

Environmental Planning and Assessment Amendment (NorthConnex) Order 2014

under the

Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979

I, the Minister for Planning, in pursuance of sections 115U (4) and 115V of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*, make the following Order. Dated, this 28th day of August 2014.

PRU GOWARD, MP Minister for Planning

Explanatory note

The object of this Order is to modify the declaration of a project as State significant infrastructure and critical State significant infrastructure so as:

- (a) to rename the project as the NorthConnex project, and
- (b) to specify that the project is a new road, and

(c) to update the suburbs in which the project may be carried out.

This Order is made under sections 115U (4) and 115V of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979.

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1 Name of Order

This Order is the Environmental Planning and Assessment Amendment (NorthConnex) Order 2014.

2 Commencement

This Order commences on the day on which it is published on the NSW legislation website.

3 Amendment of State Environmental Planning Policy (State and Regional Development) 2011

Schedule 5 Critical State significant infrastructure

Omit "Development for the purposes of the F3–M2 project being the construction and operation of a multi-lane road link between the M1 Pacific Motorway (formerly the F3 Sydney–Newcastle Expressway) at North Wahroonga and the M2 Hills Motorway at North Rocks, on land in the suburbs of Hornsby, North Wahroonga, Wahroonga, Normanhurst, Thornleigh, Pennant Hills, Beecroft, West Pennant Hills, Carlingford and North Rocks" from clause 3 (1).

Insert instead "Development for the purposes of the NorthConnex project being a new multi-lane road link between the M1 Pacific Motorway (formerly the F3 Sydney–Newcastle Expressway) at North Wahroonga and the Hills M2 Motorway at Baulkham Hills, on land in the suburbs of Hornsby, North Wahroonga, Wahroonga, Normanhurst, Thornleigh, Pennant Hills, Beecroft, West Pennant Hills, Carlingford, North Rocks, Northmead and Baulkham Hills".