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Councillor Clover Moore Lord Mayor of Sydney City of Sydney 483 George Street Sydney NSW 2000

Dear Ms Moore

Thank you for your correspondence to the former Minister for Transport and Roads regarding a walking and cycling connection over the rail line at Redfern. I have been asked to respond to you.

The NSW Government is investing in the renewal of the Redfern North Eveleigh Precinct to create a unique mixed-use development, located within the important heritage fabric of North Eveleigh. Australian and international experience demonstrates that revitalising historic transport buildings can create some of the most desirable spaces in a city.

The Precinct, which will be connected to the upgraded Redfern Station, will be opened to create homes for new residents, including affordable housing, spaces for the jobs of the future and opportunities for local business and retail. It will also create new social and cultural spaces for the community.

Transport for NSW acknowledges the interest from City of Sydney and the community regarding a second bridge connecting North and South Eveleigh. Both the Strategic Vision released to the community in 2020 and the recently released Tech Central Strategy identify a second crossing as a potential option for the precinct.

Transport for NSW is investigating the feasibility of a direct link from North to South Eveleigh and further information will be available in future phases of the renewal. You may be assured that Transport for NSW will continue to engage with the City and key stakeholders on the renewal, including any further plans on the second bridge.

Should you have questions, you are welcome to contact Ms Tanya Kulakovska, Community Engagement Manager at Transport for NSW, on 0428 051 419.

I trust this information is of assistance.

Yours sincerely

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