scheme and any other planning instruments or documents relevant to the application.	Confirmed	Email
A statement about the intensity and scale of the proposed use (e.g. number of visitors, number of seats, capacity of storage area etc.).	Confirmed	Email
Information that states:	Confirmed	Email
the existing or proposed floor area, site cover, maximum number of storeys and maximum height above natural ground level for existing or new buildings (e.g. information regarding existing buildings but not being reused)	Not applicable	
<ul> <li>the existing or proposed number of on-site car parking bays, type of vehicle cross-over (for non-residential uses) and vehicular servicing arrangement (for non-residential uses).</li> </ul>		

A statement addressing the relevant part(s) of the State Development Assessment Provisions (SDAP).		Confirmed Not applicable	Email
When the application involves the reuse of existing build	lings		
Plans showing the size, location, existing floor area, existing site cover, existing maximum number of storeys and existing maximum height above natural ground level of the buildings to be reused.		Confirmed Not applicable	Email
When the application involves new building work (include	ling extensions)		
Floor plans drawn to an appropriate scale (1:50, 1:100 or 1:2 <b>recommended</b> scales) which show the following:	00 are [	Confirmed	Email
<ul> <li>the north point</li> <li>the intended use of each area on the floor plan (for commor mixed use developments only)</li> <li>the room layout (for residential development only) with all labelled</li> <li>the existing and the proposed built form (for extensions of the gross floor area of each proposed floor area.</li> </ul>	I rooms clearly		
Elevations drawn to an appropriate scale (1:100, 1:200 or 1:5 recommended scales) which show plans of all building elevated facades, clearly labelled to identify orientation (e.g. north elevated facades).	ations and	Confirmed	Email
Plans showing the size, location, proposed site cover, proposed maximum number of storeys, and proposed maximum height above natural ground level of the proposed new building work.		Confirmed Not applicable	Email
When the application involves reuse of other existing we	ork		
Plans showing the nature, location, number of on-site car pa existing area of landscaping, existing type of vehicular cross residential uses), and existing type of vehicular servicing arra residential uses) of the work to be reused.	-over (non-	Confirmed Not applicable	
When the application involves new operational work			
Plans showing the nature, location, number of new on-site car parking bays, proposed area of new landscaping, proposed type of new vehicle cross-over (non-residential uses), proposed maximum new vehicular servicing arrangement (non-residential uses) of the proposed new operational work.			
<b>Privacy—</b> Please refer to your assessment manager, referral agency and/or building certifier for further details on the use of information recorded in this form.			
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Date received Referen	nce numbers		

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# TOWN PLANNING REPORT TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITY. 3 ESCAPE STREET, PORT DOUGLAS

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# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

# SITE AND PROPOSAL DETAILS

Address of site	3 Escape Street, Port Douglas, QLD 4877
Real Property Description	Lot 48 on RP747344
Site Area	1.201 Ha
Planning Scheme	Douglas Shire Planning Scheme 2006
Zone (Planning Area)	Community and Recreational Facilities
Local Plan	Port Douglas and Environs Locality
Purpose	Material Change of Use for Telecommunication Facility.
General Description	Telecommunication facility comprising a 25m monopole and equipment shelter.
Land Owner	Douglas Shire Council

# **ASPECTS OF DEVELOPMENT**

Type of development	Material Change of Use	Reconfiguration of Lot	Operational Works	Building Work
Type of Approval	Development Permit for Telecommunication Facility	None	None	Preliminary Approval for Telecommunication Facility
Level of Assessment	Code Assessment	N/A	N/A	Exempt

# **APPLICATION DETAILS**

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#### INTRODUCTION 1.

Urbis Pty Ltd, has prepared this development application on behalf of Optus Mobile Pty Ltd. The development is for a Development Permit for a Material Change of Use for a Telecommunication Facility. The development is being proposed to support the Optus Telecommunications network.

The land subject to this development application comprises land at 3 Escape Street, Port Douglas on Lot 48 on RP747344 (referred to as 'the site' hereon in).

This report addresses the merits of the development with regard to the provisions of the Douglas Shire Planning Scheme 2006 and the relevant sections of the Sustainable Planning Act 2009. For the purpose of this report, the Douglas Shire Planning Scheme 2006 will be referred to as the 'Planning Scheme' and the Sustainable Planning Act 2009 will be referred to as 'the SPA' hereon in.

This report is accompanied by and should be read in conjunction with the following drawings and technical reports:

- Appendix B Proposal Plans prepared by Urbis; and
- Appendix C EME Report prepared by Huawei.

The assessment of the application is to be undertaken in accordance with Section 313 of SPA. This report provides the applicant's assessment against these provisions and concludes that the development is appropriate, generally consistent with existing planning controls and intent for the area, is not anticipated to impact upon the amenity of the locality and will comprise a key piece of infrastructure for the Optus Telecommunications Network. Council's approval of the application is therefore sought, subject to relevant and reasonable conditions.

#### **MOBILE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS** 2.

#### 2.1. WHAT IS A MOBILE BASE STATION AND HOW DO THEY WORK?

A mobile base station is a facility that provides mobile telephone services to a geographical area. A mobile phone network is made up of base stations which operate together to provide service to users moving from place to place within the coverage area. A mobile base station typically consists of the following components: antennas, support structure, base station and transmission equipment. The antennas are connected by cable to radio equipment usually housed in a room, shelter or outdoor unit. Base stations are connected to the core network by microwave or fibre. Mobile phones work by sending and receiving low power radio signals, much like 2-way radio system. The signals are sent and received from antennas that are attached to radio transmitters and receivers, commonly referred to as mobile phone base stations. The base stations are linked to the rest of the mobile and fixed phone network and pass the signal/call on into those other parts of the network.

#### 2.2. BENEFITS OF MOBILE TECHNOLOGIES

Mobile telecommunications play a central role in society and are becoming more deeply integrated into our day to day lives. Mobile communications networks shape how and when people communicate and how we access information on a daily basis. Today, improved connectivity means that mobile devices are used for everything from commerce and research to location-based services and social media. Individuals, families. businesses and society are all benefiting from the improved connectivity facilitated by mobile technologies.

In addition to its personal and social value, the evolution of mobile technologies has delivered significant benefits to the Australian economy by improving productivity, business management and customer engagement. Since its introduction, mobile technology has played a key role in stimulating labor productivity growth by allowing employees to be more efficient, with more productive use of time. According to Deloitte (2016), the Australian economy is approximately \$34 billion larger in 2015 that it would otherwise be due to the long-term productivity of mobile technologies.

Mobile technology's economic contribution is not limited to improving productivity. It improves connectivity and participation in the workforce. Mobile technology also provides employees with the flexibility to work from home, promoting sustainable commuting and also reducing traffic congestion. According the Australian Mobile Telecommunications Association (AMTA), two decades ago only 4% of Australians owned a mobile device. According to the Australia Bureau of Statistics, there are now over 21 million subscribers with internet access connections via a mobile handset in Australia (ABS, 2015), Mobile technology's continual development has allowed it to become the preferred channel to access the internet for most people in Australia and the rest of the world.

#### **PURPOSE OF THE PROPOSAL** 2.3.

To cater for the growing demand for mobile services, Optus has embarked on a nationwide rollout to deliver an improved, reliable telecommunications network to the Australian public. The rollout will provide improved mobile coverage and enhanced services in metropolitan, regional and rural areas throughout Australia. This rollout consists of the upgrade of existing telecommunications facilities and where required the installation of new mobile base stations to expand the coverage footprint and offer seamless mobile services.

Additional base stations are required where surrounding facilities cannot provide sufficient coverage to a target area. New facilities are also required when existing base stations are fully utilised and cannot serve additional users in the area. Optus has undertaken analysis of their mobile network in Port Douglas and has identified areas where coverage and network quality needs to be improved. If this investment is not made, the following main issues will arise:

- 1. Users may have difficulty connecting to the mobile network or the call may drop out. This impacts businesses, residents, visitors to the area and the ability of the user to contact emergency services.
- 2. User may experience reduced data speeds, longer download times and poor network performance at busy times of the day with data intensive and time sensitive applications (e.g. newscasts, social media, mobile banking, weather forecasts, sports highlights etc).

Once Optus identifies the need for improved network performance, the optimisation of existing Optus facilities throughout the region is explored and undertaken where required. In some cases this option resolves network deficiencies in an area. However, in this situation the optimisation of surrounding facilities has not been able to achieve a satisfactory outcome for the network at Port Douglas. Optus has undertaken investigations into the use of other Carrier and broadcast facilities within the area. This is discussed in the Site Selection Process below.

As such it was concluded that the deployment of a new Optus mobile base station in the Port Douglas area was the only viable solution.

# 3. SITE SELECTION PROCESS

Optus commences the site selection process with a search of potential sites that meet the network's technical requirements, with a view to also having the least possible impact on the surrounding area. Optus applies and evaluates a range of criteria as part of this site selection process.

Optus assesses the technical viability of potential sites through the use of computer modelling tools that produce predictions of the coverage that may be expected from these sites, as well as from the experience and knowledge of the radio engineers.

There are also a number of other important criteria that Optus uses to assess and select potential site options. These take into account factors other than the technical performance of the site, and include:

- The potential to co-locate on an existing telecommunications facility.
- The potential to locate on an existing building or structure.
- Visual impact and the potential to obtain relevant town planning approvals.
- Proximity to community sensitive locations and areas of environmental heritage.
- The cost of developing the site and the provision of utilities (power, access to the facility and transmission links).

During the detailed site selection process for the new facility, Optus carefully considered all of the above criteria. This analysis is detailed in the following section.

#### 3.1. JUSTIFICATION FOR SITE SELECTION

Optus carefully examined a range of possible deployment options in the area before concluding that a new telecommunications facility located at 3 Escape Street, Port Douglas would be the most appropriate solution (see Figure 2).

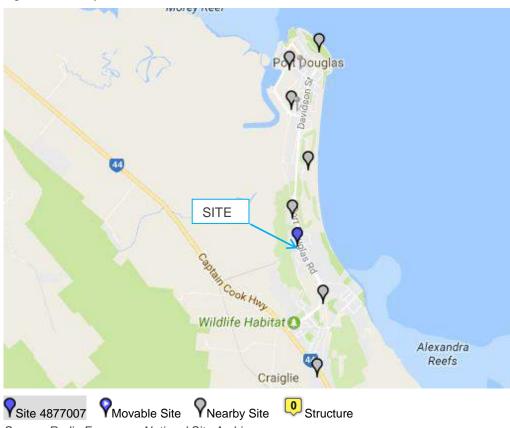
#### 3.1.1. Co-Location with an Existing Telecommunications Facility

The Communications Alliance Industry Code – Mobile Phone Base Station Deployment promotes the use of existing sites in order to mitigate the effects of facilities on the landscape. While there are 2 existing sites sites in the general vicinity of the proposal site, as seen in Figure 1 below, they were not able to achieve the required radio frequency performance:

- Telstra has reservation for equipment at the 14.36m level of the existing building at 87-109 Port Douglas Road, Port Douglas. This is located approximately 518 metres to the north of the proposed site and is outside the search ring. Furthermore, the height of the building is not suitable to provide adequate coverage for Optus; and
- Telstra has a second existing telecommunications facility in the area at Old Port Road, Port Douglas.
   This 30 metre facility is located approximately 1.17km from the proposed site and is too far outside the search ring to reach the minimum coverage requirements for Optus.

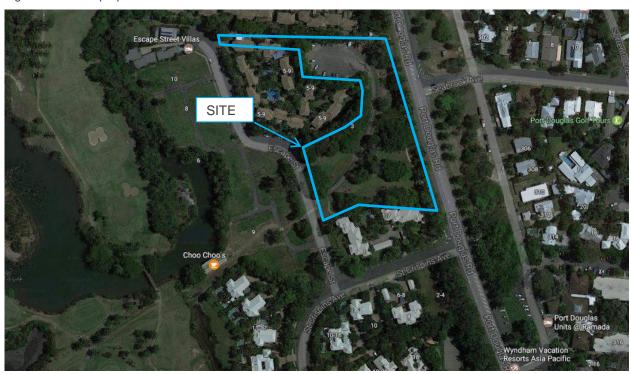
The location of the site of the proposal is shown in Figure 2 below.

Figure 1 – Nearby Sites



Source: Radio Frequency National Site Archive

Figure 2 – Site of proposal



Source: Google Earth

# 3.1.2. New Telecommunication Facility Sites

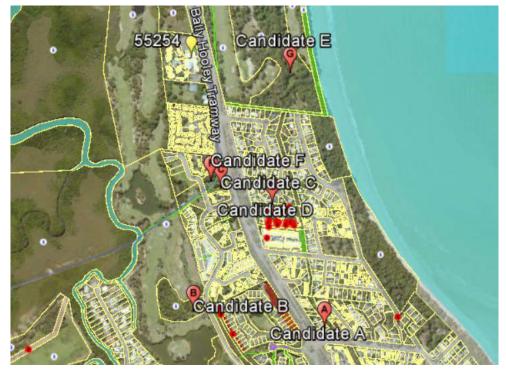
Optus initially identified a range of potential sites within the area, as listed in **Table 1**. The locations of the potential sites are indicated in **Figure 3**.

Table 1 – List of potential sites

Candidate	Details
А	364 - 366 Port Douglas Road, Port Douglas. BUP70698
	Four Mile Beach Plaza Community
	Proposal type: New 25m monopole.
	While the candidate achieved reasonable radio frequency performance, site specifics were not considered viable. The site has constrained space for a Telecommunications facility due to the existing centre and car park. Therefore, the candidate was not pursued.
В	39 Crispins Avenue, Port Douglas. Lot 7 on SP160477
	Proposal type: New 25m monopole.
	Located on land under the same ownership as Candidate E but located on the opposite side of Port Douglas Road, this candidate is considered suitable from a town planning perspective. Adequate vegetative screening is provided from nearby residential uses and the facility is considered to be buildable despite the swampy ground conditions. However, the land owner was unwilling to enter a lease due to potential future development on this portion of the site.
С	3 Escape Street, Port Douglas. Lot 48 on RP747344
	Proposal type: New 25m monopole.
	The site is situated on Council owned land with a small park reserve. The area is suitable for a new facility.
	Access and hard-stand area is considered suitable for a telecommunications facility and there is nearby access to power.
	There is good vegetative screening present onsite and good separation from permanent residential uses.
	Whilst the site is considered viable as a whole, an alternative siting on the same lot was proposed by Council as Candidate F.
D	316 Port Douglas Road, Port Douglas - Mantra Resort. BUP105049.
	Proposal type: New 25m monopole
	This candidate, like Candidate A, is located in a confined space, difficult for a Telecommunications facility, with limited access. There is limited room for crane and cherry pickers during construction and would need to occur outside of business hours. A power upgrade to support the facility would also likely be required, as well as a bitumen reinstatement. Council expressed concerns regarding visual impact within a tourist precinct.

Candidate	Details
	Due to a combination of these factors, this candidate was not pursued.
Е	Sheraton Mirage - Port Douglas Road, Port Douglas. Lot 88 on SP201271
	Proposal type: New 35m monopole
	Located on land under the same ownership as Candidate B but located on the opposite side of Port Douglas Road, this candidate is considered suitable from a town planning perspective. Adequate vegetative screening is provided from nearby residential uses and the facility is considered to be buildable despite the swampy ground conditions. However, the land owner was unwilling to enter a lease due to potential future development on this portion of the site.
F	3 Escape Street, Port Douglas. Lot 48 on RP747344
	Proposal type: New 25m monopole.
	The site is situated on Council owned land with a small park reserve. The area is suitable for a new facility.
	Access and hard-stand area is considered suitable for a telecommunications facility and there is nearby access to power.
	There is good vegetative screening present onsite and good separation from permanent residential uses.
	This candidate was proposed by Council as the most suitable option.

Figure 3 – Candidate locations



(Source: Google Earth)

## 3.2. SUMMARY

Optus has undertaken a thorough examination of potential sites for a telecommunications base-station in the surrounding area. However, these sites have been ruled out due to their inability to meet the technical requirements necessary to provide improved service within the Port Douglas area.

Following the failure to find a suitable site for co-location, suitable sites for a new facility in the Port Douglas area were identified. As demonstrated in the preceding section, a number of different locations and proposals were explored. However, most were ruled out due to one or more of the following reasons:

- Sufficient coverage and capacity to meet the objectives of the project would not be obtained;
- Optus was unable to agree a lease for the site;
- Site access was inadequate and/or the cost associated with building the facility would be unreasonable;
- The location was considered too close to sensitive land uses.

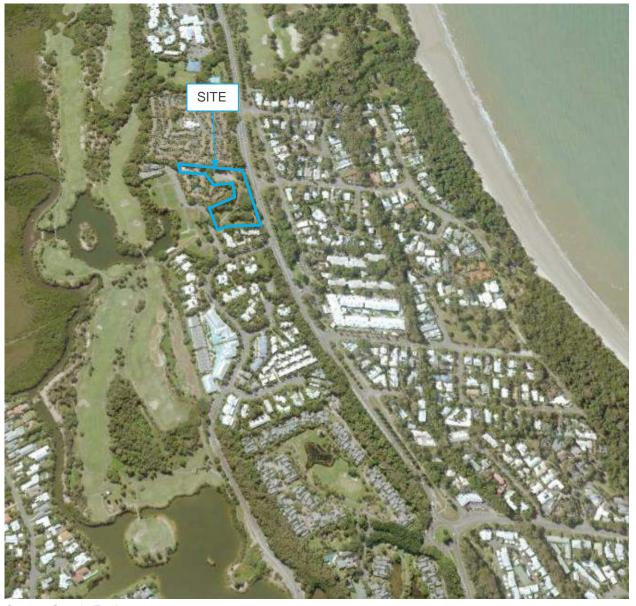
Optus has concluded that Candidate F is the most appropriate location for the installation of a new facility. This candidate was also supported in principle by Council. Therefore, on behalf of Optus, we submit this Development Application for a new telecommunications facility at *3 Escape Street, Port Douglas*.

# 4. THE SITE AND SURROUNDS

# 4.1. SITE LOCATION AND CHARACTERISTICS

The site is located in Port Douglas, and comprises a Council-owned recreational park space, as shown in Figure 5 below. The site of the development application is 3 Escape Street, Port Douglas and is formally described as Lot 48 on RP747344.

Figure 4 - Site and Surrounds



Source: Google Earth

The site comprises one land parcel, with a total area of 1.2 hectares. The land is currently used for open and recreational space. The part of site subject to the proposed facility is surrounded by mature vegetation. An easement for the Bally-Hooley Railway line runs through the centre of the site, however the proposal is not anticipated to impact on the railway line. Figure 5 below illustrates these details.

Figure 5 - Site Features



Source: Google Earth

# 4.2. SURROUNDING CONTEXT.

The land immediately surrounding the subject site is characterised by tourist accommodation, and Mirage Country Clun golf course. Specifically, nearby uses include the following:

- North Immediately north, the site is adjoined by Reef Resort Port Douglass tourist accommodation. Beyond this is additional short-term accommodation.
- East Immediately to the east is Port Douglas Road. Beyond this is further residential uses and tourist accommodation.

- South Immediately south, the site is adjoined by The Villa tourist accommodation. Beyond this is St Crispins Avenue. Further to the south is additional tourist accommodation.
- West To the west, the site is adjoined by Mirage Country Club golf course. Further west is National Park land.

# 4.3. LAND OWNERSHIP AND ENCUMBRANCES

The land is held under reserve tenure, with the Douglas Shire Council as Trustee. There is an easement burdening the land over the site, utilised for the purposes of the former tourist railway line running through the site. Refer to the Certificate of Title in **Appendix A** for further reference.

Optus is currently negotiating a lease agreement with the land owner of the site. Following completion of these negotiations, the lease will be registered on title, providing Optus with long term land tenure. It should be noted that the period of the proposed lease will not exceed 10 years, and therefore the lease will not trigger the need for a Reconfiguring a Lot (subdivision by lease) development approval.

# 5. THE PROPOSED FACILITY

The proposed facility has been designed and will be owned and operated by Optus and form part of Optus' current wireless communications networks.

The proposal for this site is to install a 25m tall Telecommunications Facility tower:

- The construction of a 25m monopole, with an overall height of approximately 27m;
- The attachment of three (3) panel antennas (2.8m long) on a hexagonal headframe;
- The attachment of fifteen (15) Remote Radio Units behind the antennas on the proposed Optus headframe;
- The construction of an equipment shelter on concrete piers, consisting of the following dimensions:
  - 3150mm x 2380mm; totalling 7.5m²
- · Associated ancillary equipment, including underground conduits.
- The proposed Optus lease area is 96m<sup>2</sup>.

Optus believe that the antenna (due to its type and size) is not considered a "Low-impact Facility" in accordance with the *Telecommunications* (Low-impact Facilities) Determination 1997 and will therefore require planning approval from Council.

# 6. INDUSTRY CODE C564: 2011 MOBILE PHONE BASE STATION DEPLOYMENT

In response to calls for greater council and community involvement when telecommunications facilities are installed, the Communications Alliance Ltd developed the 'Industry Code - Mobile Phone Base Station Deployment' (more commonly referred to as the Deployment Code).

The Deployment Code cannot change the existing regulatory regime for telecommunications at local, State or Federal level. However, it supplements the existing obligations on carriers, particularly in relation to community consultation and the consideration of exposure to radio signals, sometimes known as electromagnetic energy (EME or EMR).

The Code imposes mandatory levels of notification and community consultation for sites complying with the Telecommunications (Low-impact Facilities) Determination 1997. It identifies varying levels of notification and/or consultation depending on the type and location of the infrastructure proposed.

The subject proposal, in not being designated a 'Low-impact' facility, is not subject to the notification or consultation requirements associated with the Deployment Code. These processes are handled within the relevant State and Local consent procedures.

Nevertheless, the intent of the Code, to ensure Carriers follow a 'precautionary approach' to the siting of infrastructure away from sensitive land uses, has been followed in the selection of this site.

This site has been selected and designed to comply with the requirements of the Deployment Code in so much as the precautionary approach has been adhered to and, as a result the best design solution has been achieved.

# 7. EME AND HEALTH

Optus acknowledges some people are genuinely concerned about the possible health effects of electromagnetic energy (EME) from mobile phone base stations and is committed to addressing these concerns responsibly.

