VISUAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

APPENDIX V





Sydney Metro City & Southwest

Pitt Street South Over Station Development:

Visual Impact Analysis

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1. Visual Impact Analysis

Pitt Street South OSD Concept State Significant Development Application

1.1 Background

This document was prepared by Virtual Ideas and includes a description of the processes used to create the visual impact photomontages and illustrate the accuracy of the results.

Virtual Ideas is a highly experienced 3D visualisation company which commonly prepares material for court use, and is familiar with the court requirements to provide 3D visualisation media that will communicate the design and visual impact. Our methodologies and results have been inspected by various court appointed experts in a variety of cases and have always been found to be accurate and acceptable.

1.2 Overview

The general process in creating accurate photomontage renderings involves the creation of an accurate, real world scale digital 3D model. We then take site photographs and place cameras in the 3D model that match the real world position that the photographs were taken on site.

The camera positions are then surveyed to identify the MGA coordinates at each position.

By matching the real world camera lens properties to the camera properties in our software and rotating the camera so that surveyed points in 3D space align with the corresponding points on the photograph, we can create a rendering that is correct in terms of position, scale, rotation, and perspective.

The rendering can then be superimposed into the real photo to generate an image that represents accurate form and visual impact.

1.3 Description of collected data

To create the 3D model and establish accurate reference points for alignment to the photography, a variety of information was collected. This includes the following:

Architectural design of proposed building envelope

Created by: GHD Woodhead

Format: Revit model

Surveyed data

Created by: CMS Surveyors

Format: DWG file

Site photography

Created by: Virtual Ideas (VI Photos)

Format: JPEG file

Surveyed 3D city model

Created by: AAM

Format: 3DS Studio Max file

Approved DA building envelopes Supplied by: GHD Woodhead

Format: Revit model



Notes on images

The photomontages are also showing the indicative building massing at the following addresses for the purpose of visual assessment of the future surrounding city scape:

- Greenland Centre, 115 Bathurst Street
- 116 Bathurst Street

1.4 Methodology

Site Photography

Site photography was taken from predetermined positions as instructed by Sydney Metro and GHD Woodhead. Photographs were taken using a Canon EOS 5DS R digital camera, using a Canon EF16-35mm f/4L IS USM lens.

The positions of the photographs were surveyed and then plotted onto survey drawing in DWG format.

3D Model

Using the imported surveyed data into our 3D software (3DS Max), we then imported the supplied 3D model of the proposed building envelope and relevant DA approved building massings.

Alignment

The positions of the real world photography were located in the 3D scene. Cameras were then created in the 3D model to match the locations and height of the position from which the photographs were taken from. They were then aligned in rotation so that the points of the 3D model aligned with their corresponding objects that are visible in the photograph.

Renderings of the building massing were then created from the aligned 3D cameras and montaged into the existing photography at the same location. This produces an accurate representation of the scale and position of the new building envelope with respect to the existing surroundings.

In conclusion, it is my opinion as an experienced, professional 3D architectural and landscape renderer that the images provided accurately portray the level of visibility and impact of the built form.

Yours sincerely,

Grant Kolln



1.5 CV of Grant Kolln, Director of Virtual Ideas

Personal Details

Name: Grant Kolln DOB: 07/09/1974

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Relevant Experience

2003 - Present Director of 3D visualisation studio Virtual Ideas. During this time I have worked on many visual impact studies for legal proceedings in various different types of

industries including architectural, industrial, mining, landscaping, and several large public works projects. This experience has enables us to create highly accurate

methodologies for the creation of our visual impact media and report creation.

