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Minister for Planning c/- Mr Cameron Pearce Development Approvals and Design Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning O'NEILL CONSULTING

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Dear Cameron

APPLICATION FOR PLANNING PERMIT PA2101253 427-441 SPRINGVALE ROAD AND 5 AND 7 ANN STREET, SPRINGVALE RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

We continue to act on behalf of the applicant for planning permit and refer to your letter dated 13 July 2021 requesting further information and our response dated 16 August 2021.

As noted in that response the historical planning permit search was taking some time through the council, but that we would forward copies of permits when they are received.

We have now received a response in relation to our request pertaining to the properties at 5 and 7 Ann Street. Council has advised that no permits have issued for the property at 7 Ann Street. Two planning permits have issued pertaining to 5 Ann Street. We hereby enclose copies of all correspondence, including the planning permits.

In relation to the permits for 5 Ann Street, we note that the 1977 permit (122/77) allowed for the conversion of a residential dwelling to a teachers' staffroom. The permit contained conditions regulating the use, noting that students and visitors to the school were not permitted to enter the school via the site (condition c) and that the building could not be used for interviews or meetings with parents, or for social functions (condition e). On the basis of the confined nature of the use, we are of the view that it does not authorise the use of the land as 'education centre' and it is therefore appropriate that we have sought approval for that use as part of this application. Having said that, it is clear that there has been a long history of the property being used by the school for the purpose of a non-residential use.

Should you require any further information please contact me 0408 458 830 or by email at rachael@oneillconsulting.net.au.

Yours sincerely

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