Optus, along with the other mobile phone carriers, must strictly adhere to Commonwealth Legislation and regulations regarding mobile phone facilities and equipment administered by the Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA).

In 2003 the ACMA adopted a technical standard for continuous exposure of the general public to RF EME from mobile base stations. The standard, known as the Radiocommunications (Electromagnetic Radiation – Human Exposure) Standard 2003, was prepared by the Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency (ARPANSA) and is the same as that recommended by ICNIRP (International Commission for Nonlonising Radiation Protection), an agency associated with the World Health Organisation (WHO). Mobile carriers must comply with the Australian Standard on exposure to EME set by the ACMA.

The Standard operates by placing a limit on the strength of the signal (or RF EME) that Optus can transmit to and from any network base station. The general public health standard is not based on distance limitations, or the creation of "buffer zones". The environmental standard restricts the signal strength to a level low enough to protect everyone at all times. It has a significant safety margin, or precautionary approach, built into it.

In order to demonstrate compliance with the standard, ARPANSA created a prediction report using a standard methodology to analyse the maximum potential impact of any new telecommunications facility. Carriers are obliged to undertake this analysis for each new facility and make it publicly available.

Importantly, the ARPANSA-created compliance report demonstrates the maximum signal strength of a proposed facility, assuming that it's handling the maximum number of users 24-hours a day.

In this way, ARPANSA requires network carriers to demonstrate the greatest possible impact that a new telecommunications facility could have on the environment, to give the community greater peace of mind. In reality, base stations are designed to operate at the lowest possible power level to accommodate only the number of customers using the facility at any one time. This design function is called "adaptive power control" and ensures that the base station operates at minimum, not maximum, power levels at all times.

The maximum environmental EME level from the site, once it is operational, will comply with the ACMA mandated exposure limit (see Appendix C). Optus complies with the public health and safety standard by a significant margin.

Optus relies on the expert advice of national and international health authorities such as the Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency (ARPANSA) and the World Health Organisation (WHO) for overall assessments of health and safety impacts. The WHO advises that all expert reviews on the health effects of exposure to radiofrequency fields have concluded that no adverse health effects have been established from exposure to radiofrequency fields at levels below the international safety guidelines that have been adopted in Australia.

Optus has strict procedures in place to ensure its mobile phones and base stations comply with these guidelines. Compliance with all applicable EME standards is part of Optus' responsible approach to EME and mobile phone technology.

Refer to the EME Report attached in Appendix C.

# 8. VISUAL IMPACT

The proposed facility is setback approximately 65 metres from Port Douglas Road on a Council owned site characterised by open space. The site provides a considerable level of visual screening from established vegetation around the periphery of the site.

The proposed facility is located within proximity to short-term accommodation uses, with the nearest located on the adjoining properties to the north and south. However, the proposed facility is anticipated to blend with the surrounding area given the high level of dense vegetation, including mature trees, as well as the relatively low height of the tower at 25m. The nearest residential use is approximately 144m to the east.

Figure 6 - Site Context



Source: Nearmap

Figure 6, above, illustrates that while the separation from sensitive uses is moderate, the surrounding area is screened by dense, mature vegetation that will provide screening to the base of the facility and a portion of the monopole. It is also proposed to paint the facility in a green hue to blend in with the surrounding vegetation. Note that the slimline form of the facility is considered suitable for the touristic area.

Figure 7 - Views over site from surrounding streets



Picture 1 – View north-east from Escape Street



Picture 2 – View north from the proposed location



Picture 3 – Visual Screening, facing north on Port Douglas Road



Picture 4 – Visual Screening, facing south on Port Douglas Road

# 9. RELEVANT PLANNING PROVISIONS

## 9.1. THE SUSTAINABLE PLANNING ACT 2009

The purpose of the *Sustainable Planning Act* 2009 ('SPA') is to achieve ecological sustainability by coordinating planning at all levels of government and by managing the development process as well as the impacts of development.

The *Douglas Shire Planning Scheme 2006* ('Planning Scheme') states that the proposed Material Change of Use development is subject to code assessment. Code assessment is to be undertaken in accordance with Section 313 of the SPA. The assessment manager, when considering an application subject to code assessment, is required to assess the development application against any relevant State Planning Regulatory Provisions, Regional Plans, IDAS codes, State Planning Policies, and any applicable codes in the Planning Scheme. In addition, the assessment manager must have regard to the common material, any development approval for, and any lawful use of, the premises or adjacent premises, any referral agency's response for the application and the purposes of any instrument containing an applicable code.

# 9.2. STATE PLANNING REGULATORY PROVISIONS

State Planning Regulatory Provisions ('SPRPs') are the pre-eminent planning instruments and have the ability to regulate and prohibit development, despite the provisions of a local planning instrument. An assessment of the proposal against the current SPRPs is provided as follows.

Table 2 – State Planning Regulatory Provisions

<b>Current Regulatory Provisions</b>	Applicability
Yeerongpilly Transit Orientated Development State Planning Regulatory Provision 2014	Not Applicable – The site is not located within the area of the Yeerongpilly TOD.
South East Queensland Regional Plan 2009- 2031 State Planning Regulatory Provisions (as amended)	Not Applicable – The site is located within the Urban Footprint.
Guragunbah State Planning Regulatory Provision	Not Applicable – The site is not located within the Guragunbah region
State Planning Regulatory Provision (Adopted Charges)	Applicable – Infrastructure charges applicable to the proposal will be subject to the Adopted Charges SPRP, however as the Council adopted Infrastructure Charges Resolution (No 1) 2015 in accordance with the Adopted Charges SPRP, no further assessment of this SPRP is required
Off-Road Motorcycling Facility on State-Owned Land at Wyaralong	Not Applicable – The site is not located in Wyaralong nor is the proposed development for a motor sport activity facility.
State Planning Regulatory Provisions (Adult Stores)	Not Applicable – The proposed development does not involve an Adult Store.
South East Queensland Koala Conservation State Planning Regulatory Provisions	Not Applicable – The site is not identified within an Assessable Development Area in the SEQ Koala Conservation Trigger maps.

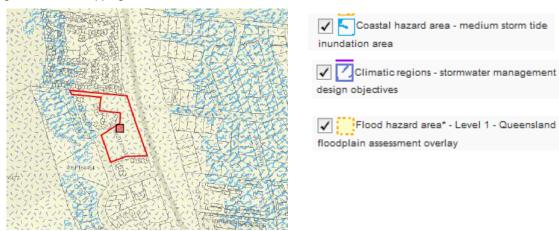
This demonstrates that the proposal is not subject to any current SPRPs.

## 9.3. STATE PLANNING POLICIES

The single State Planning Policy ('SPP'), introduced on 2 December 2013, has been developed to replace multiple SPPs previously in place. The SPP defines the Queensland Government's policies about matters of state interest in land use planning and development, and provides a guide for the preparation of local planning instruments and assessment of development applications. The SPP will apply for the assessment of some development applications until a planning scheme that appropriately integrates the state interests in the SPP takes effect.

The new SPP provides supporting mapping to assist in spatially representing policies and requirements contained within the SPP. A comprehensive overlay map for the site of state planning interests is provided in **Figure 8**.

Figure 8 - SPP mapping



Source: DILGP

# 9.4. STATE INTERESTS- DEVELOPMENT ASSESSMENT

Part E of the SPP provides interim requirements for the assessment of development applications. Interim development assessment requirements have been prepared for the following state interests:

- Mining and extractive resources;
- Biodiversity;
- Coastal environment;
- Water quality;
- Natural hazards, risk and resilience;
- Emissions and hazardous activities;
- State transport infrastructure; and
- Strategic airports and aviation facilities.

**Appendix D** provides an overview of the relevance of State Interests for the development application. The Planning Scheme has not been declared to have appropriately integrated any aspects of the current SPP. The site and the particular location of the proposed facility is affected by the following state interests in the SPP:

- Climatic regions stormwater management design objectives
- Flood hazard area\* Level 1 Queensland floodplain assessment overlay
- Coastal hazard area medium storm tide inundation area

**Appendix D** provides an assessment of whether the proposal requires assessment against the Interim Development Assessment Provisions and concludes that assessment is required in relation to Natural

Hazards, Risk and Resilience. An assessment against these provisions is also provided at Appendix D. The proposal is considered to comply with these provisions.

#### 9.5. STATE ASSESSMENT REFERRAL AGENCY

The State Assessment and Referral Agency (SARA), introduced on 1 July 2013, seeks to deliver a coordinated, whole-of-government approach to the state's assessment of development applications. The State Development Assessment Provisions (SDAP) is an outcome of the SARA and a statutory instrument made under the SPA which sets out matters of interest of the state for development assessment, where the chief executive of administering the SPA is the assessment manager or a referral agency.

Importantly, the SDAP outlines the criteria for assessment by the chief executive and provides applicants with:

- 1) Clarity on when the state is to be involved in the assessment of development applications; and
- 2) Increased transparency and clarity on how development can comply with matters of interest of the state through a set of State Codes.

An assessment of the proposed development against the State Assessment criteria for the relevant referral agency role is included at **Appendix E**. This assessment reveals that the proposal requires referral to SARA for the following matters:

Table 3 - Referral Triggers

SPA Reg Reference	Trigger
Schedule 7, Table 3, Item 1	State-Controlled Road  Making a material change of use of premises, other than an excluded material change of use, if any part of the land— (a) is within 25m of a State-controlled road; or (b) is future State-controlled road; or (c) abuts a road that intersects with a State-controlled road within 100m of the land

An assessment of the State Development Assessment Provisions (SDAP) indicates that the development needs to be assessed against the following SDAP modules:

- Module 1: Community amenity
  - 1.1 Managing noise and vibration impacts from transport corridors state code
  - 1.2 Managing air and lighting impacts from transport corridors state code
  - Module 18: State transport infrastructure protection
  - 18.1 Filling, excavation and structures state code
  - 18.2 Stormwater and drainage impacts on state transport infrastructure state code
- Module 19: State transport network functionality
  - 19.2 Transport infrastructure and network design state code

Assessment against these Modules is outlined in Appendix E.

## 10. LOCAL PLANNING FRAMEWORK

The *Douglas Shire Planning Scheme 2006* ('Planning Scheme') is the local planning instrument that is used to assess the proposed development. The following sections of this report provide an assessment of the proposed development against the relevant provisions of the Planning Scheme.

#### 10.1. DEFINITION

The proposed use of the site is defined as a *Telecommunications facility* under the Planning Scheme. The Planning Scheme defines this use as follows:

Telecommunication Facilities: Means the use of premises for the provision of telecommunication services.

The use excludes Low Impact Telecommunications Facilities as defined by the Telecommunications (Low Impact Facilities Determination) 1997 under the Telecommunications Act.

### **10.2. ZONING**

The site is included in the Community and Recreation Facilities Planning Area (Zone) in the Planning Scheme, as shown in Figure 9.

This proposal is consistent with the intent of the area as the telecommunications facility will provide a service to nearby residential areas, businesses and the university campus. Under the Planning Scheme, the Community and Recreational Facilities Planning Area is to provide for a range of outcomes, including the following, relevant to the proposal:

- Accommodate community facilities such as schools, churches, community centres, State and Local
  Government facilities and major public utility depots or operations which are important to a locality or the
  Shire, in locations which are convenient and accessible to the communities which the facilities serve.
- Ensure that areas are available for active sport and recreational pursuits, including facilities for commercial recreation
- Provide opportunities for sporting clubs using playing fields to establish club facilities
- Ensure that a range of functional open spaces, including local and district parks, major areas of parkland with a Shire-wide focus and open space links are provided for the use and enjoyment of residents of, and visitors to, the Shire.

The proposed telecommunications facility provides mobile telecommunications services to Port Douglas and the surrounding area. Further, the small lease area for the proposed facility occupies will not compromise the continued use of the site for community and recreational purposes. It is recognised that there are limited opportunities in this part of Port Douglas to establish a facility of this nature due to the presence of tourist resorts fronting Port Douglas Road.

Figure 9 - Zoning



Source: Douglas Shire Council

## 10.3. LEVELS OF ASSESSMENT

A Material Change of Use for the purposes of a Telecommunications Facility in the Community and Recreation Facility Planning Area is identified as being subject to Code Assessment under the Planning Scheme.

## **10.4. CODES**

As a Code Assessable development, the proposal is assessable against the relevant codes in the Planning Scheme. The following codes are relevant to the proposed development:

- Port Douglas and Environs Locality Code
- Community and Recreational Facilities Planning Area Code
- Telecommunications Facilities Code
- Design and Siting of Advertising Devices Code
- Filling and Excavation Code
- Landscaping Code
- Vehicle Parking and Access Code

An assessment of the proposed development against the relevant codes is attached at Appendix F of this report. The proposal does not compromise the purpose of the primary codes and fulfils the Acceptable Solutions or associated Performance Criteria.

## 10.5. OVERLAYS

The site is identified within the Acid Sulfate Soils Overlay and Natural Hazards Overlay mapping. However, the site does not trigger assessment under the relevant criteria in section 4.4.1 of the Acid Sulfate Soils Code or section 4.4.3 of the Natural Hazards Code.

## 11. CONCLUSION

Urbis Pty Ltd has been commissioned by Optus Mobile Pty Ltd to prepare this development application for the approval of a Telecommunications Facility at 3 Escape Street, Port Douglas.

The development application is for the purpose of a Development Permit for a Material Change Use for a Telecommunications Facility on Lot 48 on RP747344.

The proposal has been assessed against, and is able to fulfil the requirements of all relevant statutory planning instruments. In this regard, it is noted that:

- The site is strategically located upon Council-owned recreational community and recreation zoned land, appropriately screened from sensitive land uses;
- The size and configuration of the proposal represents the lowest impact option available for the site;
- The proposed facility provides a structure on which other telecommunications carriers can co-locate in the future if required; and
- The installation will address a number of customer complaints relating to mobile telephone coverage, capacity and the quality of mobile telephone calls in *Port Douglas* and surrounding areas.

On the basis of the assessment contained within this report, we recommend the application to Douglas Shire Regional Council for a favourable assessment and determination, subject to reasonable and relevant conditions.

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# APPENDIX A CERTIFICATE OF TITLE

# APPENDIX B ARCHITECURAL DRAWINGS

# APPENDIX C EME REPORT

# APPENDIX D STATE PLANNING POLICY ASSESSMENT

MATTER OF INTEREST	TYPE	TRIGGERS	ASSESSMENT REQUIRED	
Mining and	ROL	Within a Key Resource Area (KRA).	N/A	
extractive resources	MCU	Within the resource/processing area of a KRA or the separation area for the resource/processing area of a KRA, unless for:	NO	
		(a) dwelling house on an existing lot, or		
		(b) home-based business (where not employing more than two non-resident people on a full-time equivalent basis), or		
		(c) caretaker's accommodation (associated with an extractive industry), or		
		(d) animal husbandry, or		
		(e) cropping.		
	MCU	Within the transport routes separation area of a KRA that will result in an increase in the number of people living in the transport route separation area, unless for:	NO	
		(a) dwelling house on an existing lot, or		
		(b) home-based business (where not employing more than two non-resident people on a full-time equivalent basis), or		
		(c) caretaker's accommodation (associated with an extractive industry), or		
		(d) animal husbandry, or		
		(e) cropping.		
Biodiversity	Any development	Any development requiring an environmental offset under a local planning instrument (including a local government condition to provide an environmental offset) must be consistent with the <i>Environmental Offsets Act 2014</i> .	NO	
Coastal	MCU	On land in a coastal management district.	NO	
environment	ROL		N/A	
	OPW		N/A	
Water quality	Receiving Wate	rs		
	MCU	Where for urban purposes that involves a land area greater than 2500m² that:  (a) will result in an impervious area greater than 25 per cent of the net developable area, or	NO	
		(b) will result in six or more dwellings.		
	ROL	Where for urban purposes that involves a land area greater than 2500m <sup>2</sup> and will result in six or more lots.	N/A	

	OPW	Where for urban purposes that involve disturbing more than 2500m <sup>2</sup> of land.	N/A				
	Water Supply Ca	atchment in South East Queensland					
	MCU	Where the development is:	NO				
	ROL	(1) wholly located outside an urban area, and	N/A				
	OPW	(2) relates to land wholly or partly within a water supply buffer area; and	N/A				
	BWK	(3) is for any of the following:	N/A				
		(a) a material change of use for:					
		i. intensive animal industry, or					
		ii. medium and high-impact industry, or					
		iii. noxious and hazardous industry, or					
		iv. extractive industry, or					
		v. utility installation involving sewerage services, drainage or stormwater services, or waste management facilities), or					
		vi. motor sport facility, or					
		(b) reconfiguring a lot to create five or more additional lots if any resultant lot is less than 16 hectares in size, and the lots created will rely on on-site wastewater treatment.					
	Acid Sulfate Soils						
	MCU	a development application that relates to:					
	ROL	1. an acid sulfate soils affected area, and	N/A				
	OPW	2. land at or below five metres Australian Height Datum	N/A				
	BWK	(AHD) where the natural ground level is below 20 metres AHD, if the application is for a material change of use, or operational works, involving:	N/A				
		excavating or otherwise removing 100 cubic metres or more of soil or sediment, or					
		filling of land with 500 cubic metres or more of material with an average depth of 0.5 metres or more.					
Natural hazards	MCU	Where within:	YES				
	ROL	(1) a flood hazard area, or	N/A				
	OPW	(2) a bushfire hazard area, or	N/A				
		(3) a landslide hazard area, or					
		(4) a coastal hazard area.					
Emissions and	MCU	Where for a sensitive land use located wholly or partly within a	NO				
hazardous activities	ROL	management area.	N/A				
State transport	MCU	Where the land:	NO				
infrastructure	ROL	(1) is located within 400 metres of a public passenger transport facility or a future public passenger transport facility, and	N/A				
		(2) has a total site area equal to or more than 5000m <sup>2</sup> .					

Strategic airports and	Where the site is impacted by a strategic airport or an aviation facility (identified in Part D; Table 2 of the SPP and Appendix 1 of the SPP Guideline).					
aviation facilities	MCU	Where resulting in work encroaching into the operational	NO			
	BWK	airspace of a strategic airport and is at least 12 metres high.	N/A			
	MCU	Where any part of the land is within the 20 ANEF contour, or	NO			
	ROL	greater, for a strategic airport.	N/A			
	MCU	Where any part of the land is within the public safety area of a	NO			
	ROL	strategic airport.	N/A			
	MCU	Where any part of the land is within the lighting area buffer zone of a strategic airport.	NO			
	MCU	Where any part of the land is within the wildlife hazard buffer zone of a strategic airport.	NO			
	MCU	Where resulting in work encroaching into the building restricted	NO			
	BWK	area of an aviation facility.	N/A			

SPP REQUIREMENTS	RESPONSE
For all natural hazards, development:	
1) avoids natural hazard areas or mitigates the risks of the natural hazard to an acceptable or tolerable level, and	Complies The proposal is located within a flood and coastal hazard area, however, the facility will be unmanned and flood is not likely to pose a significant hazard. The facility is operated remotely and can be switched on and off, as required. Further, the design of the equipment shelter allows for the facility to be elevated above flood levels.
2) supports, and does not unduly burden, disaster management response or recovery capacity and capabilities, and	Complies  The proposed facility can be powered up and powered down remotely, without the need to access the site in the event of an emergency. Therefore, the facility will not burden the management response or recovery capacity and capabilities.
(3) directly, indirectly and cumulatively avoids an increase in the severity of the natural hazard and the potential for damage on the site or to other properties, and	Complies The proposal does not increase the severity of flood hazards due to the nature and scale of the facility. The facility does not increase impervious area significantly. Lease area is proposed to be largely gravel, which allows permeation of water. Furthermore, the equipment shelter is raised to allow for overland flow underneath.

(4)

avoids risks to public safety and the environment from the location of hazardous materials and the release of these materials as a result of a natural hazard, and

#### Complies

The proposal does not include the use of hazardous materials.

(5)

maintains or enhances natural processes and the protective function of landforms and vegetation that can mitigate risks associated with the natural hazard, and

#### Complies

The proposal does not affect the ability of nearby vegetation and landforms to mitigate the risks associated with flood hazards. The facility does not increase impervious area significantly. Lease area is proposed to be largely gravel, which allows permeation of water. Furthermore, the equipment shelter is raised to allow for overland flow underneath.

(6)

is not located in an erosion prone area within a coastal management district unless:

- (a) it cannot feasibly be located elsewhere, and
- (b) is coastal-dependent development, or temporary, readily relocatable or able-to-be-abandoned development, and

#### Not Applicable

The site identified in an erosion prone area.

(7)

(8)

that is the redevelopment of existing permanent buildings or structures, is located outside an erosionprone area or, where this is not feasible, redevelopment:

- (a) is located:
  - i. as far landward from the seaward property boundary as possible, or
  - ii. landward of the seaward alignment of the neighbouring buildings, and
- (b) provides space seaward of the development within the premises to allow for the future construction of erosion control structure, such as seawalls

#### **Not Applicable**

The proposal is not for the redevelopment of existing permanent structures. It comprises new development.

proposes to undertake coastal protection work (excluding beach nourishment) only as a last resort where coastal erosion presents an imminent threat to public safety or existing buildings and structures, and all

of the following apply:

- (a) the property cannot reasonably be relocated or abandoned, and
- (b) any coastal protection works to protect private property is located as far landward as practicable and on the lot containing the property to the maximum extent reasonable, and
- (c) the coastal protection work mitigates any increase in coastal hazard risk for adjacent areas.

#### Complies

The proposal does not include coastal protection work.