1999 - 2001 Project Manager for global SAP infrastructure implementation - Ericsson, Sweden

1999 - 1999 IT Consultant - Sci-Fi Channel, London

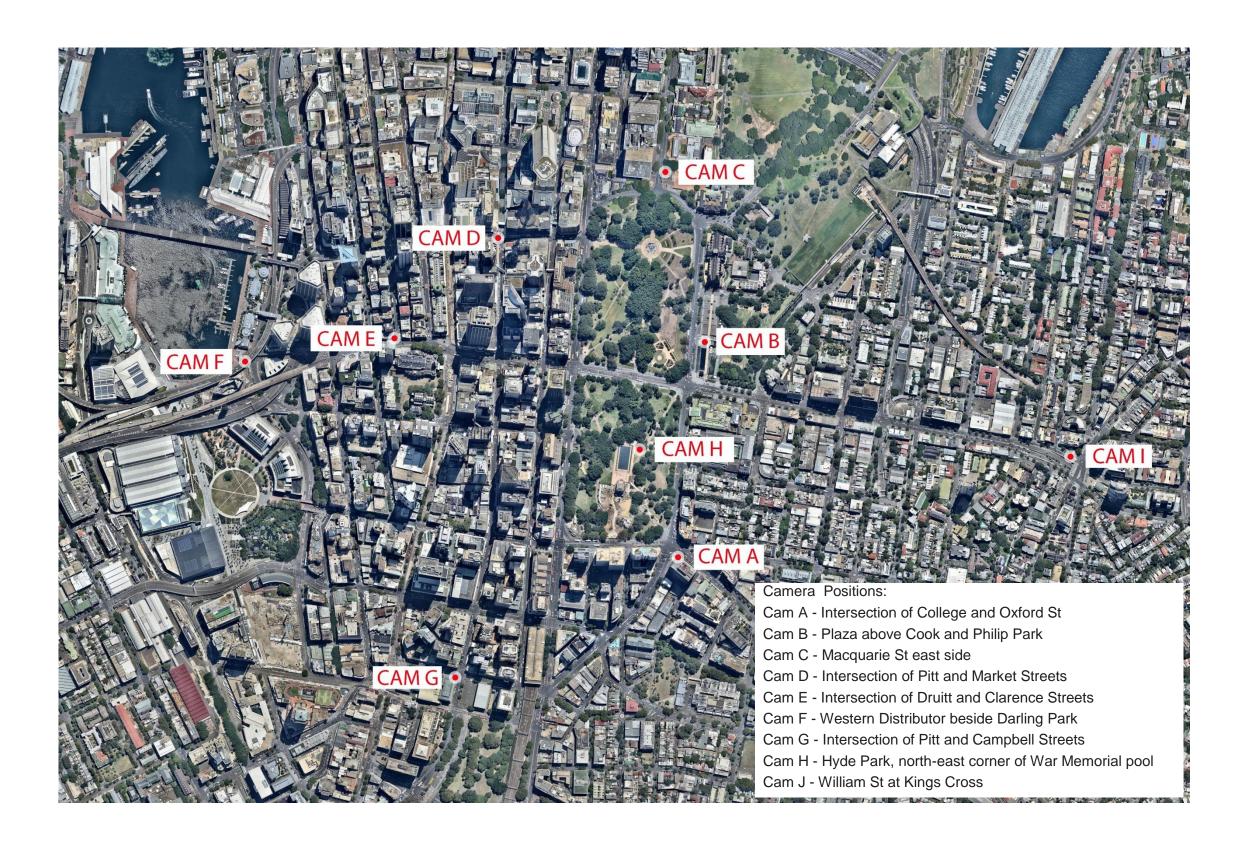
1994 - 1999 Architectural Technician, Thomson Adsett Architect, Brisbane, QLD

Relevant Education / Qualifications

1997 Advanced Diploma in Architectural Technology, Southbank TAFE, Brisbane, QLD



1.6 **Key map indicating location of photography positions**





2.1. Camera Position A - Overview

Original photograph



Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photomontage of proposed envelope





1.7 Camera Position A - Original photograph



Camera Position A - Photomontage of proposed envelope



Photo Date -

Photo Lens -

26th September 2017 16mm

Camera Position A - Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photo Date -26th

