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Dear Mr Deegan

We are pleased to be able to forward to you today a joint submission on behalf of the *Bankstown City Council* and *Bankstown Airport Limited*. Our submission represents unique and close co-operation between a major private sector company and a major Metropolitan Local Council.

In this joint submission we propose construction of essential world-class sustainable economic and environmental integrated infrastructure for the Bankstown Airport - Milperra Specialised Centre ("The Centre"), promoting integration of new and existing major infrastructure assets with this economic and employment growth centre, a major gateway to Sydney's East and West.

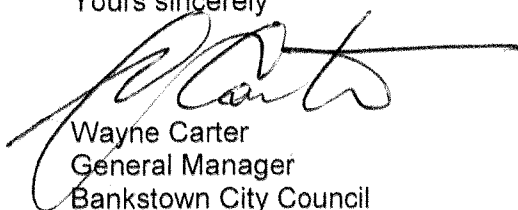
The measures proposed will promote national economic and employment growth, productivity, environmental sustainability, and improve socio-economic opportunities. Development of this infrastructure will create a platform for future growth and prosperity in Western Sydney, one of the largest regional economies in Australia.

It comprises a coordinated package of infrastructure to be planned collaboratively between all levels of Government and the private sector. It includes large, medium and small projects to remove infrastructure gaps, unlock economic and transport bottlenecks to growth and prosperity, promote a major knowledge based integrated economic centre in Western Sydney, and create new employment and economic growth in the national economy.

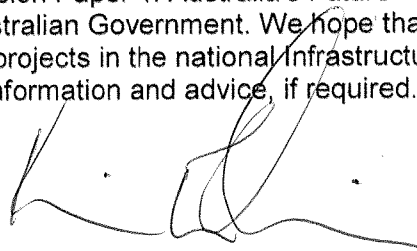
It will increase Australia's productivity and diversify economic capabilities by establishing infrastructure leading to efficiencies in the delivery of imports and exports, and efficiencies for commercial and industrial development.

We have taken care in preparing this submission to closely address the Submission Guidelines and the guidance set out in Discussion Paper 1: Australia's Future Infrastructure Requirements issued by the Australian Government. We hope that you will give serious consideration to listing these projects in the national Infrastructure Priority List. We are happy to provide further information and advice, if required.

Yours sincerely



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