## **APPENDIX E**

# **REFERRAL AGENCY ASSESSMENT**

MATTER OF INTEREST	TYPE	REFERRAL REQUIRED	RELEVANT PROVISIONS OF THE REGULATION	RELEVANT MODULE AND CODES
Regional Plans	MCU	NO	Schedule 7, Table 3, Item 12	Module 2: Regional Plans 2.1 SEQ Regional Plan
	RoL	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 39	
Aquaculture	MCU	NO	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 28	Module 3: Aquaculture 3.1 Aquaculture state code
Environmentally relevant activities	MCU	NO	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 1	Module 4: Environmentally relevant activities 4.1 Concurrence environmentally relevant activity state code
Fish habitat area  – works or other	Build. Works	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2,	Module 5: Fisheries resources
development in or adjoining	Op. Works	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 26	5.1 Development in or adjacent to a declared fish habitat area state code
Marine plants – removal,	Op. Works	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 30	Module 5: Fisheries resources 5.3 Removal, destruction or damage of marine
destruction or damage	RoL	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 31	plants state code
	MCU	NO	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 32	
		NO	Schedule 7, Table 3, Item 25	
Native vegetation	RoL	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 4	Module 8: Native vegetation clearing 8.1 Queensland vegetation management state
clearing	Op. Works	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 5	Code
	MCU	NO	Schedule 7, Table 3, Item 10	
Queensland heritage	Build. Works	NO	Schedule 7, Table 1, Item 12	Module 9: Queensland heritage 9.1 Queensland heritage place state code
	Various Dev.	NO	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 19	
Tidal works or development in a coastal	Op. Works	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 13	Module 10: Coastal protection  10.1 Tidal works, or development in a coastal management district state code

management district			Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 15	Module 14: Maritime safety  14.1 Marine safety state code
	RoL	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 14	Module 10: Coastal protection  10.1 Tidal works or development in a coastal
	MCU	No	Schedule 7, Table 3, Item 5	management district state code
	Build. Works	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 1, Item 11	
Water – taking or interfering	Op. Works	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 9	Module 7: Water resources 7.1 Sustainable management of water resources
with			Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 10	state code
Watercourse or	All	NO	Schedule 7, Table 2,	Module 7: Water resources
lake – removal of quarry material	aspects of Dev.		Item 12	7.2 Removal of quarry material state code
Particular	Op.	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2,	Module 7: Water resources
Levees	Works		Item 48	7.3 Particular levees state code
Waterway barrier works –	Op. Works	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2,	Module 5: Fisheries resources
constructing or raising	VVOIKS		nem 29	5.2 Constructing or raising waterway barrier works in fish habitats state code
Wetland – land in or near	RoL	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 43a	Module 11: Wetland protection and wild river areas
	MCU	NO	Schedule 7, Table 3, Item 21a	11.1 Wetland protection area state code
	Op. Works	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2, Item 43b	
Major hazard	MCU	NO	Schedule 7, Table 2,	Module 13: Major hazard facilities
facilities			Item 8	13.1 Major hazard facilities state code
Particular Dams	Op. Works	N/A	Schedule 7, Table 2,	Module 16: Particular dams
	VVOIKS		Item 11	16.1 Referable dams state code
Public passenger	Build. Works	NO	Schedule 7, Table 1, Item 14	Module 18: State transport infrastructure protection
transport				18.1 Filling, excavation and structures state code

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#### **Performance Outcomes**

#### **Acceptable Outcomes**

#### Response

#### 1.1 Managing noise and vibration impacts from transport corridors state code

#### 1.1.1 Building Work and Material Change of Use

#### Residential buildings near a state-controlled road or type 1 multi modal corridor

PO1 Development involving an accommodation activity achieves acceptable noise levels for residents and visitors by mitigating adverse impacts on the development from noise generated by a state-controlled road or a type 1 multi-modal corridor.

AO1.1 All facades of an accommodation activity exposed to noise from a state-controlled road or type 1 multi-modal corridor meet the following external noise criteria:

- 3. ≤60 dB(A) L10 (18 hour) facade corrected (measured L90 (8 hour) free field between 10 pm and 6 am ≤40 dB(A))
- 4. ≤63 dB(A) L10 (18 hour) facade corrected (measured L90 (8 hour) free field between 10 pm and 6 am >40 dB(A)).

#### And

**AO1.2** Every private open space in an accommodation activity exposed to noise from a statecontrolled road or type 1 multimodal corridor meets the following external noise criteria#:

- 1. ≤57 dB(A) L10 (18 hour) free field (measured L90 (18 hour) free field between 6 am and 12 midnight ≤45 dB(A)
- 2. ≤60 dB(A) L10 (18 hour) free field (measured L90 (18 hour) free field between 6 am and 12 midnight >45 dB(A)).

#### And

AO1.3 Every passive recreation area in an accommodation activity exposed to noise from a statecontrolled road or type 1 multi-

#### PO 1 Not Applicable

The proposal does not include accommodation activity.

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response					
	modal corridor meets the following external noise criteria#:						
	1. 63 dB(A) L10 (12 hour) free field (between 6 am and 6 pm).						
	And						
	AO1.4 Every habitable room in an accommodation activity (other than a residential building), exposed to noise from a state-controlled road or type 1 multimodal corridor meets the following internal noise criteria#:						
	1. ≤35 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) (maximum hour over 24 hours)						
	Note:						
	Noise levels from a state- controlled road or type 1 multi- modal corridor are to be measured in accordance with AS1055.1– 1997 Acoustics – Description and measurement of environmental noise						
	Editor's note:						
	Habitable rooms of residential buildings located within a transport noise corridor must comply with the Queensland Development Code MP4.4 Buildings in a transport noise corridor, Queensland Government, 2010. Transport noise corridors are mapped on the Department of Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning's State Planning Policy Interactive Mapping System						
Accommodation buildings near a r	Accommodation buildings near a railway (with 15 or more passing trains per day) or a type 2 multi modal						

Accommodation buildings near a railway (with 15 or more passing trains per day) or a type 2 multi modal corridor

PO2 Development involving an accommodation activity achieves acceptable noise levels for residents and visitors by mitigating adverse impacts on the

**AO2.1** All facades of an accommodation activity exposed to noise from a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multi-modal corridor meet

#### **PO2 Not Applicable**

The proposal does not include accommodation activity.

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
development from noise generated by a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multi-modal corridor	the following external noise criteria:  1. ≤65 dB(A) L <sub>eq</sub> (24 hour) facade corrected	
	<ol> <li>≤87 dB(A) (single event maximum sound pressure level) facade corrected</li> </ol>	
	And	
	AO2.2 Every private open space and passive recreation area exposed to noise from a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or type 2 multi-modal corridor meets the following external noise criteria#:	
	<ol> <li>≤62 dB(A) L<sub>eq</sub> (24 hour) free field</li> </ol>	
	<ol> <li>≤84 dB(A) (single event maximum sound pressure level) free field</li> </ol>	
	And	
	AO2.3 Every habitable room in an accommodation activity (other than a residential building) exposed to noise from a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multi-modal corridor meets the following internal noise criteria#:	
	<ol> <li>≤45 dB(A) single event maximum sound pressure level (railway)</li> </ol>	
	Note:	
	Noise levels from railways or type 2 multi-modal corridors are to be measured in accordance with AS1055.1–1997 Acoustics – Description and measurement of environmental noise.	
	Editor's note:	
	Habitable rooms of residential buildings located within a transport	

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	noise corridor must comply with the Queensland Development Code MP4.4 Buildings in a transport noise corridor, Queensland Government, 2010. Transport noise corridors are mapped on the Department of Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning's State Planning Policy Interactive Mapping System	
Accommodation activities near a	busway or light rail	
generated by a busway or light rail	AO3.1 All facades of an accommodation activity exposed to noise from a busway or light rail meet the following external noise criteria#:  1. ≤55 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) facade corrected (maximum hour between 6 am and 10 pm)  2. ≤50 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) facade corrected (maximum hour between 10 pm and 6 am)  3. ≤64 dB(A) Lmax facade corrected (between 10 pm and 6 am)  And	PO3 Not Applicable  The proposal does not include accommodation activity.
	AO3.2 Every private open space and passive recreation area in an accommodation activity exposed to noise from a busway or light rail meets the following external noise criteria#:  1. ≤52 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) free field (maximum hour between 6 am and 10 pm)  2. ≤66 dB(A) Lmax free field  And  AO3.3 Every habitable room of an accommodation activity exposed to noise from a busway or light rail	

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
	meets the following internal noise criteria#:  1. ≤35 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) (maximum hour over 24 hours)  Note:  Noise levels from a busway or light rail are to be measured in accordance with AS1055.1–1997 Acoustics – Description and measurement of environmental noise.	
Particular development near a st	ate-controlled road or type 1 multi	modal corridor
PO4 Development involving a: child care centre, or educational establishment achieves acceptable noise levels for workers and patrons by mitigating adverse impacts on the development from noise generated by a state-controlled road or a type 1 multi-modal corridor	AO4.1 All facades of buildings for a child care centre or educational establishment exposed to noise from state-controlled roads or type 1 multi-modal corridors meet the following external noise criteria#:  1. ≤58 dB(A) L₁₀ (1 hour) facade corrected (maximum hour during normal opening hours)  And  AO4.2 Outdoor education areas and outdoor play areas exposed to noise from a state-controlled road or type 1 multi-modal corridor meet the following external noise criteria#:  1. ≤63 dB(A) L10 (12 hours) free field (between 6 am and 6 pm)	PO4 Not Applicable  The proposal does not include childcare or educational land uses.
	And  AO4.3 Indoor education areas and indoor play areas in a childcare centre or educational establishment exposed to noise from a state-controlled road or type 1 multi-modal corridor meet the following internal noise criteria#:	

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
	≤35 dB(A) Leq (1 hour)     (maximum hour during opening hours)  Note: Noise levels from state-controlled roads or type 1 multimodal corridors are to be measured in accordance with AS1055.1–1997 Acoustics – Description and measurement of environmental noise	
PO5 Development involving a hospital achieves acceptable noise levels for workers and patrons by mitigating adverse impacts on the development from noise generated by a statecontrolled road or a type 1 multimodal corridor	AO5.1 All facades of buildings for a hospital exposed to noise from state-controlled roads or type 1 multi-modal corridors meet the following external noise criteria#:  1. ≤58 dB(A) L10 (1 hour) facade corrected (maximum hour during normal opening hours)	PO5 Not Applicable  The proposal does not include hospital uses.
	And  AO5.2 Patient care areas exposed to noise from a state-controlled road or type 1 multi-modal corridor meet the following internal noise criteria#:  1. ≤35 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) (maximum hour during opening hours)  Note:  Noise levels from state-controlled roads or type 1 multi-modal corridors are to be measured in accordance with AS1055.1–1997 Acoustics – Description and measurement of environmental noise	

Particular development near a railway (with 15 or more passing trains per day) or a type 2 multi modal corridor

**PO6** Development involving a: child care centre, or educational establishment achieves acceptable noise levels for workers and patrons by mitigating AO6.1 All facades of buildings in a PO6 Not Applicable child care centre or educational establishment exposed to noise from a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2

The proposal does not include childcare or educational land uses.

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adverse impacts on the development from noise generated by a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multi-modal corridor	multi-modal corridor meet the following external noise criteria#:  1. ≤65 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) facade corrected (maximum hour during normal opening hours)  2. ≤87 dB(A) (single event maximum sound pressure level) facade corrected  And	
	AO6.2 Outdoor education area and outdoor play area exposed to noise from a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multi-modal corridor meet the following external noise criteria#:  1. ≤62 dB(A) Leq (12 hour) free field (between 6 am and 6 pm)  2. ≤84 dB(A) (single event maximum sound pressure level) free field  And	
	AO6.3 Sleeping rooms in a child care centre exposed to noise from a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multimodal corridor meet the following internal noise criteria#:  1. ≤45 dB(A) single event maximum sound pressure level  And  AO6.4 Indoor education areas and indoor play areas exposed to noise from a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multi-modal corridor meet the following internal noise criteria#:	

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
	<ol> <li>≤50 dB(A) single event maximum sound pressure level</li> </ol>	
	Note:  Noise levels from railways or type 2 multi-modal corridors are measured in accordance with AS1055.1–1997 Acoustics – Description and measurement of environmental noise.	
PO7 Development involving a hospital achieves acceptable noise levels for workers and patrons by mitigating adverse impacts on the development from noise generated by a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multi-modal corridor	<ul> <li>AO7.1 All facades of buildings for a hospital exposed to noise from a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multimodal corridor meet the following external noise criteria#:</li> <li>1. ≤65 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) facade corrected (maximum hour during normal opening hours)</li> <li>2. ≤87 dB(A) (single event maximum sound pressure level) facade corrected</li> <li>And</li> <li>AO7.2 Ward areas exposed to noise from a railway with 15 or</li> </ul>	PO7 Not Applicable  The proposal does not include hospital uses.
	more passing trains per day or a type 2 multi-modal corridor meet the following internal noise criteria#:  1. ≤45 dB(A) single event maximum sound pressure level  And  A07.3 Patient care areas (other than ward areas) exposed to noise from a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multi-modal corridor meet the following internal noise criteria#:  1. ≤50 dB(A) single event maximum sound pressure level	

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Particular development near a bu	Note:  Noise levels from railways or type 2 multi-modal corridors are measured in accordance with AS1055.1–1997 Acoustics – Description and measurement of environmental noise	
PO8 Development involving	AO8.1 All facades of buildings for	PO8 Not Applicable
a:child care centre, or educational establishment achieves acceptable noise levels for workers and patrons by mitigating adverse impacts on the development from noise generated by a busway or light rail	a child care centre or educational establishment exposed to noise from a busway or light rail meet the following external noise criteria#:  1. ≤55 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) facade corrected (maximum hour during normal opening hours)	The proposal does not include hospital uses.
	And	
	AO8.2 Outdoor education areas and outdoor play areas exposed to noise from a busway or light rail meet the following external noise criteria#:	
	<ol> <li>≤52 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) free field (maximum hour during normal opening hours)</li> </ol>	
	2. ≤66 dB(A) Lmax free field (during normal opening hours)	
	And	
	AO8.3 Indoor education areas and indoor play areas exposed to noise from a busway or light rail meet the following internal noise criteria#:	
	<ol> <li>≤35 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) (maximum hour during opening hours)</li> </ol>	
	Note:	
	Areas exposed to noise from a busway or light rail are measured	

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	in accordance with AS1055.1– 1997 Acoustics – Description and measurement of environmental noise	
noise generated by a busway or light rail	AO9.1 All facades of buildings for a hospital exposed to noise from a busway or light rail meet the following external noise criteria#:  1. ≤55 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) facade corrected (maximum hour during normal opening hours)  And  AO9.2 Patient care areas exposed to noise from a busway or light rail meet the following internal noise criteria#:  1. ≤35 dB(A) Leq (1 hour) (maximum hour during opening hours)  Note:  Areas exposed to noise from a busway or light rail are measured in accordance with AS1055.1–1997 Acoustics – Description and measurement of environmental noise	PO9 Not Applicable The proposal does not include hospital uses.
PO10 Noise barriers or earth mounds erected to mitigate noise from transport operations and infrastructure are designed, sited and constructed to:  1. Maintain safe operation and maintenance of state transport infrastructure  2. Minimise impacts on surrounding properties  3. Complement the surrounding local environment	AO10.1 Where adjacent to a state-controlled road or type 1 multi-modal corridor, noise barriers and earth mounds are designed, sited and constructed in accordance with Chapter 7 Integrated Noise Barrier Design of the Transport Noise Management Code of Practice – Volume 1 Road Traffic Noise, Department of Transport and Main Roads, 2013  Or	P10 Not Applicable  The proposal does not include earth mounds or noise mitigation devices.

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
Maintain fauna movement corridors where appropriate		
	AO10.2 Where adjacent to a railway or type 2 multi-modal corridor, noise barriers and earth mounds are designed, sited and constructed in accordance with the Civil Engineering Technical Requirement — CIVIL-SR-014 Design of noise barriers adjacent to railways, Queensland Rail, 2011  Or	
	AO10.3 No acceptable outcome is prescribed for noise barriers and earth mounds adjacent to a busway or light rail	
Vibration		
PO11 Development mitigates adverse impacts on the development from vibration generated by transport operations and infrastructure	No acceptable outcome is prescribed	PO11 Complies  No additional impacts are anticipated to result from the construction and operation of the un-manned, remote operated telecommunications facility.  Notwithstanding, the setback distances of the proposed development provide ample distance to mitigate any potential impact to transport operations.
1.1.2 Reconfiguring a Lot		
PO1 Development involving land where a future anticipated accommodation activity is made exempt or self-assessable development under a local planning instrument is to achieve acceptable noise levels for residents and visitors by mitigating adverse impacts on the development site from noise generated by a state-controlled road or a type 1 multi-modal corridor	AO1.1 Land for a future anticipated accommodation activity exposed to noise from a state-controlled road or type 1 multi-modal corridor meets the following external noise criteria at the building envelope or if the building envelope is unknown, the deemed-to-comply setback distance for buildings stipulated by the local planning instrument or relevant building regulations#:	PO1 Not Applicable  The proposal does not involve Reconfiguration of a Lot.

# Performance Outcomes 1. ≤57 dB(A) L10 (18 hour) free field (measured L90 (18 hour) free field between 6 am and 12 midnight ≤45 dB(A)) 2. ≤60 dB(A) L10 (18 hour) free field (measured L90 (18 hour) free field between 6 am and 12 midnight >45 dB(A))

Future anticipated accommodation activity near a railway (with 15 or more passing trains per day) or a type 2 multi-modal corridor

PO2 Development involving land where a future anticipated accommodation activity is made exempt or self-assessable development under a local planning instrument is to achieve acceptable noise levels for residents and visitors by mitigating adverse impacts on the development site from noise generated by a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multi-modal corridor

AO2.1 Land for a future anticipated accommodation activity exposed to noise from a railway with 15 or more passing trains per day or a type 2 multimodal corridor meets the following external noise criteria at the building envelope or if the building envelope is unknown, the deemed-to-comply setback distance for buildings stipulated by the local planning instrument or relevant building regulations#:

- ≤62 dB(A) L<sub>eq</sub> (24 hour) free field
- ≤84 dB(A) (single event maximum sound pressure level) free field

#### PO2 Not Applicable

The proposal does not include accommodation activity.

#### Future anticipated accommodation activity near a busway or light rail

PO3 Development involving land where a future anticipated accommodation activity is made exempt or self-assessable development under a local planning instrument is to achieve acceptable noise levels by mitigating adverse impacts on the development site from noise generated by a busway or light rail

AO3.1 Land for a future anticipated accommodation activity exposed to noise from a busway or light rail meets the following external noise criteria at the building envelope or if the building envelope is unknown, the deemed-to-comply setback distance for buildings stipulated by the local government planning instrument or building regulations#:

#### PO3 Not Applicable

The proposal does not include accommodation activity.

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	<ol> <li>≤52 dB(A) L<sub>eq</sub> (1 hour) free field (maximum hour between 6 am and 10 pm)</li> </ol>	
	<ol> <li>≤47 dB(A) L<sub>eq</sub> (1 hour) free field (maximum hour between 10 pm and 6 am)</li> </ol>	
	3. ≤66 dB(A) L <sub>max</sub> free field	
Noise barriers or earth mounds		
<ul> <li>PO4 Noise barriers or earth mounds erected to mitigate noise from transport operations and infrastructure are designed, sited and constructed to:</li> <li>Maintain safe operation and maintenance of state transport infrastructure</li> <li>Minimise impacts on surrounding properties</li> </ul>	AO4.1 Where adjacent to a state-controlled road or a type 1 multi-modal corridor, noise barriers and earth mounds are designed, sited and constructed in accordance with Chapter 7 Integrated Noise Barrier Design of the Transport Noise Management Code of Practice – Volume 1 Road Traffic Noise, Department of Transport and Main Roads, 2013	PO4 Not Applicable  The proposal does not include earth mounds or noise mitigation devices.
<ol> <li>Complement the surrounding local environment</li> </ol>	Or  AO4.2 Where adjacent to a	
4. Maintain fauna movement corridors where appropriate	railway or a type 2 multi-modal	
	Or	
	AO4.3 No acceptable outcome is prescribed for noise barriers and earth mounds adjacent to a busway or light rail	

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#### 1.2 Managing air and lighting impacts from transport corridors state code

#### Table 1.2.1: Building work, material change of use and reconfiguring a lot

#### **Air Quality**

PO1 Development involving sensitive development achieves acceptable levels of air quality for occupiers or users of the development by mitigating adverse impacts on the development from air emissions generated by state transport infrastructure

AO1.1 Every private open space and passive recreation area of an accommodation activity meets the air quality objectives in the Environmental Protection (Air) Policy 2008 for the following indicators:

- 1. Carbon monoxide
- 2. Nitrogen dioxide
- 3. Sulphur dioxide
- 4. Photochemical oxidants
- Respirable particulate matter (PM10)
- 6. Fine particulate matter (PM2.5)\
- 7. Lead
- 8. Toluene
- 9. Formaldehyde
- 10. Xylenes

#### And

#### **PO1 Not Applicable**

The proposal does not include sensitive development and does not involve air emissions.

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	AO1.2 Every outdoor education area and passive recreation area of an educational establishment, childcare centre and hospital meets the air quality objectives in the <i>Environmental Protection (Air)</i> Policy 2008 for the following indicators:	
	Carbon monoxide	
	2. Nitrogen dioxide	
	3. Sulphur dioxide	
	4. Photochemical oxidants	
	<ol><li>Respirable particulate matter (PM10)</li></ol>	
	6. Fine particulate matter (PM2.5)	
	7. Lead	
	8. Toluene	
	9. Formaldehyde	
	10. Xylenes	
Lighting Impacts		
PO2 Development involving an accommodation activity or hospital achieves acceptable levels of amenity for residents and patients by mitigating lighting impacts from state transport infrastructure	AO2.1 Buildings for an accommodation activity or hospital are designed, sited and constructed to incorporate treatments to attenuate ingress of artificial lighting from state transport infrastructure during the hours of 10 pm – 6 am	PO2 Not Applicable The proposal does not include accommodation activity or hospital uses.