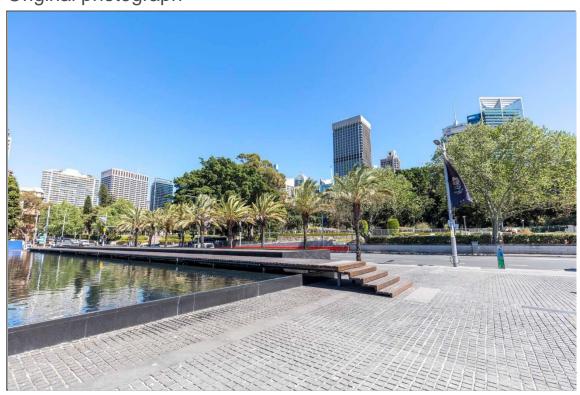
Photo Lens - 16mm

September 2017

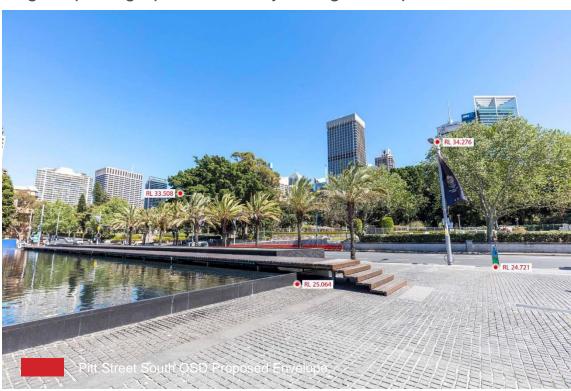


1.8 Camera Position B - Overview

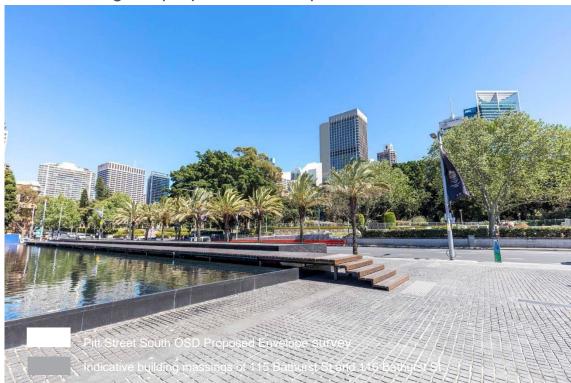
Original photograph



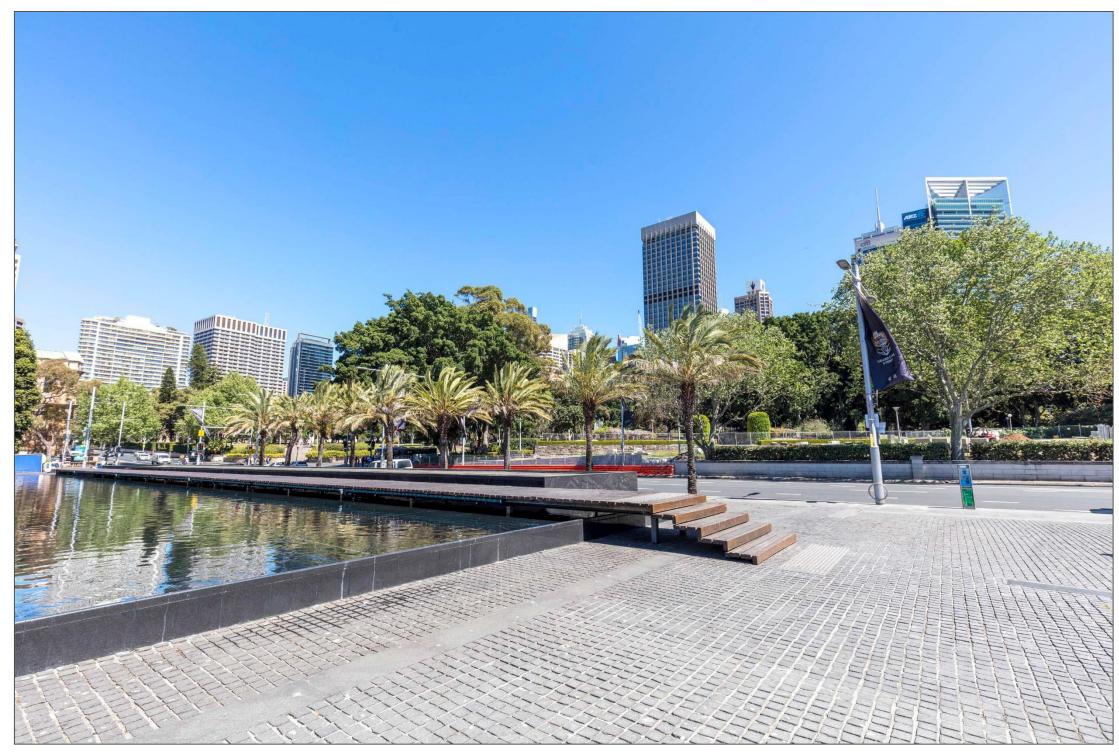
Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photomontage of proposed envelope