#### MODULE 18: STATE TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTION

#### 18.1 Filing, Excavation and Structures State Code

#### Performance Outcomes Response **Acceptable Outcomes All Development** PO1 Buildings, services, AO1.1 Buildings, structures, Not Applicable (AO1.1-9) structures and utilities do not services and utilities are not The site does not contain, nor is in adversely impact on the safety or located in a railway, future railway close proximity to, railway or future operation of: land or public passenger transport railway land. corridor (1) State transport corridors It is noted the site includes an And easement for a defunct tourist railway (2) Future state transport line. No implications are anticipated corridors **AO1.2** Buildings and structures from the proximity of the disused rail are set back horizontally a (3) State transport infrastructure line. minimum of three metres from overhead line equipment Editor's note: For a railway, Section 2.3 - Structures, And setbacks, utilities and AO1.3 Construction activities do maintenance of the Guide for not encroach into a railway or Development in a Transport public passenger transport Environment: Rail, Department of corridor Transport and Main Roads, 2015, provides guidance on how to And comply with this performance outcome AO1.4 The lowest part of development in or over a railway or future railway land is to be a minimum of: (1) 7.9 metres above the railway track where the proposed development extends along the railway for a distance of less than 40 metres, or (2) 9.0 metres above the railway track where the development extends along the railway for a distance of between 40 and 80 metres And **AO1.5** Existing authorised access points and access routes to state transport corridors for maintenance and emergency works are maintained, allowing for uninterrupted access at all times

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	And	
	AO1.6 Pipe work, services and utilities can be maintained without requiring access to the state transport corridor	
	And	
	AO1.7 Pipe work, services and utilities are not attached to rail transport infrastructure:	
	(1) Are not attached to rail transport infrastructure or other rail infrastructure, and	
	(2) Do not penetrate through the side of any proposed building element or structure where built to boundary in, over or abutting a railway	
	And	
	AO1.8 Buildings and structures are set back a minimum of three metres from a railway bridge  And	
	AO1.9 Development below or abutting a railway bridge is to be clear of permanent structures or any other activity that may impede emergency access or works and maintenance of rail transport infrastructure	
	Editor's note: Temporary activities below or abutting a railway bridge could include, for example, car parking or outdoor storage	
	AO1.10 Development above a railway is designed to facilitate ventilation as follows:	
	(1) For development extending above a railway for a distance of less than 80 metres, gaps	

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	see-through, or 2 metres if non see-through	
	Editor's note: Expanded metal is considered see-through	
	And	
	AO2.3 Development in or over a railway or future railway land includes throw protection screens.	
	Editor's note: Throw protection screens in a railway or future railway land designed in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Civil Engineering Technical Requirement CIVIL-SR-005 Design of buildings over or near railways, Queensland Rail, 2011, and the Civil Engineering Technical Requirement CIVIL-SR-008 Protection screens, Queensland Rail, 2011, comply with this acceptable outcome	
	And	
	<b>AO2.4</b> Road barriers are installed along any proposed roads abutting a railway.	
	Editor's note: Road barriers designed in accordance with Queensland Rail Civil Engineering Technical Requirement CIVIL-SR-007 Design and selection criteria for road/rail interface barriers comply with this acceptable outcome	
	And	
	AO2.5 Proposed vehicle manoeuvring areas, driveways, loading areas or carparks abutting a railway include rail interface barriers	
	Editor's note: A Registered Professional Engineer of Queensland (RPEQ) certified	

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	barrier design complies with this acceptable outcome	
PO3 Buildings and structures in, over or below a railway or future railway land are able to sustain impacts to their structural integrity in the event of an impact from a derailed train	AO3.1 Buildings and structures, including piers or supporting elements, located in, over or below a railway or future railway land are designed and constructed in accordance with AS5100 Bridge design, AS 1170 Structural design actions and Civil Engineering Technical Requirement CIVIL-SR-012 Collision protection of supporting elements adjacent to railways, Queensland Rail, 2011.	Not Applicable PO3  The site does not contain, nor is in close proximity to, railway or future railway land.  It is noted the site includes an access easement for a defunct tourist railway line. No implications are anticipated from the proximity of the disused rail line.
PO4 Buildings and structures in, over, below or within 50 metres of a state-controlled transport tunnel or a future state-controlled transport tunnel have no adverse impact on the structural integrity of the state-controlled transport tunnel  Editor's note: For a railway, Section 2.5 – Tunnels of the Guide to Development in a Transport Environment: Rail, Department of Transport and Main Roads, 2015, provides guidance on how to comply with this performance outcome	AO4.1 Development in, over, below or within 50 metres of a state-controlled transport tunnel or future state-controlled transport tunnel ensures that the tunnel is:  (1) Not vertically overloaded or affected by the addition or removal of lateral loading  (2) Not adversely affected as a result of directly or indirectly disturbing groundwater or soil  Editor's note: To demonstrate compliance with this acceptable outcome, it is recommended that a Registered Professional Engineer of Queensland (RPEQ) certified geotechnical investigation, earthworks drawings and supporting technical details, and structural engineering drawings and supporting technical details be prepared and submitted with the application	
PO5 Development involving dangerous goods adjacent to a railway or future railway land does not adversely impact on the safety of a railway  Editor's note: Section 2.6 –  Dangerous goods and fire safety	AO5.1 Development involving dangerous goods, other than hazardous chemicals below the threshold quantities listed in table 5.2 of the State Planning Policy guideline: State interest – emissions and hazardous activities, Guidance on	Not Applicable PO5  The site does not contain, nor is in close proximity to, railway or future railway land.  It is noted the site includes an access easement for a defunct tourist railway

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of the Guide to Development in a Transport Environment: Rail, Department of Transport and Main Roads, 2015, provides guidance on how to comply with this performance outcome

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development involving hazardous chemicals, Department of State Development, Infrastructure and Planning, 2013, ensures that impacts on a railway from a fire, explosion, spill, gas emission or dangerous goods incident can be appropriately mitigated

Editor's note: To demonstrate compliance with this acceptable outcome, it is recommended that a risk assessment be undertaken in accordance with Attachment 1: Risk assessment guide of the Guide to Development in a Transport Environment: Rail, Department of Transport and Main Roads, 2015.

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line. No implications are anticipated from the proximity of the disused rail line.

**PO6** Any part of the development located within 25 metres of a state-controlled road or future state-controlled road minimises the potential to distract drivers and cause a safety hazard

AO6.1 Advertising devices proposed to be located within 25 metres of a state-controlled road or future state-controlled road are designed to meet the relevant standards for advertising outside the boundaries of, but visible from, a state-controlled road, outlined within the Roadside advertising guide, Department of Transport and Main Roads, 2013

#### **AO6.1 Not Applicable**

The proposal provides for a cotelecommunications facility. No advertising devices are proposed.

PO7 Filling, excavation and construction does not adversely impact on or compromise the safety or operation of:

- (1) State transport corridors,
- (2) Future state transport corridors,
- (3) State transport infrastructure

Editor's note: For a railway, Section 2.7 – Filling, excavation and ground disturbance of the Guide to Development in a Transport Environment: Rail, Department of Transport and Main **AO7.1** Filling and excavation does **AO7.1 -7.2 Complies** not undermine, cause subsidence of, or groundwater seepage onto a state transport corridor or future state transport corridor

Editor's note: To demonstrate compliance with this acceptable outcome for a state-controlled road, it is recommended that a filling and excavation report assessing the proposed filling and excavation be prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Road planning and design manual, Department of Transport and Main Roads, 2013

Minimal filling and excavation is proposed and will not impact upon the state transport corridor or future state transport corridor.

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Roads, 2015, provides guidance on how to comply with this performance outcome	Editor's note: To demonstrate compliance with this acceptable outcome for a state transport corridor, excluding a state-controlled road, it is recommended that the following be submitted with the application:	
	(1) A RPEQ certified geotechnical investigation	
	(2) RPEQ certified earthworks drawings and supporting technical details	
	(3) RPEQ certified structural engineering drawings and supporting technical details	
	Editor's note: If a development involves filling and excavation within a state-controlled road, an approval issued by the Department of Transport and Main Roads under section 33 of the <i>Transport Infrastructure Act 1994</i> may be required	
	And	
	AO7.2 Development involving excavation, boring, piling or blasting does not result in vibration impacts during construction or blasting which would compromise the safety and operational integrity of a state transport corridor	
	Editor's note: To demonstrate compliance with this acceptable outcome it is recommended that an RPEQ certified geotechnical report be prepared and submitted with the application  And	
	AO7.3 Development does not	AO7.3 Not Applicable
	store fill, spoil or any other material in a railway	The proposal is not located within 25m of an existing or future railway corridor

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PO8 Filling and excavation does not interfere with or impact on existing or future planned services or public utilities on a statecontrolled road

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AO8.1 Any alternative service and public utility alignment must satisfy the standards and design specifications of the service or public utility provider, and any costs of relocation are borne by the developer

Editor's note: An approval issued by the Department of Transport and Main Roads under section 33 of the *Transport Infrastructure Act* 1994 may be required

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## **AO8.1 Not Applicable**

The proposed development does not include alternative services and public utility.

**PO9** Retaining or reinforced soil structures required to contain fill and excavation:

- Do not encroach on a state transport corridor,
- (2) Are capable of being constructed and maintained without adversely impacting a state transport corridor,
- (3) Do not adversely impact on a state transport corridor through the addition or removal of lateral loads or surcharge loads,
- (4) Are constructed of durable materials which maximise the life of the structure

Editor's note: For a railway,
Section 2.7 – Filling, excavation
and ground disturbance of the
Guide to Development in a
Transport Environment: Rail,
Department of Transport and Main
Roads, 2015, provides guidance
on how to comply with this
performance outcome

AO9.1 Retaining or reinforced soil structures (including footings, rock anchors and soil nails) are not located in a state transport corridor or future state transport corridor

#### And

AO9.2 Retaining or reinforced soil structures in excess of an overall height of one metre abutting a state transport corridor are to be designed and certified by a structural RPEQ

Editor's note: To demonstrate compliance with this acceptable outcome, it is recommended that the following be submitted with the application:

- (1) A RPEQ certified geotechnical investigation
- (2) RPEQ certified earthworks drawings and supporting technical details
- (3) RPEQ certified structural engineering drawings and supporting technical details

#### And

**AO9.3** Retaining or reinforced soil structures that are set back less than 750 millimetres from a

#### **PO9 Not Applicable**

The proposal does not include retained or reinforced soil structures required to contain fill and excavation.

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
	common boundary with a state- controlled road are certified by a structural RPEQ and designed to achieve a low maintenance external finish	
	AO9.4 Retaining or reinforced soil structures adjacent to a state-controlled road, and in excess of an overall height of two metres, incorporate design treatments (such as terracing or planting) to reduce the overall height impact	
	And	
	AO9.5 Construction materials of all retaining or reinforced soil structures have a design life exceeding 40 years, and comply with the specifications approved by a RPEQ  And	
	AO9.6 Temporary structures and batters do not encroach into a railway	
	And	
	AO9.7 Surcharge loading from vehicles or the stockpiling of materials or soil on retaining or reinforced soil structures adjacent to a state transport corridor or future state transport corridor meet the requirements of AS5100.2 Bridge design—Design loads or a minimum of 10 kPa (whichever is greater)	
	And	
	AO9.8 Excavation or any other works do not remove the lateral load of retaining structures associated with, or adjacent to, a state transport corridor	

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
	Editor's note: To demonstrate compliance with this acceptable outcome, it is recommended that a RPEQ certified geotechnical and structural assessment be prepared and submitted with the application	
PO10 Filling and excavation does not cause siltation and erosion run-off from the property, or wind blown dust nuisance onto a state-controlled road	AO10.1 Compaction of fill is carried out in accordance with the requirements of AS 1289.0 2000 – Methods of testing soils for engineering purposes	AO10.1 Will Comply  Minimal filling and excavation is proposed and will comply with the requirements of AS 1289.0 2000.
PO11 Where the quantity of fill or excavated spoil material being imported or exported for a development exceeds 10 000 tonnes, and haulage will be on a state-controlled road, any impact on the infrastructure is identified and mitigation measures implemented	AO11.1 The impacts on the state-controlled road network are identified, and measures are implemented to avoid, reduce or compensate the effects on the asset life of the state-controlled road  Editor's note: It is recommended that a pavement impact assessment report be prepared to address this acceptable outcome. Guidance for preparing a pavement impact assessment is set out in Guidelines for assessment of road impacts of development (GARID), Department of Main Roads, 2006.	AO11.1 Complies  Minimal filling and excavation is proposed and will not impact upon the state transport corridor or future state transport corridor.
PO12 Filling and excavation associated with providing a driveway crossover to a state-controlled road does not compromise the operation or capacity of existing drainage infrastructure	AO12.1 Filling and excavation associated with the design of driveway crossovers complies with the relevant Institute of Public Works Engineering Australia Queensland (IPWEAQ) standards Editor's note: The construction of any crossover requires the applicant to obtain a permit to work in the state-controlled road corridor under section 33 of the Transport Infrastructure Act 1994 and a section 62 approval under the Transport Infrastructure Act 1994 for the siting of the access and associated works	PO12 Not Applicable  No changes to the existing driveway crossover are proposed. Access will be provided via an informal access path from Escape Street. No access from the State Controlled Road is proposed.

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
PO13 Fill material does not cause contamination from the development site onto a state-controlled road	AO13.1 Fill material is free of contaminants including acid sulphate content, and achieves compliance with AS 1289.0 – Methods of testing soils for engineering purposes and AS 4133.0-2005 – Methods of testing rocks for engineering purposes	AO13.1 Will Comply  Minimal filling and excavation is proposed and will comply with the requirements of AS 1289.0 –  Methods of testing soils for engineering purposes and AS 4133.0-2005 – Methods of testing rocks for engineering purposes.
PO14 Vibration generated through fill compaction does not result in damage or nuisance to a state-controlled road	AO14.1 Fill compaction does not result in any vibrations beyond the site boundary, and is in accordance with AS 2436–2010 – Guide to noise and vibration control on construction, demolition and maintenance sites	AO14.1 Will Comply  Minimal filling and excavation is proposed and will comply with the requirements of AS 2436–2010 – Guide to noise and vibration control on construction, demolition and maintenance sites.

# 18.2 Stormwater and Drainage Impacts on State Transport Infrastructure State Code

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
All Development		
PO1 Stormwater management for the development must ensure there is no worsening of, and no actionable nuisance in relation to peak discharges, flood levels, frequency or duration of flooding, flow velocities, water quality, ponding, sedimentation and scour effects on an existing or future state transport corridor for all flood and stormwater events that exist prior to development, and up to a 1 per cent annual exceedance probability	AO1.1 The development does not result in stormwater or drainage impacts or actionable nuisance within an existing or future state transport corridor  Editor's note: It is recommended that basic stormwater information is to be prepared to demonstrate compliance with AO1.1  Or	PO1 Not Applicable  Impervious land resulting from the proposal is negligible. The lease area will provide gravel which is permeable to stormwater. No significant impact to stormwater drainage will result from the proposed development and will not impact upon state transport and infrastructure.  Furthermore, the proposal location is significantly setback from the State-Controlled road.
	AO1.2 A stormwater management statement certified by an RPEQ demonstrates that the development will achieve a no worsening impact or actionable nuisance on an existing or future state transport corridor  Or	
	<b>AO1.3</b> A stormwater management plan certified by an RPEQ	

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
	demonstrates that the development will achieve a no worsening impact or actionable nuisance on an existing future state transport corridor  Or	
	AO1.4 For development on	
	premises within 25 metres of a railway, a stormwater management plan certified by an RPEQ demonstrates that:	
	(1) The development will achieve a no worsening impact or actionable nuisance on the railway	
	(2) The development does not cause stormwater, roofwater, ponding, floodwater or any other drainage to be directed to, increased or concentrated on the railway	
	(3) The development does not impede any drainage, stormwater or floodwater flows from the railway	
	(4) Stormwater or floodwater flows have been designed to:	
	(a) Maintain the structural integrity of the light rail transport infrastructure	
	(b) Avoid scour or deposition	
	(5) Additional railway formation drainage necessitated by the development is located within the premises where the development is carried out	
	(6) Retaining structures for excavations abutting the railway corridor provide for drainage	

# **Performance Outcomes**

# **Acceptable Outcomes**

# Response

#### **Lawful Point of Discharge**

PO2 Stormwater run-off and drainage are directed to a lawful point of discharge to avoid adverse impacts on a future or existing state transport corridor

AO2.1 Where stormwater run-off is discharged to a state transport corridor, the discharge is to a lawful point of discharge in accordance with section 3.4 of Queensland urban drainage manual, Department of Energy and Water Supply, 2013

#### Or

AO2.2 For development on premises within 25 metres of a railway, approval from the relevant railway manager for the railway, as defined in the Transport Infrastructure Act 1994, schedule 6 has been gained to verify the lawful point of discharge for stormwater onto the railway

#### And

AO2.3 Development does not cause a net increase in or concentration of stormwater or floodwater flows discharging onto the state transport corridor during construction or thereafter

#### And

AO2.4 Development does not create any additional points of discharge or changes to the condition of an existing lawful point of discharge to the state transport corridor

# **PO2 Not Applicable**

Impervious land resulting from the proposal is negligible. The lease area will provide gravel which is permeable to stormwater. No significant impact to stormwater drainage will result from the proposed development and will not impact upon state transport and infrastructure corridors.

Furthermore, the proposal location is significantly setback from the State-Controlled road.

## Sediment and erosion management

**PO3** Run-off from upstream development is managed to ensure that sedimentation and erosion do not cause siltation of stormwater infrastructure in the state transport corridor

AO3.1 Development with a high risk of erosion incorporates erosion and sediment control measures

# **PO3 Not Applicable**

Impervious land resulting from the proposal is negligible. The lease area will provide gravel which is permeable to stormwater. No significant impact to erosion or sedimentation will result from the proposed development and will

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
		not impact upon state transport and infrastructure corridors. Furthermore, the proposal location is significantly setback from the State-Controlled road.

Editor's note: For a state-controlled road where a development has a high risk of erosion, an erosion and sedimentation control plan should be provided to support a stormwater management statement or stormwater management plan. Section 1 of the Stormwater guideline for environmentally relevant activities, Department of Environment and Heritage Protection, 2014, defines development considered to have a high risk of erosion

# MODULE 19: STATE TRANSPORT NETWORK FUNCTIONALITY

# 19.1 Access to State-Controlled Roads State Code

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
Table 19.1.1: All development		
Location of the direct vehicular a	access to the state-controlled road	I
PO1 Any road access location to the state-controlled road from adjacent land does not compromise the safety and efficiency of the state-controlled road	AO1.1 Any road access location to the state-controlled road complies with a decision under section 62 of the TIA	AO1.1 – 1.5 Not Applicable  No new, temporary or changed road access to a state-controlled road or limited access road is proposed.
	AO1.2 Development does not propose a new or temporary road access location, or a change to the use or operation of an existing permitted road access location to a state-controlled road  Or	
	AO1.3 Any proposed road access location for the development is provided from a lower order road where an alternative to the state-controlled road exists  Or all of the following acceptable outcomes apply  AO1.4 Any new or temporary road	
	access location, or a change to the use or operation of an existing permitted road access location,	

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
	And  AO1.5 Development does not propose a new road access location to a limited access road  Editor's note: Limited access roads are declared by the chief	
	executive under section 54 of the TIA. Details can be accessed by contacting the appropriate DTMR regional office	
Number of road accesses to the	state-controlled road	
PO2 The number of road accesses to the state-controlled	AO2.1 Development does not increase the number of And	A02.1-2.3 Complies
road maintains the safety and efficiency of the state-controlled road	accesses to the state-controlled road	The use does not increase the type, number or frequency of access to a state-controlled road.
Toda	And	Access will be gained via Escape
	AO2.2 Where multiple road accesses to the premises exist, access is rationalised to reduce the overall number of road accesses to the state-controlled road	Street, a lower-order road.
	And	
	AO2.3 Shared or combined road accesses are provided for adjoining land having similar uses to rationalise the overall number of direct accesses to the statecontrolled road	
	Editor's note: Shared road accesses may require easements to provide a legal point of access for adjacent lots. If this is required, then the applicant must register reciprocal access easements on the titles of any lots for the shared access	
Design vehicle and traffic volume	е	
PO3 The design of any road access maintains the safety and	AO3.1 Any road access meets the minimum standards associated with the design vehicle	A03.1-3.5 Not Applicable

# **Performance Outcomes Acceptable Outcomes** Response efficiency of the state-controlled Editor's note: The design vehicle No access to a state-controlled road to be considered is the same as road is proposed. the design vehicle set under the Access will be gained via Escape relevant local government Street, a lower-order road. planning scheme And AO3.2 Any road access is designed to accommodate the forecast volume of vehicle movements in the peak periods of operation or conducting the proposed use of the premises And AO3.3 Any road access is designed to accommodate 10 year traffic growth past completion of the final stage of development in accordance with GARID And AO3.4 Any road access in an urban location is designed in accordance with the relevant local government standards or IPWEAQ R-050, R-051, R-052 and R-053 drawings And AO3.5 Any road access not in an urban location is designed in accordance with Volume 3, parts 3, 4 and 4A of the Road planning and design manual, 2nd edition, Department of Transport and Main Roads, 2013

Internal and external manoeuvring associated with direct vehicular access to the state-controlled road

**PO4** Turning movements for vehicles entering and exiting the premises via the road access maintain the safety and efficiency of the state-controlled road

**AO4.1** The road access provides for left in and left out turning movements only

#### And

**AO4.2** Internal manoeuvring areas on the premises are designed so

# PO4.1-4.2 Complies

Site access is provided via a lower-order road on Escape Street. Vehicles can enter and exit in a forward gear. No direct

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
	the design vehicle can enter and leave the premises in a forward gear at all times	access to a state-controlled road is proposed.
	Editor's note: The design vehicle to be considered is the same as the design vehicle set under the relevant local government planning scheme	
PO5 On-site circulation is suitably designed to accommodate the design vehicle associated with the proposed land use, in order to ensure that there is no impact on the safety and efficiency of the state-controlled road	AO5.1 Provision of on-site vehicular manoeuvring space is provided to ensure the flow of traffic on the state-controlled road is not compromised by an overflow of traffic queuing to access the site in accordance with AS2890 – Parking facilities	PO5 Complies  Site access is provided via a lower-order road on Escape Street. Vehicles can safely manoeuvrer on site. No direct access to a state-controlled road is proposed.
	And	
	AO5.2 Mitigation measures are provided to ensure that the flow of traffic on the state-controlled road is not disturbed by traffic queuing to access the site.	
Vehicular access to local roads v	vithin 100 metres of an intersection	on with a state-controlled road
PO6 Development having road access to a local road within 100 metres of an intersection with a state-controlled road maintains the safety and efficiency of the state-controlled road	AO6.1 The road access location to the local road is located as far as possible from where the road intersects with the state-controlled road and accommodates existing operations and planned upgrades to the intersection or state-controlled road	PO6 Complies  Site access is provided via a lower-order road on Escape Street which does not intersect the State-controlled road.
	And	
	AO6.2 The road access to the local road network is in accordance with Volume 3, parts 3, 4 and 4A of the Road planning and design manual, 2nd edition, Department of Transport and Main Roads, 2013, and is based on the volume of traffic and speed design of both the local road and intersecting state-controlled road for a period of 10 years past	

<b>Performance Outcomes</b>	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
	completion of the final stage of development	
	AO6.3 Vehicular access to the local road and internal vehicle circulation is designed to remove	
	or minimise the potential for vehicles entering the site to queue in the intersection with the state- controlled road or along the state-	
	controlled road itself	

# 19.2 Transport Infrastructure and Network Design State Code

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
Table 19.2.1: All development		
All state transport infrastructure	- except state-controlled roads	
PO1 Development does not compromise the safe and efficient management or operation of state transport infrastructure or transport networks  Editor's note: To demonstrate compliance with this performance outcome, it is recommended that a traffic impact assessment be prepared. A traffic impact assessment should identify any upgrade works required to mitigate impacts on the safety and operational integrity of the state transport corridor	No acceptable outcome is prescribed	PO1 Complies  Site access is provided via a lower-order road on Escape Street which does not intersect the State-controlled road.
PO2 Development does not compromise planned upgrades to state transport infrastructure or the development of future state transport infrastructure in future state transport corridors  Editor's note: Written advice from	AO2.1 The layout and design of the proposed development accommodates planned upgrades to state transport infrastructure  And  AO2.2 The layout and design of the development accommodates	PO2 Complies  Site access is provided via a lower-order road on Escape Street which does not intersect the State-controlled road. No changes to this access point or state controlled road are proposed and
DTMR advising that there are no planned upgrades of state transport infrastructure or future state transport corridors that will	the delivery of state transport	will not impact upon planned upgrades in the future.