Camera Position B - Original photograph



Camera Position B - Photomontage of proposed envelope



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September 2017 16mm

Camera Position B - Original photograph with surveyed alignment points

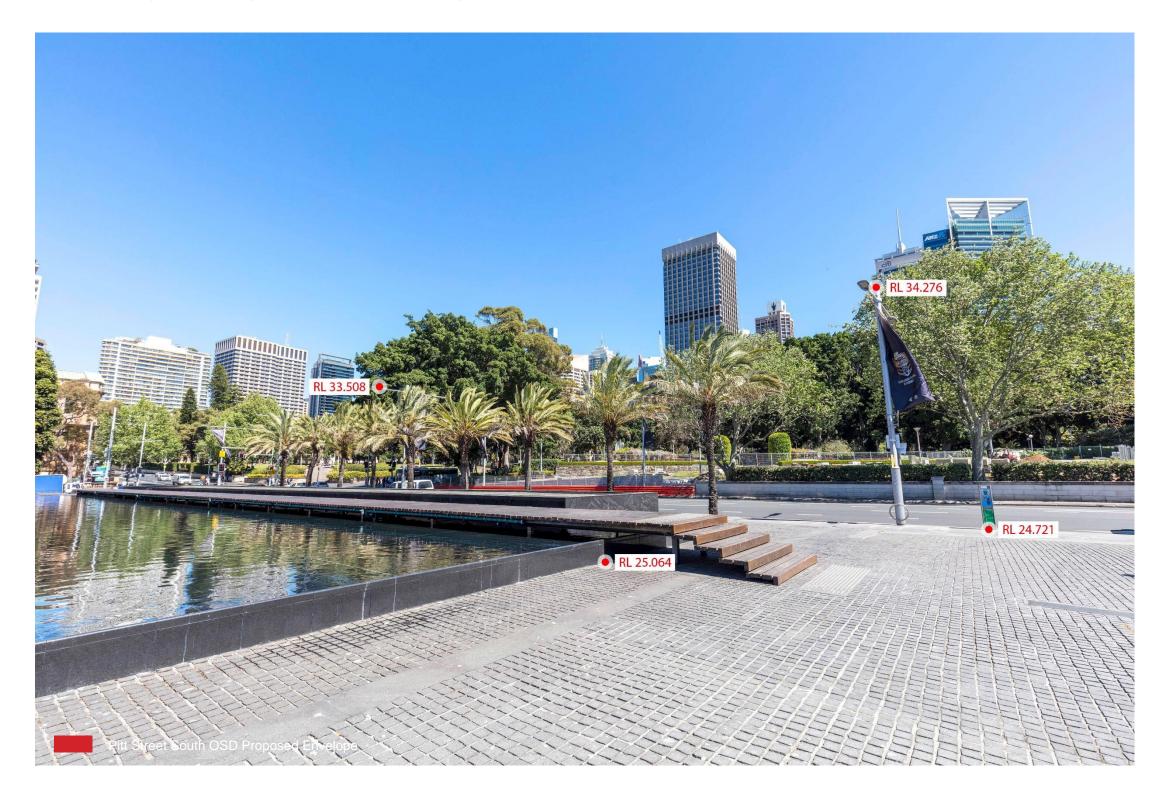


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Photo Lens - 16mm



1.9 Camera Position C - Overview

Original photograph



Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photomontage of proposed envelope



Camera Position C - Original photograph