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
be compromised by the development will assist in addressing this performance outcome	infrastructure in future state transport corridors  Editor's note: To demonstrate compliance with this acceptable outcome, it is recommended that a traffic impact assessment be prepared	
PO3 Development does not adversely impact on the safety of a railway crossing	AO3.1 Development does not require a new railway crossing  Or	AO3.1-3.6 Not Applicable  The proposal is not located near or involve a railway crossing.
	AO3.2 A new railway crossing is grade separated  Or	
	AO3.3 Impacts to level crossing safety are mitigated	
	Editor's note: To demonstrate compliance with this acceptable outcome, it is recommended that a traffic impact assessment be prepared. An impact on a level crossing may require an Australian Level Crossing Assessment Model (ALCAM) assessment to be undertaken. Section 2.2 – Railway crossing safety of the Guide to Development in a Transport Environment: Rail, Department of Transport and Main Roads, 2015, provides guidance on how to comply with this acceptable outcome	
	And	
	AO3.4 Upgrades to a level crossing are designed and constructed in accordance with AS1742.7 – Manual of uniform traffic control devices, Part 7: Railway crossings and applicable rail manager standard drawings	
	And	
	AO3.5 Access points achieve sufficient clearance from a level	

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
	crossing in accordance with AS1742.7 – Manual of uniform traffic control devices, Part 7: Railway crossings by providing a minimum clearance of 5 metres from the edge running rail (outer rail) plus the length of the largest vehicle anticipated on-site	
	And	
	AO3.6 On-site vehicle circulation is designed to give priority to entering vehicles at all times	
State-controlled roads		
PO4 Development does not compromise the safe and efficient management or operation of state-controlled roads	No acceptable outcome is prescribed	PO4 Complies  Site access is provided via a lower-order road on Escape Street which does not intersect the State-
Editor's note: A traffic impact assessment will assist in addressing this performance outcome		controlled road. No changes to this access point or state controlled road are proposed and will not impact upon planned upgrades in the future.
PO5 Development does not	AO5.1 The layout and design of	PO5 Complies
compromise planned upgrades of the state-controlled road network or delivery of future state-	the development accommodates planned upgrades of the state-controlled road.	Site access is provided via a lower-order road on Escape Street which does not intersect the State-
controlled roads	And	controlled road. No changes to
Editor's note: Written advice from DTMR that there are no planned upgrades of state-controlled roads or future state-controlled roads which will be compromised by the	AO5.2 The layout and design of the development accommodates the delivery of future statecontrolled roads.	this access point or state controlled road are proposed and will not impact upon planned upgrades in the future.
development will assist in addressing this performance outcome	Editor's note: To demonstrate compliance with this acceptable outcome, it is recommended that a traffic impact assessment be prepared	
PO6 Upgrade works on, or	AO6.1 Upgrade works for the	PO6 Not Applicable
associated with, the state- controlled road network are undertaken in accordance with applicable standards	development are consistent with the requirements of the Road planning and design manual, 2nd edition, Department of Transport and Main Roads, 2013	Site access is provided via a lower-order road on Escape Street which does not intersect the State-controlled road. No changes to this access point or state

this access point or state

Performance Outcomes	Acceptable Outcomes	Response
PO7 Development does not impose traffic loadings on the state-controlled road network which could be accommodated on the local road network	And	controlled road are proposed and will not impact upon planned upgrades in the future.
	AO6.2 The design and staging of upgrade works on or associated with the state-controlled road network are consistent with planned upgrades	
	AO7.1 New lower order roads do not connect directly to a state-controlled road  And	AO7.1-2 Not Applicable  No new roads or connections to state-controlled roads are proposed.
	AO7.2 The layout and design of the development directs traffic generated by the development to use lower order roads	AO7.2 Complies  The proposal utilises the existing access point on Escape Street, a lower order road.

# APPENDIX F PLANNING SCHEME CODE ASSESSMENT

#### F.1 PORT DOUGLAS LOCALITY CODE

# Performance outcome Response General requirements

#### P1.

Buildings and structures complement the Height of surrounding development,

#### AND

The height of buildings in the Port Douglas Waterfront transitions from single storey in the Community and Recreation Facilities Planning Area through to three storeys in the Port Douglas Waterfront North Planning Area.

#### AND

Buildings are limited to two Storeys outside the Port Douglas Waterfront, except; in the High Scale locations depicted on the Locality Plan, where development of three Storeys is appropriate.

#### A1.1

In the Planning Areas (and parts thereof) contained in the Port Douglas Waterfront listed below, the maximum Height of Buildings/structures is 3.0 metres. In addition, the roof (including any ancillary roof features) does not exceed a maximum Height of 3.5 metres above the intersection of the pitching part of the roof and the wall of the Building:

 Community and Recreation Facilities

#### AND

In the Planning Areas (and parts thereof) listed below the maximum Height of Buildings/structures is 6.5 metres. In addition, the roof (including any ancillary roof features) does not exceed a maximum Height of 3.5 metres above the intersection of the pitching part of the roof and the wall of the Building:

- Residential 1;
- Industry;
- Conservation;
- Community and Recreational Facilities (except in the Port Douglas Waterfront);
- Residential 2;
- Tourist and Residential (Medium Scale);
- Commercial (Medium Scale, outside the Tourist Centre);
- Commercial (High Scale, outside the Tourist Centre);
- Commercial (High Scale, within the Tourist Centre and on the high side of Macrossan

# P1 Complies

The height of the proposed telecommunications tower is designed to meet the radio frequency requirements of the facility.

While the height of the structure itself is taller than the nearest buildings, it is of a slimline design and sensitive colour scheme (grey/green), which assist it to integrate into the vegetated surrounds. Further, the equipment shelter and lower portions will be screened by vegetation.

Whilst the proposal will be partially visible in the local context, it is considered that it will not be visually obtrusive. The slim facility does not have any of the adverse visual impacts associated with tall buildings such as shadowing and wind effects etc.

# Performance outcome

# Acceptable outcome

# Response

Street) – in this instance there is no specified number of Storeys, however the maximum Height prevails.

- Port Douglas Waterfront North (where depicted within Figure 1 of the Port Douglas Waterfront North Planning Area Code); and
- Port Douglas Waterfront South.

#### AND

In the Planning Areas (parts thereof) listed below the maximum Height of Buildings/structures is 10 metres and 3 Storeys. In addition, the roof (including any ancillary roof features) does not exceed a maximum Height of 3.5 metres above the intersection of the pitching part of the roof and the wall of the Building:

- Tourist and Residential– (High Scale); and
- Commercial (High Scale, within the Tourist Centre and on the low side of Macrossan Street, through to Warner Street); and
- Port Douglas Waterfront North (where depicted within Figure 1 of the Port Douglas Waterfront North Planning Area Code).

## P2.

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P2 Development is connected to available urban services.

#### A 2.1

Development is connected to available urban services by underground connections, wherever possible. AND/OR

Contributions are paid when applicable in accordance with the requirements of Planning Scheme Policy No 11 – Water Supply and Sewerage

# **P2 Complies**

New underground connection to power is proposed and will utilise existing urban services in the area.

#### **Performance** Acceptable outcome Response outcome Headworks and Works External Contributions. P3. A 3.1 P3 Complies Landscaping of development Sites Landscaping of a development While the proposal does not include complements the Site complies with Planning landscaping or new plantings, the existing tropical seaside Scheme Policy No 7 location enables the retention of resort town character of Landscaping, with particular existing vegetation which will limit any Port Douglas and emphasis on appropriate species creates a dominant for Port Douglas. visual impact of the proposal. The tropical vegetated vegetation within the parkland streetscape. dominates the streetscape and will continue to do so. **P4** A 4.1 **P4 Complies** Development Sites are provided with efficient All Roads, driveways and The proposal is equipped with and safe vehicle Access manoeuvring areas on Site and adequate access for the purpose of and manoeuvring areas adjacent to the Site are designed the proposal. As an unmanned facility, on Site and to the Site, and maintained to comply with the operated remotely, access for to an acceptable specifications set out in the standard for the Planning Scheme Policy No 6 operation is not required. Occasional Locality. FNQROC Development Manual. access for maintenance is possible and will be provided by an informal track off Escape Street. **Tourist centre P5** P 5.1 P5 Not applicable Development is built up to the The proposal is not in the Tourist Development in the street Frontage/s at Ground Level **Tourist Centre** Centre. and incorporates a light frame enhances the distinct awning a minimum of 3 metres tropical resort town wide for the length of the street character and identity of Frontage/s. Port Douglas and OR encourages pedestrian activity at street level If a development includes an including shade outdoor dining area at protection across the ground/footpath level, the dining entire footpath for the area has a maximum Setback of length of the building 6 metres and the required awning is still maintained along the length of the street Frontage/s. P 6 P6 Not applicable A 6.1 Commercial development The proposal is not in the Tourist Development in the establishes at Ground Level and Tourist Centre is Centre. a maximum of one level above predominantly ground with any residential tourist commercial in nature development establishing on

levels above ground or on

with any tourist

# **Performance** outcome

accommodation having a secondary focus and not located on the street-level Frontage.

# Acceptable outcome

Ground Level but not on the street Frontage, in any mixed use development.

# Response

#### P7

Development in the Tourist Centre is of a height and scale which complements the village character of the town and remains subservient to the natural environment and the backdrop of Flagstaff Hill, in particular.

#### A 7.1

The achievement of the maximum Building/structure Height specified above in A1.1, relies on compliance with Acceptable Solutions A7.2, A7.3, A7.4 and A8.1 below.

# P7 Not applicable

The proposal is not in the Tourist Centre.

#### A 7.2

Development has a maximum length of unbroken building facade of 20 metres and a maximum extent of overall development in the same style/design along the street Frontage/s of 40 metres.

#### P7 Not applicable

The proposal is not in the Tourist Centre.

#### A 7.3

Any break in the building facade varies the alignment by a 1 metre minimum deviation.

#### P7 Not applicable

The proposal is not in the Tourist Centre.

#### A 7.4

A minimum of three of the following building design features and architectural elements detailed below are incorporated to break the extended facade of a development:

- a change in roof profile;
- a change in parapet coping;
- a change in awning design;
- a horizontal or vertical change in the wall plane;
- a change in the exterior finishes and exterior colours of the development.

Planning Scheme Policy No 2 -**Building Design and** 

#### P7 Not applicable

The proposal is not in the Tourist Centre.

# Performance outcome

# Acceptable outcome

#### Response

Architectural Elements should be referred to for demonstrating compliance with elements listed above.

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# P7 Not applicable

Any Building which does not comply with A7.2, A7.3 and A7.4 above, is limited to 1 storey and/or 4.5 metres in height.

A 7.5

A 8.1

The proposal is not in the Tourist Centre.

#### P 8

Development in the Tourist Centre is climate-responsive, contributes positively to the character of the Locality, is complementary in scale to surrounding development and does not exceed a base Plot Ratio of 0.5:1 and a maximum Plot Ratio of 1:1.

#### AND

Will not achieve the maximum Plot Ratio specified above unless the development incorporates building design features and architectural elements detailed in Planning Scheme Policy No 2 – Building Design and Architectural Elements (and referred to in the Acceptable Solution).

Development incorporates the following design features and corresponding plot ratio bonuses [in brackets]:

- a) appropriate roof form and roofing material [10% Plot Ratio Bonus]: and
- b) appropriate fenestration in combination with roof form [5% Plot Ratio Bonus]; and
- c) appropriate window openings with window awnings, screens or eaves shading 80% of the window opening refer Planning Scheme Policy No. 2 Building Design and Architectural Elements [15% Plot Ratio Bonus]; and
- d) minimum of 700mm eaves [15% Plot Ratio Bonus]; and e) orientation of the Building to address the street/s [5% Plot Ratio Bonus];
- f) sheltered pedestrian Access by unenclosed covered common area walkway of 1.5 metres in width from the car parking area/s to the development [5% Plot Ratio Bonus]; and
- g) inclusion of windows and balconies to the street façade of the Building [10% Plot Ratio Bonus]; and
- h) provision of lattice, battens or privacy screens [5% Plot Ratio Bonus]; and
- i) the overall length of a Building does not exceed 30 metres and the overall length of any continuous wall does not exceed 15 metres [10% Plot Ratio Bonus].

# P8 Not applicable

The proposal is not in the Tourist Centre.

#### **Performance** Acceptable outcome Response outcome P 9 P 9.1 P9 Not applicable In respect to P9 (a), a minimum of The proposal is not in the Tourist Car parking generated 30% of the car parking requirements for the commercial Centre. component of development is provided on the Site of a a) the commercial component of development fronting Grant, development is fully or Macrossan, Owen or Wharf partly accommodated Street, with 100% on-site on the Site of the provision applying for a commercial component along development, other streets in the Tourist depending on the availability of alternative Centre. public car parking AND nearby with any balance Any balance is paid in lieu of to be paid in lieu of providing on-site car parking for providing on-site car commercial development in parking for commercial accordance with Planning development in accordance with Scheme Policy No. 3 - Car Planning Scheme Policy Parking Contributions. No 3 – Car Parking Contributions; and b) the residential component of any mixed use development is provided on the Site for the full allocation for units and visitor parking and is held in a common pool for common use. P 10 A 10.1 P10 Not applicable On Site car parking available for The proposal is not in the Tourist public use in the Tourist Centre is The use of on Site public car parking in the Centre. clearly sign-posted at the Site **Tourist Centre is** Frontage. maximised. A 10.2 P10 Not applicable Signage for car parking for public The proposal is not in the Tourist use is to be of a standard blue and white sign with a directional Centre. arrow unless otherwise specified. A 10.3 P10 Not applicable Boom gates, pay machines or The proposal is not in the Tourist other regulatory devices to control Centre. Access to public car parking

areas are not constructed/erected.

#### **Performance** Acceptable outcome Response outcome P 11 A 11.1 P11 Not applicable In respect to P11 (a), along Grant, The proposal is not in the Tourist Macrossan, Owen and Wharf Car parking and access in the Tourist Centre: Streets, on-site car parking and Centre. Access is minimised, and where a) does not dominate possible, shared access street Frontages, driveways and Access easements especially along streets are to be provided to limit the with high pedestrian number of vehicles crossings. traffic and pedestrianoriented development; and b) facilitates pedestrian connectivity; and c) is safe and convenient. P 12 No acceptable solution P12 Not applicable The proposal is not in the Tourist Residents in residential accommodation located Centre. within the Tourist Centre are protected from noise intrusion associated with night time activities, such as outdoor dining, bars and nightclubs. P 13 A 13.1 P13 Not applicable One centrally located pedestrian The proposal is not in the Tourist Safe and convenient Access is provided via a sheltered pedestrian linkages are walkway/arcade from Macrossan Centre. promoted in the Tourist Street to Warner Street between Grant Street and Owen Street. Centre. **Local Centres** P 14 A 14.1 P14 Not applicable The Net Lettable Area of each of The proposal is not in the Local Local Centres outside the existing Local Centres does not exceed 300 m2 and is the Tourist Centre Centre. apportioned equally between the service the surrounding residential area and do total number of lots which not adversely impact on comprise the Local Centre. the viability of the Tourist Centre. A 14.2 P14 Not applicable Any proposed new Local Centre

with a maximum Net Lettable

#### **Performance** Acceptable outcome Response outcome Area of 500 m2, only establishes The proposal is not in the Local when an identifiable population of Centre. 1000 persons is located more than 2 km from any existing Local Centre or the Tourist Centre. A 14.3 P14 Not applicable Any new Local Centre is located The proposal is not in the Local at a "gateway" location to a residential area, which best Centre. serves the surrounding residential area. P 15 A 15.1 P15 Not applicable Multi-Unit Housing does not The proposal is not in the Local Existing residential establish in the residential estate housing estates are of Solander and the areas in Reef Centre, nor is it residential use. protected from incursion Park estate included in the by higher density Residential 1 Planning Area. residential uses. P 16 A 16.1 P16 Not applicable Development incorporates the The proposal is not in the Local Residential following design features and development, other than Centre, nor is it residential use. corresponding plot ratio bonuses a House, is climate-[in brackets]: responsive, contributes a) appropriate roof form and positively to the roofing material [10% Plot Ratio character of the Locality, Bonus]; and is complementary in b) appropriate fenestration in scale to surrounding combination with roof form [5% development and does Plot Ratio Bonus]; and not exceed the identified c) appropriate window openings Plot Ratio designation with window awnings, screens or on the Locality Map/s eaves shading 80% of the (that is): window opening - refer Planning Scheme Policy No. 2 – Building land Design and Architectural designated Elements [15% Plot Ratio Bonus]; High Scale has and a base Plot d) minimum of 700mm eaves Ratio of 0.5:1 [15% Plot Ratio Bonus]; and and a e) orientation of the Building to maximum Plot address the street/s [5% Plot Ratio of 0.8:1; Ratio Bonusl: f) sheltered pedestrian Access by land unenclosed covered common designated area walkway of 1.2 metres in Medium Scale width from the car parking area/s has a base Plot to the development [5% Plot Ratio of 0.3:1

Ratio Bonusl; and

g) inclusion of windows and

balconies to the street façade of

and a

maximum Plot

Ratio of 0.45:1:

#### **Performance** Acceptable outcome Response outcome the Building [10% Plot Ratio OR Bonus]; and h) provision of lattice, battens or land privacy screens [5% Plot Ratio designated Low Scale has a Bonus]; and i) the overall length of a Building base Plot Ratio does not exceed 30 metres and of 0.25:1 and a the overall length of any maximum Plot continuous wall does not exceed Ratio of 0.35:1. 15 metres [10% Plot Ratio AND Bonusl. Will not achieve the maximum Plot Ratio specified above unless the development incorporates building design features and architectural elements detailed in Planning Scheme Policy No 2 -Building Design and **Architectural Elements** (and referred to in the Acceptable Solution). P 17 A 17.1 P17 Not applicable The Site Coverage of any The proposal is not in the Local The Site Coverage of residential or tourist development, any residential or tourist Centre, nor is it residential use. other than a House, is limited to: development does not 45% at Ground Level; result in a built form that 40% at first floor level: is bulky or visually and obtrusive. 35% at second floor level, if applicable. P 18 P18 Not applicable A 18.1 Tourist development provides a The proposal is not in the Local Tourist development range of recreational facilities and Centre, nor is it tourist development. provides a range of small scale commercial services services and facilities for such as Restaurant/bars. the recreational shop/boutique, and tour booking convenience of in-house office, for the enjoyment and guests. convenience of in-house guests. Other development P 19 A 19.1 P19 Not applicable Service Industry development is The proposal is not for industrial or located in the identified Industrial Industrial development service industry development. is limited to Service areas of: Industry and is located in existing or identified

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
Industrial areas and is of a scale and intensity of development which is acceptable in the Locality.	<ul> <li>Special Management         Area 3 - Service Industry         Precincts (Craiglie); and</li> <li>Special Management         Area 4 - Service Industry         Precincts (Mahogany         Street)</li> </ul>	
Community Facilities		
P 20	A 20.1	P20 Not applicable
Community facilities are provided to service the local community and visitors in convenient and accessible locations.	Community facilities are conveniently located within or near the Tourist Centre and in close proximity to existing community facilities to service the needs of local residents and visitors.	The proposal is for an unmanned telecommunications facility which is not defined as a community facility within The Scheme.
	A 20.2	
	Public car parking areas are provided within or in close proximity to the Tourist Centre, existing community facilities, sporting/recreation grounds and Four Mile Beach.	
P 21	A 21.1	P20 Not applicable
The views and vistas of Four Mile Beach from the intersection of Davidson Street and Macrossan Street to the beach front are maintained.	Any development in Macrossan Street between Davidson Street and the beach front, outside the Tourist Centre, is designed with Macrossan Street as the Main Street Frontage and the Buildings are Setback 6 metres from the Main Street Frontage.	The proposal is not at Macrossan or Davidson Streets.
P 22	No acceptable solution	P 22 Complies
Development does not adversely impact on areas of sensitive natural vegetation, foreshore areas, Watercourses and areas of tidal inundation which contribute the Scenic Amenity and natural		The proposal is designed to minimise visual impact and has characteristics able to complement surrounding development. Any trimming of vegetation will comply with the Local Law- Vegetation Management. The site is not mapped as being the site of

# Performance outcome

values of the locality

# Acceptable outcome

# Response

any Regulated Vegetation under the Vegetation Management Act.

#### Port Douglas waterfront

#### P 23

The Port Douglas
Waterfront is protected
from any new
incompatible land uses
and activities or
intensification of existing
incompatible uses, to
allow for the future
planned spatial
arrangements of the
waterfront.

#### A 23.1

Development in the Port Douglas Waterfront North Planning Area and the Port Douglas Waterfront South Planning Area complies with the respective Codes for each Planning Area; and

#### P23 Not applicable

The proposal is not in the Port Douglas waterfront North or South Planning Area.

#### A 23.2

Development in the Commercial Planning Area on premises that has road frontages on both Warner Street and the unnamed laneway at the rear, use Warner Street as the Primary Road frontage for pedestrian access and business frontage ensuring centralised parking on Lot 12 on SR787 for the Port Douglas Waterfront and Tourist Centre is unimpeded.

# P23 Not applicable

The proposal is not in the Port Douglas waterfront North or South Planning Area.

#### Special Management Area 1- Flagstaff Hill

#### P 24

Flagstaff Hill is protected from inappropriate development to protect the Hill as an important natural landmark feature of Port Douglas and as a vegetated backdrop to the Tourist Centre.

#### A 24.1

Only Houses on large allotments are developed in Special Management Area 1 - Flagstaff Hill

#### P24 Not applicable

The proposal is not on the Flagstaff Hill.

# P 25

All development on Flagstaff Hill is designed to minimise the visibility of the development and to ensure development is subservient to the natural landscape and topography of the Site, including through:

#### No acceptable solution

#### P25 Not applicable

The proposal is not on the Flagstaff Hill.

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
a) building design which minimises excavation and filling; and b) buildings being designed to step down the Site and incorporate foundations and footings on piers or poles; and c) buildings being visually unobtrusive and incorporating exterior finishes and muted colours which are non reflective and complement the colours of the surrounding vegetation and viewshed; and d) protection of the views from public viewing points.		
P 26	No acceptable solution	P26 Not applicable
The Residential Growth Area is developed taking account of the opportunities and constraints and existing topographic and man made features of the whole of the Site, and in particular, that part of the Site identified as Investigation Zone (vegetation and flooding).		The proposal is not on the Flagstaff Hill.
Any reconfiguration layout ensures that Access to the State-Controlled Road is minimised.	A 27.1  Vehicular Access to the Captain Cook Highway is limited to one Access point via Andreasson Road with internal vehicular connectivity provided throughout the Residential Growth Area, if development occurs in stages.	P27 Not applicable  The proposal is not on the Flagstaff Hill nor is it for reconfiguration of a lot.
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P 28	A 28.1 Any residential development on	P28 Not applicable
Residential development near Mowbray River does not detrimentally impact on	land adjacent to Mowbray River: a) does not involve the construction of a canal estate or similar form of development; and	The proposal is not on land adjacent to Mowbray River.

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
the natural values of the river system, or of coastal waters.	b) is separated from the river by a road and substantial public open space.	
Special Management A	rea 3 – Service Industry Precincts	(Craiglie)
P 29  Development within the Craiglie Service Industry Precinct supports the tourism and marine industries within Port Douglas.	P 29.1  Only Service Industry uses are located in the Service Industry Precincts (Craiglie).  AND  The proponent of the proposed Service Industry use provides written evidence to Council that it supports/services the tourism or marine industry in Port Douglas.	P29 Not applicable  The proposal is not in the Craiglie service industry precinct.
Development on lots adjacent to the Captain Cook Highway is sited, designed and landscaped to provide an attractive visual approach to Port Douglas with all buildings, structures and carparking areas setback a sufficient distance from the Frontage to enable landscaping to screen or soften the appearance of the development.	A30.1  Buildings and structures are setback 8 metres from the Captain Cook Highway Frontage, or no closer to the Captain Cook Highway Frontage than buildings and structures on adjoining Sites (averaged), which ever is the greater.	P30 Not applicable  The proposal is not in the Craiglie service industry precinct.
	A 30.2  The Setback area to the Captain Cook Highway Frontage is landscaped with advanced Dense Planting including trees species (100 litre bag stock), which will, at maturity, exceed the Height of the Building on Site.	P30 Not applicable  The proposal is not in the Craiglie service industry precinct.
	A 30.3  Advertising signs are discreet in appearance with no large advertising signs including tenancy signs located on or near the Captain Cook Highway Frontage, or within any landscaped setback area adjacent to the highway.	P30 Not applicable  The proposal is not in the Craiglie service industry precinct.
	A 30.4	P30 Not applicable

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
	Car parking areas, loading and other service areas are designed to be screened from the Captain Cook Highway and are located so as not to be visually prominent from the Captain Cook Highway.	The proposal is not in the Craiglie service industry precinct.
P31	A31.1	P31 Not applicable
The reconfiguration of Lot 83 on SR 724 for Industrial development proceeds in line with a demonstrated demand for industrial land at Craiglie	Council will only support the staged reconfiguration of that part of Lot 83 on SR 724 designated in the Industry Planning Area, in association with a Needs Analysis, prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy No 10 – Reports and Information the Council May Request, which demonstrates a clear demand for additional industrial land at Craiglie.	The proposal is not in the Craiglie service industry precinct. It is not at Lot 83 SR724.
	A31.2	P31 Not applicable
	The Needs Analysis incorporates a methodology to be approved by Council for the staged development of any reconfiguration of the land for industrial purposes, in line with a specified future demand scenario.	The proposal is not in the Craiglie service industry precinct. It is not at Lot 83 SR724.
	A31.3	P31 Not applicable
	The reconfiguration and/or redesignation for industrial development of that part of Lot 83 on SR 724 included in the Rural Planning Area does not occur in the life of this Planning Scheme, unless supported by another Needs Analysis prepared in accordance with A29.1 and A29.2 above.	The proposal is not in the Craiglie service industry precinct. It is not at Lot 83 SR724.
P32	A 32.1	P32 Not applicable
The parkland contribution associated with the reconfiguration of Lot 83 on SR 724 provides for the expansion of Teamster Park.	Provision shall be made for a park contribution associated with the reconfiguration of Lot 83 on SR 724. Should the park contribution be provided in stages, the total contribution of land must be identified in one area in association with Stage 1 of any reconfiguration application.	The proposal is not in the Craiglie service industry precinct. It is not at Lot 83 SR724.

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Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
P 33  Development on the western side of Owen Street provides for a range of Service Industry uses, which may incorporate a minor, ancillary and necessarily associated retail component.	A 33.1  Service Industry development on the western side of Owen Street can be designed to designate up to a maximum of 30% of the total Gross Floor Area of any Building/s on the Site for a retail component to be located at the front of the development, provided the retail component is allied to the primary Service Industry activity carried out on the Site.	P33 Not applicable  The proposal is not in the Craiglie service industry precinct.
P 34  The potential for conflict between Industrial development and any residential development is minimised.	A 34.1  Any residential development occurring immediately adjacent to Special Management Area 3 does not occur until Road closures and Road openings have been undertaken to provide physical separation between residential land and industrial land.  AND  New Road alignments are generally sited in accordance with the Access points identified on the relevant Locality Plan.	P34 Not applicable  The proposal is not in the Craiglie service industry precinct.

# Special Management Area 4 – Service Industry Precinct (Mahogany Street)

P 35  Development on Lot 147 on SR 866 supports the marine industries within Port Douglas.	A 35.1  Only Service Industry uses are located on that part of Lot 147 on SR 866 included in the Industry Planning Area.  AND  Only once lease arrangements on the land facilitate Service Industry uses.  AND  The proponent of the proposed Service Industry use provides written evidence to Council that it supports/services the marine industries in Port Douglas.	P35 Not applicable  The proposal is not in the Mahogany St service industry precinct. It is not at Lot 147 SR866.
P 36	A 36.1  Development is limited to that part of the Site that is currently cleared	P36 Not applicable

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
Development on Lot 147 on SR 866 provides for the protection of vegetation on the Site.	in accordance with a vegetation assessment to determine the exact vegetation line along the boundaries of the Conservation and Industry Planning Areas.	The proposal is not in the Mahogany St service industry precinct. It is not at Lot 147 SR866.
	A 36.2	P36 Not applicable
	Buildings and structures are Setback 4 metres from the vegetation line and 6 metres from the front boundary of the Site.	The proposal is not in the Mahogany St service industry precinct. It is not at Lot 147 SR866.
P 37	A 37.1	P37 Not applicable
Development on Lot 147 on SR 866 is provided with appropriate Access.	Access to the Site will be limited to existing Access points (maximum of 2) outside the Conservation Planning Area and constructed to a standard suitable for Service Industry uses.	The proposal is not in the Mahogany St service industry precinct. It is not at Lot 147 SR866.

#### F.2 **COMMUNITY AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES PLANNING** AREA CODE

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response		
Consistent and inconsistent uses				
P1	A 1.1	A 1.1 Complies		
The establishment of uses is consistent with the outcomes sought for the Community and Recreational Facilities Planning Area.	Uses identified as inconsistent uses in the Assessment Table are not established in the Community and Recreational Facilities Planning Area.	The proposal is not identified as an inconsistent use in the Assessment Table.		
Building/Structure siting				
P2	A 2.1	A 2.1 Complies		
Buildings/structures are Setback to ensure that they are compatible with the character of the area and do not adversely	Buildings are Setback not less than:  • a minimum of 8 metres from a State-Controlled Road; or	The proposal facility, equipment shelter and lease area are setback over 6m from all nearby roads.		

# Performance outcome

affect other uses, particularly residential uses.

## Acceptable outcome

- in other cases, a minimum of 6 metres from the Main Street Frontage;
- 4 metres from any secondary Road Frontage; and
- 3 metres from side and rear boundaries.

## Response

## Site Access and Car Parking

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Car parking areas are Setback from the boundaries of the Site to ensure a high standard of amenity and to ensure that the amenity of adjacent residential land, residential uses or other sensitive Sites is protected.

#### A 3.1

Car parking areas are Setback;

- 6 metres from the Road Frontage/s of the Site; and
- 3 metres from any other Site boundary.

## A 3.1 Complies

The proposal monopole, equipment shelter and lease area are setback over 6m from all nearby roads. The proposal is unmanned, and operated remotely. Maintenance will occur on a sporadic basis no more than 3-4 times per year, and as such formal parking spaces are not included in the proposal.

## P 4

The Setbacks to car parking areas are landscaped to enhance the amenity of the Site and to provide a buffer to adjacent residential land, residential uses and other sensitive Sites.

#### A 4.1

The Setback between the Road Frontage/s and the car parking area is landscaped with Dense Planting.

## A 4.1 Complies

The proposal monopole, equipment shelter and lease area are setback over 6m from all nearby roads. The proposal is unmanned, and operated remotely. Maintenance will occur on a sporadic basis no more than 3-4 times per year, and as such formal parking spaces are not included in the proposal.

Nonetheless, the proposal is located among existing vegetation within Council parkland which will be retained.

## **Night lighting**

#### P 5

Night lighting of playing fields and club facilities do not adversely affect the amenity of adjacent areas or uses.

## A 5.1

Where the Site adjoins land included in a Residential 1, Residential 2 or Tourist and Residential Planning Area or land developed partially or wholly for residential purposes, illumination

## P 5 Not applicable

Night lighting is not included in the proposal. The site is not a playing field/sport facility.

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
	levels parallel to and at a distance of 1.5 metres outside the Site for a Height of 10 metres do not exceed 8 lux in either the vertical or horizontal plane.  OR  Where regional standard facilities require a lux level of 100 – 200 lux shielding mechanisms and the correct design and positioning of the lights ensure minimal spillage to adjacent land.	
Landscaping		
P 6	P 6.1	P 6 Complies
Landscaping is functional, provides visual interest and form, incorporates native vegetation, provides screening and enhances the visual appearance of the development and provides for useable public recreation/congregation areas, where appropriate.	All Site boundary Setback areas are provided with Dense Planting for a minimum distance of 2 metres or as specified above in A3.1. OR A greater distance specified in a Land Use Code.	The proposal includes retention of existing vegetation on site. This vegetation is integral to offsetting the visual impact of the facility and associated structures.
Sloping sites		
P 7	A 7.1	A 7.1 Complies
Building/structures are designed and sited to be responsive to the constraints of sloping Sites.	Building/structures are Erected on land with a maximum slope not exceeding 15%.  OR  Development proposed to be Erected on land with a maximum slope between 15% and 33% is accompanied by a Geotechnical Report prepared by a qualified engineer at development application stage.  OR  Development proposed to be Erected on land with a maximum slope above 33% is accompanied by a Specialist Geotechnical Report prepared by a qualified engineer at development	The site slope does not exceed 15% in the area of the proposal.

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
	application stage which includes sign-off that the Site can be stabilised. AND Any Building/structures proposed to be Erected on land with a maximum slope above 15% are accompanied by an additional Geotechnical Report prepared by a qualified engineer at building application stage.  (Information that the Council may request as part of the Geotechnical Report are outlined in Planning Scheme Policy No 10 – Reports and Information the Council May Request, for code and impact assessable development.)	
P 8	A 8.1	P8 Not applicable
The building style and construction methods used for development	A split level building form is utilised.	The site is not a sloping site, and thus does not require a design which responds to slope.
on sloping Sites are responsive to the Site	A 8.2	P8 Not applicable
constraints.	A single plane concrete slab is not utilised.	The site is not a sloping site, and thus does not require a design which responds to slope.
	A 8.3	P8 Not applicable
	Any voids between the floor of the Building and Ground Level, or between outdoor decks and Ground Level, are screened from view by using lattice/batten screening and/or Landscaping.	The site is not a sloping site, and thus does not require a design which responds to slope.
P 9	A 9.1	P9 Not applicable
Development on sloping land minimises any impact on the landscape character of the surrounding area.	Buildings/structures are sited below any ridgelines and are sited to avoid protruding above the surrounding tree level.	The site is not a sloping site, and thus does not require a design which responds to slope.
P 10	A 10.1	P10 Not applicable
	All stormwater drainage discharges to a lawful point of	

## Performance outcome

Development on sloping land ensures that the quality and quantity of stormwater traversing the Site does not cause any detrimental impact to the natural environment or to any other Sites.

## Acceptable outcome

discharge and does not adversely affect downstream, upstream, underground stream or adjacent properties.

## Response

The site is not a sloping site. Further, the proposal is surrounded by vegetation and contributes negligible increase to permeable surface to affect flow of water. The lease area is proposed to be gravel, rather than concrete or similar.

#### F.3 TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITY CODE

1.5 TELECOMMONICATIONS LACIEIT LOOPE		
Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
Siting and design		
P 1	A 1.1	P1 Complies
Telecommunication Facilities are located so as to minimise their impact on the landscape or townscape.	Telecommunication Facilities are located underground. OR Telecommunication Facilities are co-located with other Telecommunication Facilities. OR Telecommunication Facilities are located in or on an existing structure. AND Telecommunication Facilities are not located on the exterior of any Building identified on any relevant Cultural Heritage/Valuable Site Overlay on any relevant Locality Map.	The proposal is located on Council parkland where considerable vegetation is able to screen the lower parts of the tower and equipment shelter from nearest uses, including roads. The nearest residential use is approximately 144m to the east.
P 2	A 2.1	P2 Complies
Telecommunication Facilities are sited and designed such that they are visually integrated, as much as possible, with the landscape or townscape so as not to be visually obtrusive.	The Height of any Telecommunication Facility does not protrude more than 1 metre above the level of the existing tree canopy or ridgelines or the Building rooftops in the townscape.	The height of the proposed telecommunications tower is designed to meet the radio frequency requirements of the facility.  While the height of the structure itself is taller than the nearest buildings and tree line, it is of a slimline design and colour scheme (grey/green) which assist it to integrate into the vegetated surrounds. Further, the equipment

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
		shelter and lower portions will be screened by vegetation.
		The proposal is unlikely to represent a significant cumulative impact given the location within the broader vegetated area.
		Furthermore, the proposal represents the lowest impact option available to clear the tree line and meet the minimum coverage requirements.
	A 2.2	A2.2 Complies
	Telecommunication Facilities are painted a colour which blends in with the surrounding landscape/townscape.	The proposed colour scheme (grey/green) assists the facility to integrate into the vegetated surrounds.
	A 2.3	A 2.3 Complies
	Telecommunication Facilities are sited to minimise the potential of over shadowing on adjoining and nearby land uses.	The proposed slim line monopole and setback distances from surrounding land uses minimises the shadowing impact of the facility.
	A 2.4	P2 Complies
	Telecommunication Facilities are located predominantly in industrial, commercial or rural areas.	The slimline design and colour scheme (grey/green) assist it to integrate into the vegetated surrounds. Further, the equipment shelter and lower portions will be screened by vegetation.
		The proposal is unlikely to represent a significant cumulative impact given the location within the broader vegetated area.
		The proposed facility is located within a Community and Recreation Facilities Planning Area. Telecommunication Facilities are supported land uses in this zone.
P 3	A 3.1	A 3.1 Complies.
Telecommunication Facilities are sited and	Telecommunication Facilities are sited and designed in accordance with any relevant requirements	As noted in section 6 of the Planning Report, the site was selected using a

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designed having taken into account contemporary standards relevant to the mobile telecommunications industry.	detailed in the: Industry Code for the Deployment of Radiocommunications Infrastructure, ACIF C564:2002.	precautionary approach, as outlined in the 'Industry Code - Mobile Phone Base Station Deployment'. Further, opportunities for co-location were sought with none available meeting the required performance.
Community Safety		
P 4	A 4.1	A 4.1 Complies
Telecommunication Facilities are constructed, operated and managed so as public health and safety are maintained.	Emission of light, vibration, smell or radiation beyond the Site meets the State and National standards including Australian Standard Radio Frequency Radiation – Maximum Exposure Levels.	As noted at Section 7 of the Planning Report and <b>Appendix C</b> , the EME report, the proposal meets applicable EME standards.
P 5	A 5.1	A 5.1 Complies
Any stand alone Telecommunication Facilities are securely fenced and adequately sign posted.	To discourage public Access, the Site of any stand alone facility is enclosed by 1.8 metre high mesh security fence painted the same or similar colour as the facility.	The proposal is surrounded by a 1.8m mesh fence, together with warning and instructional signage to mitigate public access.
	A 5.2	A 5.2 Complies
	The Site of any stand alone facility is appropriately signed with warning signs.	The proposal is surrounded by a 1.8m mesh fence, together with warning and instructional signage to discourage public access.
Access and Car Parkin	g	
P 6	A 6.1	P 6 Complies
The Site of a stand alone Telecommunication Facility is provided with adequate Access and vehicle standing area to facilitate the required level of servicing and maintenance.	Any stand alone facility is provided with a vehicular driveway, of a maximum width of 4 metres, and vehicle standing area which are constructed to an all weather surface and to accommodate stormwater drainage, where required.  AND  A vehicle standing area is provided within the fenced Site	This unmanned facility is accessible for maintenance when required, with space for parking available.  Maintenance only occurs sporadically 3 to 4 times per year.

of any stand alone facility.

## F.4 DESIGN AND SITING OF ADVERTISING DEVICES CODE

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
Signage Type		
P 1  Advertising Devices are subservient in scale to the primary use of the Site and relate to the use/s carried out on the Site.	A 1.1 Where a Balloon, Blimp, Kite, Bunting, Flag, Banner or similar:	A1.1-1.12 Not Applicable  No advertising devices are proposed. The proposal is only to include signage which is instructional/safety related. Any signage is to be subservient in scale to the primary use of the site. Signage will be attached to fencing and buildings and are not likely to be visible from a significant distance.
	Where a Chalk Board or A Frame Sign:  • maximum of one Chalk Board or A Frame Sign per business, or Frontage; • maximum Height of 1 metre; • maximum width of 0.6 metre; • able to be readily relocatable on a daily basis, if located within a Road reserve;	

# Performance outcome

## Acceptable outcome

## Response

- do not rotate or spin in the wind;
- only allowable within a State-controlled Road reserve where the speed limit is 60 km/hr or less:
- if located within the Road reserve, located a minimum of 1 metre from the kerb:

#### OR

 where no kerb, a minimum of 10 metres from the edge of the Road carriageway.

## A 1.4

Where a Directional Sign:

- if attached to a street sign, has the same dimensions as the street sign, unilluminated and advertising the name and distance/direction to the business:
- maximum of one directional sign per business attached to any street sign;
- if attached to a property boundary fence or gate, maximum area of 0.3 m2, unilluminated and advertising only the name and distance/direction to the business which is carried out on the property;
- maximum of one directional sign to any property boundary fence or gate for each Road Frontage.

## A 1.5

Where a Fascia Sign located on the fascia of an awning:

- maximum of one fascia sign per business or one per Frontage;
- maximum Height above Ground Level of 2.5 metres;
- does not project above or below the fascia of the Building;

## **Performance** Acceptable outcome Response outcome does not project within 0.45 metre Setback from the face of the kerb or where no kerb exists, 0.30 metre from the fascia. A1.6 Where a Home Activity or Home Based Business Sign: maximum of one sign per business; maximum area of 0.3 m2: located on the same premises as the Home Activity/ Home Based Business; not illuminated; advertises only the name and occupation of the operator of the business. A1.7 Where a Projecting Wall Sign: maximum of one projecting wall sign on any building facade or boundary wall; does not project further than 0.75 metres from the building line; minimum vertical clearance of 2.6 metres from the ground: not located above any awning and located at ground floor level; maximum surface area of 1 m2; maximum depth of 0.3 metres; does not project above the roof, parapet, or Building or wall line. A1.8 Where a Symbol, being any ornamental design or device not otherwise described, whether or not a message is included in the design or device: maximum area of 1 m2.

Where a Tenancy Sign:

## **Performance** Acceptable outcome Response outcome maximum of one tenancy sign per Site or development; maximum Height of 5 metres; maximum width of 1.5 metres: maximum depth of 0.3 metres: limited to one double sided sign with one advertising panel on each side of the sign, each advertising panel with a maximum area of 4 m2; located on the boundary of a Site or fixed to a wall on the boundary of a Site to a Road Frontage. A1.10 Where a Wall Sign: maximum of one wall sign on any building facade or boundary wall; maximum area of 4 m2; maximum length of 3 metres; maximum Height of 2 metres and sited at ground floor level of a Building or boundary wall; does not project further than 0.10 metres from the face of the wall. A1.11 Where a Window Sign: limited to windows on ground floor level only of any Building, or ground floor level and one level above if the Building is of a commercial nature; maximum area of 1.2 m2; maximum Height of 1 metre;

maximum length of 2.4

metres.

Sign:

Where an Indirectly Illuminated

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
	<ul> <li>artificial light limited to illuminating the face of the sign;</li> <li>does not cause light spillage from the source of external illumination;</li> <li>complies with other relevant requirements for the particular type of Advertising Device, which are specified in this Code;</li> <li>not located within a State-Controlled Road or on a Council Road.</li> </ul>	
P 2	A 2.1 Particular types of Advertising	A2 Not Applicable
Advertising Devices are located in appropriate areas, relative to the land uses in the area and the amenity and character of the area <sup>46</sup>	Devices are considered appropriate in the following locations:  Residential, Rural and Rural Settlement Areas:  Home Activity/Home Based Business Sign; and Directional Sign  Tourist and Residential Areas:  Projecting Wall Sign;  Projecting Wall Sign;  Huminated Sign.  Commercial and Tourist Commercial Areas:  Balloon, Blimp, Kite, Bunting, Flag, Banner or similar (temporary);  Below Awning Sign;  Chalk Board or A Frame Sign;  Chalk Board or A Frame Sign;  Projectional Sign;  Projecting Wall Sign;  Projecting Wall Sign;  Wall Sign;  Wall Sign;	No advertising devices are proposed. The proposal is only to include signage which is instructional/safety related. Any signage is to be subservient in scale to the primary use of the site. Signage will be attached to fencing and buildings and are not likely to be visible from a significant distance.

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
	Window Sign; and Indirectly Illuminated Sign.  Industrial Areas: Balloon, Blimp, Kite, Bunting, Flag, Banner or similar (temporary); Tenancy Sign; Wall Sign; Window Sign; and Indirectly Illuminated Sign.	

## F.5 FILLING AND EXCAVATION CODE

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
Filling and excavation	– General	
P1	A 1.1	P1 Complies
All filling and excavation work does not create a detrimental impact on the slope stability, erosion potential or visual amenity of the Site or the surrounding area.	The height of cut and/or fill, whether retained or not, does not exceed 2 metres in height. AND  Cuts in excess of those stated in A1.1 above are separated by benches/terraces with a minimum width of 1.2 metres that incorporate drainage provisions and screen planting.	The proposed site area comprises negligible slope. It is not proposed to include filling and excavation work likely to impact slope stability. The only excavation is likely to be for pier type footings (approximately 10 m <sup>2</sup> ).
	A 1.2	
	Cuts are supported by batters, retaining or rock walls and associated benches/terraces are capable of supporting mature vegetation.	
	A 1.3	
	Cuts are screened from view by the siting of the Building/structure, wherever possible.	

# Performance outcome

## Acceptable outcome

## Response

#### A 1.4

Topsoil from the Site is retained from cuttings and reused on benches/terraces.

#### A 1.5

No crest of any cut or toe of any fill, or any part of any retaining wall or structure, is located closer than 600 mm to any boundary of the property, unless the prior written approval of the adjoining landowner and the Council, has been obtained.

#### A 1.6

Non-retained cut and/or fill on slopes are stabilised and protected against scour and erosion by suitable measures, such as grassing, Landscaping or other protective/aesthetic measures.

## Visual Impact and Site stability

## P 2

Filling and excavation are carried out in such a manner that the visual/scenic amenity of the area and the privacy and stability of adjoining properties is not compromised.

#### A 2.1

The extent of filling or excavation does not exceed 40% of the Site area or 500 m2 whichever is the lesser.

**EXCEPT THAT** 

A2.1 does not apply to reconfiguration of 5 lots or more.

#### A 2.2

Filling and excavation does not occur within 2 metres of the Site boundary.

## **A2.1 Complies**

The proposed site area comprises negligible slope. It is not proposed to include filling and excavation work likely to impact slope stability. The only excavation is likely to be for pier type footings (approximately 10 m<sup>2</sup>).

## A 2.2 Complies

The proposal is set back more than 2m from any boundary.

#### Flooding and Drainage

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
P 3	A 3.1	A3.1 Complies
Filling and excavation does not result in a change to the run off characteristics of a Site which then have a detrimental impact upon the Site or nearby land or adjacent Road reserves.	Filling and excavation does not result in the ponding of water on a Site or adjacent land or Road reserves.	The proposal occurs on a site with negligible slope. It is not proposed to include filling and excavation work intended to vary levels. The only excavation is likely to be for pier type footings. Ponding is not likely to occur.
	A 3.2	A3.2 - 3.3 Complies
	Filling and excavation does not result in an increase in the flow of water across a Site or any other land or Road reserves.	The proposal occurs on a site with negligible slope. It is not proposed to include filling and excavation work intended to vary levels. The only excavation is likely to be for pier type
	A 3.3	footings. Ponding is not likely to occur.
	Filling and excavation does not result in an increase in the volume of water or concentration of water in a Watercourse and overland flow paths.	Further, the proposal's impervious surface area is negligible. The lease area is to be gravel, rather than hard surface such as concrete.
	A 3.4	A3.2 Complies
	Filling and excavation complies with the specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy No 6 – FNQROC Development Manual.	The proposal occurs on a site with negligible slope. It is not proposed to include filling and excavation work intended to vary levels. The only excavation is likely to be for pier type footings. Specifications in the Planning Scheme Policy No 6 – FNQROC Development Manual will be followed as applicable and can be conditioned as part of development approval.
Water Quality		
P 4	A 4.1	A3.2 Complies
Filling and excavation does not result in a reduction of the water quality of receiving waters.	Water quality is maintained to comply with the specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy No 6 – FNQROC Development Manual.	The proposal occurs on a site with negligible slope. It is not proposed to include filling and excavation work intended to vary levels. The only excavation is likely to be for pier type.

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waters.

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
		footings. As such, the proposal is not likely to contribute to sediment pollution in runoff.

F.6 LAND	SCAPING CODE	
Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
Landscape design		
P1	A 1.1	P 1 Complies
Landscape design satisfies the purpose and the detailed requirements of this Code.	Landscaping is undertaken in accordance with a Landscape Plan drawn to scale which complies with and illustrates all the relevant requirements of this Code and Planning Scheme Policy No 7 – Landscaping. AND Landscaping is maintained in accordance with the requirements specified in this Code and Planning Scheme Policy No 7 – Landscaping.	No New landscaping is proposed, however additional landscaping can be provided at Council's request. The site is located within Council parkland, comprising significant mature vegetation which will be retained. This provides screening to the proposal from the time of installation.  This vegetation will be retained to ensure visual impact is minimised for the proposal to ensure the facility does not dominate the streetscape.  The proposal can be conditioned to comply with Code and Planning Scheme Policy No 7 – Landscaping.
Landscape- Character	and Planting	
P2	A 2.1	A2.1 Complies
Landscaping contributes to a sense of place, is functional to the surroundings and provides dominant visual interest and form.	A minimum of 80% of the proposed landscape area is open to the sky for sunlight and ventilation.	No New landscaping is proposed, however additional landscaping can be provided at Council's request. The site is located within Council parkland, comprising significant mature vegetation which will be retained.  This parkland is 100% open to the sky and provides screening to the proposal from the time of installation.
	A 2.2	A 2.2 – 2.3 Not applicable

#### **Performance** Response Acceptable outcome outcome The percentage of native or No New landscaping is proposed, endemic species utilised in the however additional landscaping can Landscaping is as specified in the be provided at Council's request. The Locality Code. site is located within Council parkland, OR comprising significant mature Where not specified in the vegetation which will be retained. Locality Code, in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy The proposal can be conditioned to No. 7 – Landscaping. comply with Code and Planning Scheme Policy No 7 – Landscaping A 2.3 where required. Landscaping includes planting layers comprised of canopy, middle storey, screening and groundcovers, with palm trees used as accent plants only. P 3 A 3.1 PA3.1-3.3 Complies Existing native vegetation on Site No New landscaping is proposed, Landscaping is is retained and incorporated into however additional landscaping can consistent with the the Site design, wherever be provided at Council's request. The existing landscape possible. site is located within Council parkland, character of the area and native vegetation comprising significant mature existing on the Site is to vegetation which will be retained. A 3.2 be retained wherever possible and integrated Any mature vegetation on the Site with new which is removed or damaged Landscaping47. during development of the Site is replaced with advanced native species. A 3.3 Where there is an existing landscape character in a street or locality which results from existing vegetation, similar species are planted on Site or on the street. A 3.4 A 3.4 Not applicable Street trees are 100% native No New landscaping is proposed, species which enhance the however additional landscaping can landscape character of the be provided at Council's request. The streetscape, with species chosen site is located within Council parkland, from the Plant Species Schedule

in Planning Scheme Policy No 7 -

Landscaping.

comprising significant mature

vegetation which will be retained.

# Performance outcome

## Acceptable outcome

## Response

The proposal can be conditioned to comply with Code and Planning Scheme Policy No 7 – Landscaping where required.

#### P 4

Plant species are selected with consideration to the scale and form of development, screening, buffering, streetscape, shading and the locality of the area.

#### A 4.1

Species are selected in accordance with the Plant Species Schedule in Planning Scheme Policy No 7 – Landscaping.

## A4.1 Not Applicable

No New landscaping is proposed, however additional landscaping can be provided at Council's request. The site is located within Council parkland, comprising significant mature vegetation which will be retained.

The proposal can be conditioned to comply with Code and Planning Scheme Policy No 7 – Landscaping where required.

#### P 5

Shade planting is provided in car parking areas where uncovered or open, and adjacent to driveways and internal Roadways.

#### A 5.1

Where car parking areas are uncovered or open, shade trees are planted at regular intervals (a minimum of 1 shade tree is provided for every 5 car parks) throughout the car parking areas, and adjacent to driveways and internal Roadways.

#### A 5.2

A minimum of 1 shade tree is provided for every 10 metres along a driveway or internal Roadway.

#### A 5.3

Landscape beds and trees are protected by garden edging, bollards or wheel stops.

## A 5.4

Trees within car parking areas have a minimum planting area the equivalent of 1 car parking bay, with a minimum topsoil depth of 0.8 metre.

## A5.1 -5.4 Not applicable

The proposal is for an unmanned telecommunications facility. No formal parking is proposed on site.

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response			
Screening					
P 6	A 6.1	A 6.1 Not Applicable			
Fences along street Frontages are articulated with appropriate Landscaping.	Perimeter fencing to any street Frontage complies with the relevant Planning Area Code.	No perimeter fencing along street frontages is proposed. Fencing surrounding the proposed lease area on site is adequately setback from the property boundary, screened by existing vegetation.			
	A 6.2	A 6.2. Not applicable			
	Trees, shrubs and groundcovers are planted within any recessed areas along the fence line.	No new plantings are proposed. The proposal retains existing screening vegetation on site.			
P 7	A 7.1	A7.1-7.4 Not applicable			
Landscaping within Recreation Areas of residential development are functional, well designed and enhance	One shade tree is provided for each private open space or private Recreation Area.  A 7.2	The proposal is not for residential development.			
the residential amenity.	Tree species provide 30% shade over the area within 5 years.				
	A 7.3  A minimum of 50% of the Landscaping and Recreational Area is landscaped, with trees, shrubs, groundcovers, minimising large expanses of hardstand areas and structures.				
	A 7.4				
	Plants are located to provide shelter and shade to Habitable Rooms and outdoor Recreation Areas from the hot summer sun.				
P 8	A 8.1	A8.1 Not Applicable			
Undesirable features are screened with Landscaping.	Landscaping of Dense Planting is planted along and near retaining walls, long blank walls of Buildings, mechanical and air-	No new landscaping is proposed.  Existing vegetation will be retained to provide significant screening of the			

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response		
	conditioning units, clothes drying areas, bin enclosures and other utility structures with appropriate trees, shrubs and groundcovers.	lower parts of the tower and equipment shelter, assisting to offset visual impact.		
P 9	A 9.1	A9.1 Complies		
The environmental values of the Site and adjacent land are enhanced.	Landscaping using similar endemic or native species, is planted on-Site on land adjoining an area of natural environmental value.	No New landscaping is proposed, however additional landscaping can be provided at Council's request. The site is located within Council parkland, comprising significant mature vegetation which will be retained.  The proposal can be conditioned to comply with Code and Planning Scheme Policy No 7 – Landscaping where required.		
Streetscape and Site Amenity				

## P 10

Landscaping for residential development enhances the streetscape and the visual appearance of the development.

## A 10.1

Dense Planting along the front of the Site incorporates:

- shade canopy trees to provide shade to the Frontage of the Site within 5 years of planting;
- landscape screening of blank walls;
- low shrubs, groundcovers and mulch to completely cover unsealed ground.

## A 10.2

Dense Planting to the rear of the Site incorporates:

- 1 shade tree for an average of every 75 m2, growing to the Building eave Height within 5 years of planting;
- screening shrubs to grow to 3 metres in Height within 2 years of planting;
- low shrubs, groundcovers and mulch to completely cover unsealed ground.

The proposal is not for residential development.

A10.1- 10.3 Not applicable

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response	
	A 10.3		
	Dense Planting to the side boundaries incorporates:  • trees planted for an average of every 10 metres where adjacent to a Building;  • low shrubs, groundcovers and mulch to completely cover unsealed ground.		
P 11	A 11.1	P 11.1-11.3 Not Applicable	
Landscaping for non- residential development enhances the streetscape and the visual appearance of the development.	Dense Planting along the front boundary of the Site where a Building is Setback from the front alignment, incorporates:  • shade canopy trees to provide shade to the Frontage of the Site within 5 years of planting here appropriate;  • landscape screening of blank	No New landscaping is proposed, however additional landscaping can be provided at Council's request. The site is located within Council parkland, comprising significant mature vegetation which will be retained.  The facility is located well away from frontages and permits the considerable screening effect of existing vegetation to continue at	
	A 11.2	frontages.	
	Dense Planting to the rear of the Site where a Building is Setback from the rear alignment, incorporates:  • 1 shade tree for an average of every 75 m2 growing to the Building eave Height within 5 years of planting; • screening shrubs to grow to 3 metres in Height within 2 years of planting; • low shrubs, groundcovers and mulch to completely cover unsealed ground.		
	A 11.3		
	Dense Planting to the side boundaries where visible from the street or adjoining a boundary to a different Planning Area, and		

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response		
	where a Building is Setback from the side boundary, incorporates:  • trees planted for an average of every 10 metres where adjacent to a Building;  • screening shrubs, low shrubs and groundcover appropriate for the amount of space, light and ventilation of the area;  • low shrubs, groundcovers and mulch to completely cover unsealed ground.			
	A 11.4			
	A minimum of 20% of shade trees and shrubs is incorporated in all areas of Landscaping growing to the Building eave Height within 5 years.			
P 12	A12.1	P12 Complies		
Landscaped areas are designed in order to be maintained in an efficient manner.	A maintenance program is undertaken in accordance with the Maintenance Schedule in Planning Scheme Policy No 7 – Landscaping.	While the proposal does not include landscaped areas, the lease area along with the facility itself are to be maintained at intervals for safe and effective operation of the unmanned facility. The lease area is to be kept free of weeds and debris.		
	A 12.2	A 12.2 Not applicable		
	A reticulated irrigation system is provided to common Landscaping and Recreation Areas and planter boxes in accordance with Australian Standards, with 1 hose cock within each area.	No irrigation system is proposed.		
	4.400	A 40 0 Not on 11 11		
	A 12.3  Turf areas are accessible by standard lawn maintenance equipment.	A 12.3 Not applicable  The lease area will comprise gravel ground. No turf areas are proposed.		

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response		
	A 12.4	A 12.4 Not applicable		
	Plant species are selected with long life expectancy and minimal maintenance requirements where on-Site management will be limited.	No New landscaping is proposed, however additional landscaping can be provided at Council's request. The lease area will comprise gravel ground. The site is located within Council parkland, comprising significant mature vegetation which will be retained.		
	A12.5	A 12.5 Not applicable		
	Mulching is provided to all garden beds to reduce weed growth and to retain water, and is to be replenished every year in the ongoing maintenance program.	No New landscaping is proposed, however additional landscaping can be provided at Council's request. The lease area will comprise gravel ground. The site is located within Council parkland, comprising significant mature vegetation which will be retained.		
P 13	A 13.1	A13.1-13.3		
Stormwater runoff is minimised and re-used in Landscaping through water infiltration, where appropriate.	Adequate drainage is provided to all paving, turf and garden beds, including the use of swales, spoon drains, subsurface drainage, field gullies, rock or pebble lined Watercourses and stormwater connections.	The lease area is to be of gravel, allowing infiltration of water to soil, rather than increasing runoff.  No overland flow path is identified on site.		
	A13.2			
	Overland flow paths are not to be restricted by Landscaping works.			
	A13.3			
	Water runoff is re-used through draining of hard surface areas towards permeable surfaces, turf, garden beds and by minimising impervious surfaces on the Site.			
P 14	A 14.1	A14.1 Not Applicable		

#### **Performance** Response Acceptable outcome outcome Tree species and their Trees located near pathways, The proposal does not include any location accommodate driveways, Access points, parking new plantings, including to areas for vehicle and pedestrian areas and street corners have a access. sight lines. minimum 3.0 metres of clear trunk. P 15 A 15.1 A15.1 Not applicable Security and foot lighting is No security and foot lighting is provided to all common areas, The landscape design proposed. Public access to the lease enhances personal including car parks, entries, area is restricted by a fence. The safety and reduces the driveways and pathways. facility's distance from other buildings potential for crime and vandalism. or developments means it is not likely to affect vandalism potential A 15.2 elsewhere. Hard surfaces are stable, nonslippery and useable in all The design of the facility will comply weathers. with relevant standards for workplace health and safety and will only be frequented occasionally by qualified technicians. A 15.3 A 15.3 Not applicable Bushfire hazard is minimised with No new plantings are proposed. planting of bushfire resistant species near bushfire prone areas, (refer to the Bushfire Risk Overlay on the relevant Locality Map). A 15,4 A 15.3 Not applicable Lighting for bicycle paths is No bicycle lighting is proposed. provided in accordance with the relevant Australian Standards **Utilities and services**

## P 16

The location and type of plant species does not adversely affect the function and accessibility of services and facilities and service areas.

#### A 16.1

Plant species are selected and sited with consideration to the location of overhead and underground services.

#### A 16.2

## P 16 Complies.

The design of service access (i.e-electricity conduits) takes into consideration existing tree species and locations. The proposal does not include new plantings.

# Performance outcome

## Acceptable outcome

## Response

All underground services are to be located under pathways and below the eaves of the Building.

#### A 16.3

Irrigation control devices are located in the common Landscaping and Recreation Area.

#### A 16.4

Landscaping is located to enable trade persons to Access and view meters and other mechanical equipment within the Site.

#### A 16.5

Landscaping does not limit Access for service vehicles or rubbish trucks to utility areas, bin enclosures or docking areas.

## A 16.6

Landscaping near electric lines or substations is designed and developed so that any vegetation at maturity or Landscaping structures or works do not exceed 40 metres in Height on land:

- in an electric line shadow; or
- within 5.0 metres of an electric line shadow; or within 5.0 metres of a substation boundary.

#### A 16.7

Elsewhere, vegetation is planted at a distance that is further from the nearest edge of an electric line shadow or substation boundary than the expected maximum Height at maturity of the vegetation.

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response
	A 16.8  On a Site adjoining an electricity substation boundary, the vegetation foliage at maturity is not within 3.0 metres of the substation boundary. However, where a substation has a solid wall along any part of its boundary, foliage may extend to, but not above or beyond, that solid wall.	

## F.7 VEHICLE PARKING AND ACCESS CODE

F./ VEHICLE PARKING AND ACCESS CODE					
Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response			
Vehicle parking numbe	rs				
P 1	A 1.1	P1 Complies			
Sufficient parking spaces are provided on the Site to accommodate the amount and type of vehicle traffic expected to be generated by the use or uses of the Site, having particular regard to:  • the desired character of the area in which the Site is located; • the nature of the particular use and its specific characteristics and scale; • the number of employees and the likely number of visitors to the Site; • the level of local accessibility;	The minimum number of vehicle parking spaces provided on the Site is not less than the number prescribed in Schedule 1 of this Code for the particular use or uses. Where the number of spaces calculated from the Schedule is not a whole number, the number of spaces provided is the next highest whole number.	The proposal is for an unmanned telecommunication facility, with attendance expected to occur infrequently for maintenance.  Technicians attending by vehicle have space available for parking and it is not a facility intended for public access. Schedule 1 stipulates a number of spaces for each staff member. The facility will not have permanent staff members.			

## **Performance** outcome

- the nature and frequency of any public transport serving the area;
- whether or not the use involves the retention of an existina Building and the previous requirements for car parking for the Building;
- whether or not the use involves an identified Valuable Conservation Feature and Valuable Site; and
- whether or not the use involves the retention of significant vegetation.

## Acceptable outcome

## Response

## Parking for People with Disabilities

## P 2

Parking spaces are provided to meet the needs of vehicle occupants with disabilities<sup>49</sup>.

## A 2.1

For parking areas with a total number of ordinary vehicle spaces less than 50, wheelchair accessible spaces are provided as follows:

- Medical, higher education, entertainment facilities and shopping centres - 2 spaces;
- All other uses 1 space.

## P 2 Not applicable

Given that the facility is only to be visited by technicians with the ability to ascend a ladder and access sometimes physically demanding spaces, it is not expected that people with a disability are required to access the site.

#### A 2.2

For parking areas with 50 or more ordinary vehicle spaces, wheelchair accessible spaces are provided as follows:

## P 2 Not applicable

Given that the facility is only to be visited by technicians with the ability to ascend a ladder and access sometimes physically demanding

## **Performance** Acceptable outcome Response outcome Medical, higher spaces, it is not expected that people education, entertainment with a disability are required to access facilities and shopping the site. centres - 3% (to the closest whole number) of the total number of spaces required: All other uses - 2% (to the closest whole number) of the total number of spaces required. **Motor cycles**

## P 3

In recognition that motorcycles are low Road-space transport, a proportion of the parking spaces provided may be for motorcycles. The proportion provided for motor cycles is selected so that:

- ordinary vehicles do not demand parking in the spaces reserved for motor cycles due to capacity constraints; and.
- it is a reflection of the make-up of the likely vehicle fleet that uses the parking; and,
- it is not a reflection of the lower cost of providing motorcycle parking

## A 3.1

Parking for motorcycles is substituted for ordinary vehicle parking to a maximum level of 2% per cent of total ordinary parking. AND

The motorcycle parking complies with other elements of this Code.

## P 3 Not applicable

The site is only to be visited by technicians for maintenance. It is expected these infrequent visits would require various tools and equipment, making a motor cycle an unlikely vehicle choice.

## **Compact vehicles**

#### **Performance** Acceptable outcome Response outcome P 4 A 4.1 P 4 Not applicable For parking areas exceeding 100 The site is not expected to be A proportion of the spaces for short term users or 50 accessed by compact vehicles, nor is parking spaces provided spaces for long-term users, the application seeking to allocate parking is provided for compact may be for compact spaces for them. vehicles. The proportion vehicles as a substitute for of total parking provided ordinary vehicle parking so that: for compact vehicles is compact vehicle parking selected considering: does not exceed 10% of total vehicle parking compact required; and, vehicles the parking location is spaces are not proximate to the entry available to locations for parking non-compact users; and, vehicles; and, the parking provided it is a reflection complies with other of the elements of this Code. proportion of the likely vehicle fleet that uses the parking; and, compact vehicle spaces are located so as to be proximate to pedestrian destinations such that they present significant inclination for use by users of compact vehicles; and, the scale of parking spaces, likely users and the likely dearee of familiarity with the availability of such spaces.

## Bicycles parking

#### P 5 A 5.1

Sufficient bicycle parking spaces with appropriate security and end of trip facilities are

The minimum number of bicycle parking spaces provided on Site is not less than the number prescribed in Schedule 1 of this

## P 5 Not applicable

The site is only to be visited by technicians for maintenance. It is expected these infrequent visits would require various tools and equipment,

# Performance outcome provided on-Site to accommodate the amount of bicycles expected to be generated by the use or uses. Acceptable outcome Code, for the particular use or uses. making a bicycle an impractical vehicle choice.

#### Vehicular access to site

#### P 6

The location of Access points minimises conflicts and is designed to operate efficiently and safely taking into account:

- the amount and type of vehicular traffic;
- the type of use (eg long-stay, short-stay, regular, casual);
- Frontage Road traffic conditions;
- the nature and extent of future street or intersection improvements;
- current and future on-street parking arrangements;
- the capacity of the adjacent street system;
   and
- the available sight distance.

## A 6.1

The location of the Access points is in accordance with the provisions of the relevant Australian Standards.
AND

Where the Site has Frontage to more than one street, the Access is from the lowest order street.

#### A 6.2

All redundant Accesses must be removed and a suitable barrier Erected to prevent further use of the Access.

#### A 6.3

Only one Access point is to be provided to each Site unless stated otherwise in another Code.

## P 6 Complies

The site is to be access via Escape Street. The site will be accessed infrequently and is not expected to generate traffic volume able to create conflict or demand for on street parking.

Escape Street, offers good visibility for from expected site access point.

## Accessibility and amenity for users

#### P 7

On-Site vehicle parking is provided where it is convenient, attractive

## A 7.1

Short term visitor parking is provided at the front or on the main approach side of the Site, with easy Access to the Building

## P 7 Complies

On-site parking is informal and will be used infrequently, as the site is unmanned. As such, it is integrated

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response		
and safe to use, and does not detract from an attractive or existing streetscape character.	entry, where such provision is in keeping with the desired character of the area in which the Site is located. AND  In mixed use premises that include residential or accommodation uses (excluding, Port Douglas – Tourist Centre), at least 50% of the required number of parking spaces for the non-residential use/s on the Site is provided in an easily accessible location on the premises, so as to be convenient to use for customers and other visitors.	into the existing open space. Vehicles, when present, are expected to be largely obscured from view behind vegetation from most directions.		
P 8	A 8.1	P 7 Complies		
The layout of parking areas provides a high degree of amenity and accessibility for different users.	The layout of the parking area provides for the accessibility and amenity of the following:  People with Disabilities Cyclists Motorcyclists Compact Vehicles Ordinary Vehicles Service Delivery Vehicles.	On –site parking is relatively informal and will be used infrequently, as the site is unmanned. The site is not likely to be visited by a wide range of vehicles or users, as it will be visited only infrequently by technicians in commercial vehicles.		
	A 8.2	A 8.2 Not applicable		
	Where covered parking areas are required in accordance with Schedule 1 of this Code, sails or other secure structural forms of covering provide shade and weather protection for vehicles and passengers.	Covered parking is not required.		
Access Driveways				
P 9	A 9.1	P 9 Complies		
The dimensions of Access driveways cater for all vehicles likely to enter the Site and minimises the disruption	Access driveways are designed in accordance with the provisions of the relevant Australian Standards.	The access point to the site is the existing access path off Escape Street and can be easily negotiated by expected commercial vehicles.		

#### **Performance** Acceptable outcome Response outcome of vehicular, cyclist and pedestrian traffic. P 10 A 10.1 P10 Not applicable Surface construction materials No new access driveway is proposed. The surface construction are consistent with the current or materials of Access intended future streetscape or driveways within the character of the area and contrast Road reserve contribute with the surface construction to the streetscape and materials of any adjacent alerts pedestrians to the footpath. location of the driveway. **Access for People with Disabilities** P 11 A 11.1 P 11 Not applicable Access for people with disabilities Given that the facility is only to be Access for people with is provided in accordance with the visited by technicians with the ability disabilities is provided to relevant provisions of the to ascend a ladder and access Australian Standards. the Building from the physically demanding spaces, it is not parking area and from the street. expected that people with a disability are required to access the site. Access for pedestrians A 12.1 P 12 Not applicable P 12 Defined, safe pedestrian Given the site is to be accessed only Access for pedestrians pathways are provided to the by technicians, using a range of is provided to the Building entry from the parking equipment requiring transport, it is not Building from the area and from the street. expected pedestrians will access the parking area and from the street. site. **Access for cyclists** P 13 A 13.1 P 13 Not applicable Access pathways for cyclists are Given the site is to be accessed only provided in accordance with the Access for cyclists is by technicians, using a range of provided to the Building relevant provisions of the equipment requiring transport, it is not or to bicycle parking Australian Standards. expected cyclists will access the site. area from the street. AND Where Access for cyclists is

shared with Access for

pedestrians and vehicles, the

## **Performance** outcome

## Acceptable outcome

## Response

shared use is identified by signage and linemarking.

## Dimension of parking spaces

#### P 14

Parking spaces have adequate areas and dimensions to meet user requirements.

#### A 14.1

Car parking for the disabled, ordinary car parking spaces and motorcycle parking spaces meet the requirements of the relevant Australian Standards.

#### AND

Parking spaces for special vehicles that are classified in accordance with the relevant Australian Standards meet the requirements of that Standard. AND

Parking spaces for standard sized buses have the following minimum dimensions:

- width: 4 metres
- length: 20 metres
- clear Height: 4 metres.

#### AND

Parking spaces for compact vehicles have the following minimum dimensions:

- 15 per cent less in width measurements than required by Australian Standards for any ordinary vehicle; and,
- 20 per cent less in length measurements than required by Australian Standards for any ordinary vehicle.

#### AND

Parking spaces for special vehicles meet the requirements dictated by the vehicle dimensions and manoeuvring characteristics and provide sufficient clearance to obstructions and adjacent vehicles to achieve a level of service to users equivalent to that specified by the relevant Australian Standards.

## P 14 Complies

On-site parking is relatively informal and will be used infrequently, as the site is unmanned. The site is not likely to be visited by a wide range of vehicles or users, as it will be visited only infrequently by technicians in commercial vehicles. The area for parking is able to accommodate the expected commercial vehicle.

Performance outcome	Acceptable outcome	Response		
	A 14.2  Parking spaces for bicycles meet the requirement of the relevant Australian Standard.	A 14.2 Not applicable  The site is not expected to be visited by bicycle users.		

## On-site driveways, Manoeuvring Areas and Parking/Standing Areas

## P 15

On-Site driveways, manoeuvring areas and vehicle parking/standing areas are designed, constructed and maintained such that they:

- are at gradients suitable for intended vehicle use:
- consider the shared movements of pedestrians and cyclists;
- are effectively drained and surfaced; and
- are available at all times they are required.

#### A 15.1

On-Site driveways, vehicle manoeuvring and loading/unloading areas:

are sealed in urban areas:

#### AND

upgraded to minimise noise, dust and runoff in other areas of the Shire in accordance with the relevant Locality Code;

- have gradients and other design features in accordance with the provisions of the relevant Australian Standards;
- drain adequately and in such a way that adjoining and downstream land is not adversely affected.

## P 15 Complies

The site is flat and requires no earthworks to attain a suitable gradient for driveway, manoeuvring and parking areas.

#### A 15.2

Parking areas are kept and used exclusively for parking and are maintained in a suitable condition for parking.

## A 15.2 Not applicable

The proposal complies with P15.

However, it is noted the area to be used for parking is not expected to be under demand for another use, as the site is in existing open space. It will be maintained as necessary for the occasional maintenance visits.

## Vehicle circulation, Queuing and set down areas

## P 16

Sufficient area or appropriate circulation arrangements are provided to enable all

## A 16.1

Circulation and turning areas comply with the provisions of the relevant Australian Standards.

## P 16 Complies

Vehicles will easily be able to manoeuvre on the large site so as to

Performance outcome  vehicles expected to use the Site to drive on and off the Site in forward gear.	Acceptable outcome	Response  leave the site to Mowbray Street in a forward gear.		
P 17	A 17.1	P 17 Complies		
An on-Site circulation system provides safe and practical Access to all parking, loading/unloading and manoeuvring areas.	Circulation driveways comply with the provisions of the relevant Australian Standards.	It is not expected that multiple vehicles will be traversing the site, however there is ample opportunity for the occasional visiting technician's vehicle to access the parking area.		
Where vehicle queuing, set down or special vehicle parking is expected, sufficient queuing or parking area is provided to enable vehicles to stand without obstructing the free flow of moving traffic or pedestrian movement.	A 18.1  Queuing and set down areas comply with the relevant Australian Standard and any relevant AUSTROAD Guidelines.	P 18 Not applicable  Vehicle queuing or special parking is not expected to occur as a result of occasional maintenance visits.		



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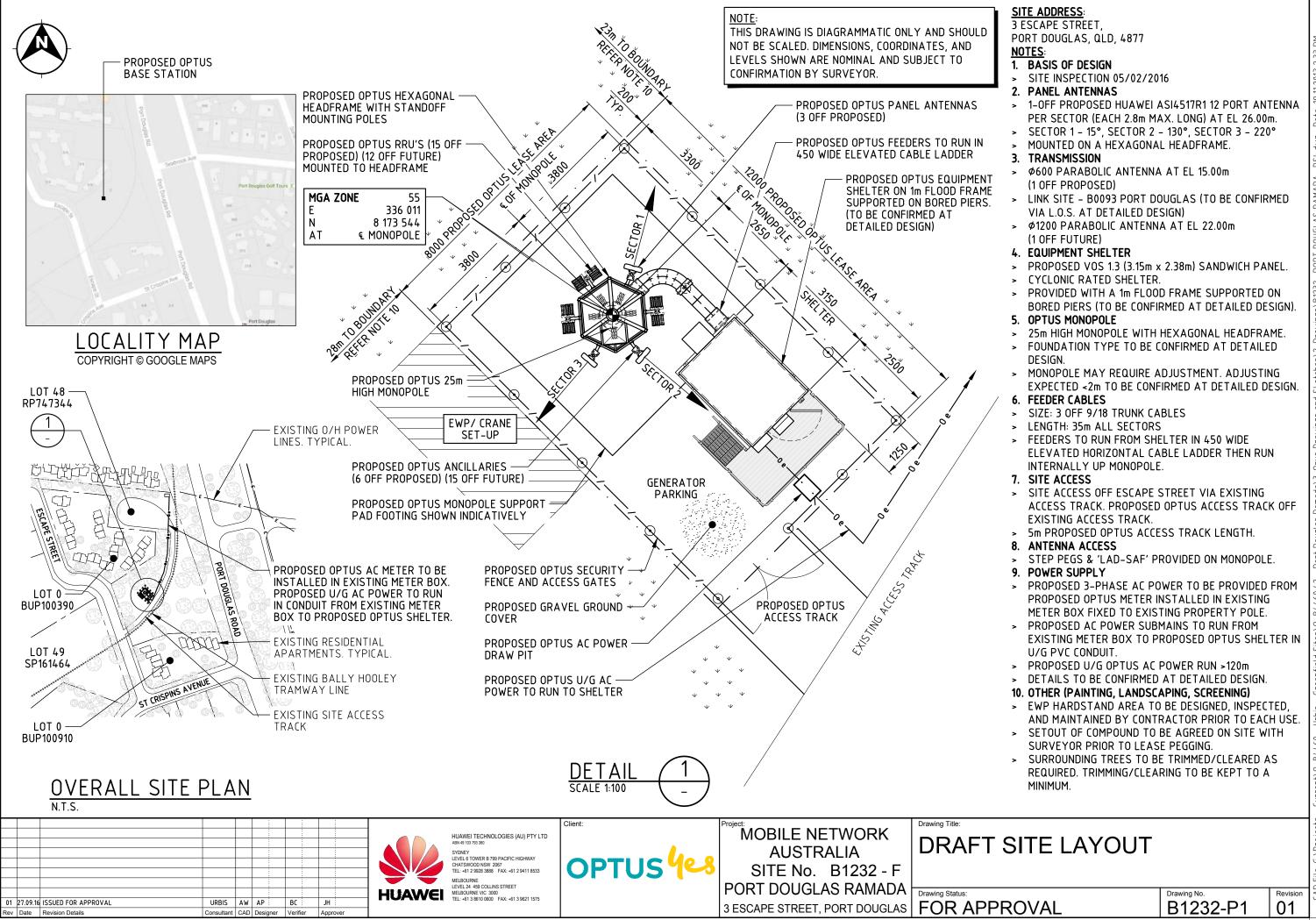
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# Environmental EME Report 3 Escape Street, PORT DOUGLAS QLD 4877

This report provides a summary of Calculated RF EME Levels around the wireless base station

## Date 28/10/2016

**RFNSA Site No. 4877007** 

## Introduction

The purpose of this report is to provide calculations of EME levels from the existing facilities at the site and any proposed additional facilities.

This report provides a summary of levels of radiofrequency (RF) electromagnetic energy (EME) around the wireless base station at 3 Escape Street PORT DOUGLAS QLD 4877. These levels have been calculated by Huawei using methodology developed by the Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency (ARPANSA).

The maximum EME level calculated for the proposed systems at this site is 0.94% of the public exposure limit.

## The ARPANSA Standard

ARPANSA, an Australian Government agency in the Health and Ageing portfolio, has established a Radiation Protection Standard specifying limits for general public exposure to RF transmissions at frequencies used by wireless base stations. The Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA) mandates the exposure limits of the ARPANSA Standard.

## How the EME is calculated in this report

The procedure used for these calculations is documented in the ARPANSA Technical Report "Radio Frequency EME Exposure Levels - Prediction Methodologies" which is available at http://www.arpansa.gov.au.

RF EME values are calculated at 1.5m above ground at various distances from the base station, assuming level ground.

The estimate is based on worst-case scenario, including:

- wireless base station transmitters for mobile and broadband data operating at maximum power
- simultaneous telephone calls and data transmission
- an unobstructed line of sight view to the antennas.

In practice, exposures are usually lower because:

- the presence of buildings, trees and other features of the environment reduces signal strength
- the base station automatically adjusts transmit power to the minimum required.

Maximum EME levels are estimated in 360° circular bands out to 500m from the base station.

These levels are cumulative and take into account emissions from all wireless base station antennas at this site. The EME levels are presented in three different units:

- volts per metre (V/m) the electric field component of the RF wave
- milliwatts per square metre (mW/m²) the power density (or rate of flow of RF energy per unit area)
- percentage (%) of the ARPANSA Standard public exposure limit (the public exposure limit = 100%).

## Results

The maximum EME level calculated for the proposed systems at this site is 5.048 V/m; equivalent to 67.6 mW/m² or 0.94% of the public exposure limit.

## Radio Systems at the Site

There are currently no existing radio systems for this site.

It is proposed that this base station will have equipment for transmitting the following services:

Carrier	Radio Systems
Optus	LTE700 (proposed), WCDMA900 (proposed), WCDMA2100 (proposed), LTE2600 (proposed), LTE1800 (proposed)

## **Calculated EME Levels**

This table provides calculations of RF EME at different distances from the base station for emissions from existing equipment alone and for emissions from existing equipment and proposed equipment combined.

	Maximum Cumulative EME Level at 1.5m above ground – all carriers at this site					
Distance from the antennas at 3 Escape Street in 360° circular bands	Existing Equipment		Proposed Equipment			
	Electric Field V/m	Power Density mW/m²	% ARPANSA exposure limits	Electric Field V/m	Power Density mW/m²	% ARPANSA exposure limits
0m to 50m 50m to 100m 100m to 200m 200m to 300m 300m to 400m 400m to 500m				3.79 2.65 5.048 4.7 3.21 2.42	38.014 18.58 67.6 58.68 27.39 15.47	0.49% 0.26% 0.94% 0.81% 0.38% 0.21%
Maximum EME level				5.048 161.32 m fro	67.6 om the antennas Street	0.94 at 3 Escape

## Calculated EME levels at other areas of interest

This table contains calculations of the maximum EME levels at selected areas of interest that have been identified through the consultation requirements of the Communications Alliance Ltd Deployment Code C564:2011 or via any other means. The calculations are performed over the indicated height range and include all existing and any proposed radio systems for this site.

Additional Locations	Height / Scan relative to location ground level	Maximum Cumulative EME Level All Carriers at this site Existing and Proposed Equipment		
		Electric Field V/m	Power Density mW/m²	% of ARPANSA exposure limits
1 No locations identified				

## **RF EME Exposure Standard**

The calculated EME levels in this report have been expressed as percentages of the ARPANSA RF Standard and this table shows the actual RF EME limits used for the frequency bands available. At frequencies below 2000 MHz the limits vary across the band and the limit has been determined at the Assessment Frequency indicated. The four exposure limit figures quoted are equivalent values expressed in different units – volts per metre (V/m), watts per square metre ( $W/m^2$ ), microwatts per square centimetre ( $W/m^2$ ) and milliwatts per square metre ( $W/m^2$ ). Note: 1  $W/m^2$  = 100  $W/m^2$ .

Radio Systems	Frequency Band	Assessment Frequency	ARPANSA Exposure Limit (100% of Standard)
LTE 700	758 – 803 MHz	750 MHz	$37.6 \text{ V/m} = 3.75 \text{ W/m}^2 = 375  \mu\text{W/cm}^2 = 3750  m\text{W/m}^2$
WCDMA850	870 – 890 MHz	900 MHz	$41.1 \text{ V/m} = 4.50 \text{ W/m}^2 = 450  \mu\text{W/cm}^2 = 4500  m\text{W/m}^2$
GSM900, LTE900, WCDMA900	935 – 960 MHz	900 MHz	$41.1 \text{ V/m} = 4.50 \text{ W/m}^2 = 450  \mu\text{W/cm}^2 = 4500  m\text{W/m}^2$
GSM1800, LTE1800	1805 – 1880 MHz	1800 MHz	$58.1 \text{ V/m} = 9.00 \text{ W/m}^2 = 900  \mu\text{W/cm}^2 = 9000  m\text{W/m}^2$
LTE2100, WCDMA2100	2110 – 2170 MHz	2100 MHz	$61.4 \text{ V/m} = 10.00 \text{ W/m}^2 = 1000  \mu\text{W/cm}^2 = 10000  m\text{W/m}^2$
LTE2300	2302 – 2400 MHz	2300 MHz	$61.4 \text{ V/m} = 10.00 \text{ W/m}^2 = 1000  \mu\text{W/cm}^2 = 10000  m\text{W/m}^2$
LTE2600	2620 – 2690 MHz	2600 MHz	$61.4 \text{ V/m} = 10.00 \text{ W/m}^2 = 1000  \mu\text{W/cm}^2 = 10000  m\text{W/m}^2$
LTE3500	3425 – 3575 MHz	3500 MHz	$61.4 \text{ V/m} = 10.00 \text{ W/m}^2 = 1000  \mu\text{W/cm}^2 = 10000  m\text{W/m}^2$

## **Further Information**

The Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency (ARPANSA) is a Federal Government agency incorporated under the Health and Ageing portfolio. ARPANSA is charged with responsibility for protecting the health and safety of people, and the environment, from the harmful effects of radiation (ionising and non-ionising).

Information about RF EME can be accessed at the ARPANSA website, http://www.arpansa.gov.au, including:

- Further explanation of this report in the document "Understanding the ARPANSA Environmental EME Report"
- The procedure used for the calculations in this report is documented in the ARPANSA Technical Report; "Radio Frequency EME Exposure Levels - Prediction Methodologies"
- the current RF EME exposure standard
  - Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency (ARPANSA), 2002, 'Radiation Protection Standard: Maximum Exposure Levels to Radiofrequency Fields 3 kHz to 300 GHz', Radiation Protection Series Publication No. 3, ARPANSA, Yallambie Australia.

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The Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA) is responsible for the regulation of broadcasting, radiocommunications, telecommunications and online content. Information on EME is available at <a href="http://emr.acma.gov.au">http://emr.acma.gov.au</a>

The Communications Alliance Ltd Industry Code C564:2011 'Mobile Phone Base Station Deployment' is available from the Communications Alliance Ltd website, <a href="http://commsalliance.com.au">http://commsalliance.com.au</a>.

Contact details for the Carriers (mobile phone companies) present at this site and the most recent version of this document are available online at the Radio Frequency National Site Archive, <a href="http://www.rfnsa.com.au">http://www.rfnsa.com.au</a>.

# Company owner's consent to the making of a development application under the Sustainable Planning Act 2009

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