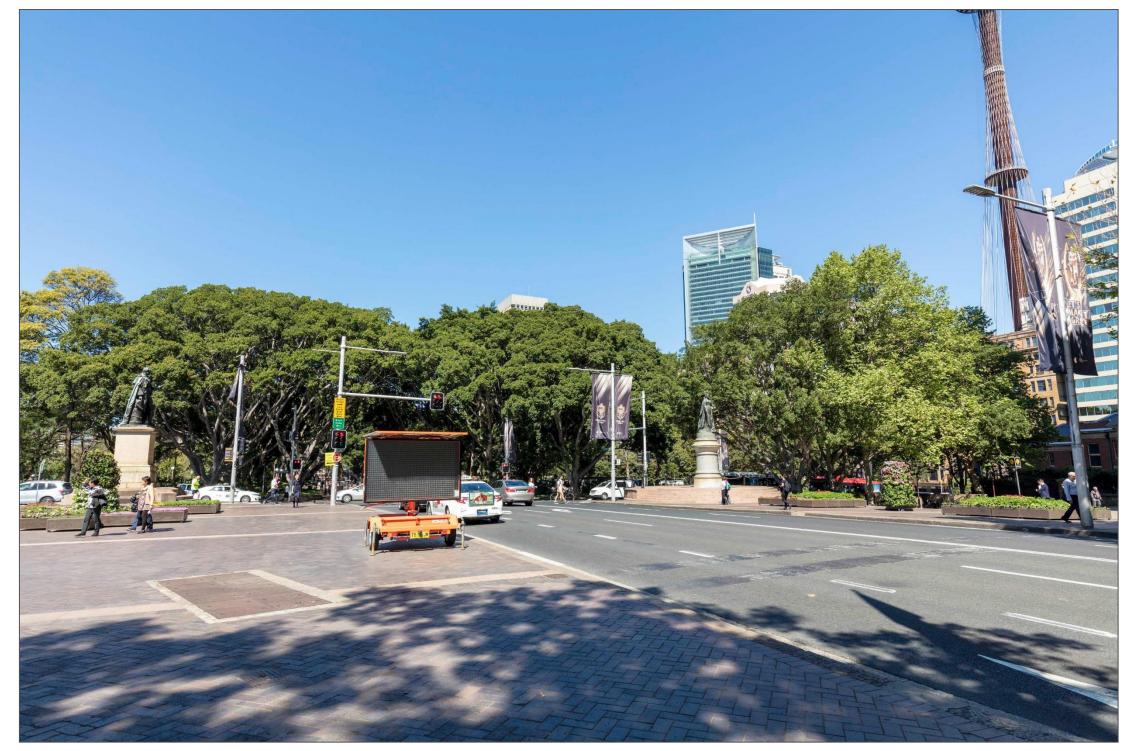


Photo Date - 29th September 2017

Photo Lens - 20mm

Camera Position C - Photomontage of proposed envelope



Photo Date - 29th Photo Lens -

September 2017 20mm

Camera Position C - Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photo Date - 29th September 2017

Photo Lens - 20mm



1.10 Camera Position D - Overview

Original photograph



Original photograph with surveyed city model & alignment point



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Photomontage of proposed envelope



Camera Position D - Original photograph

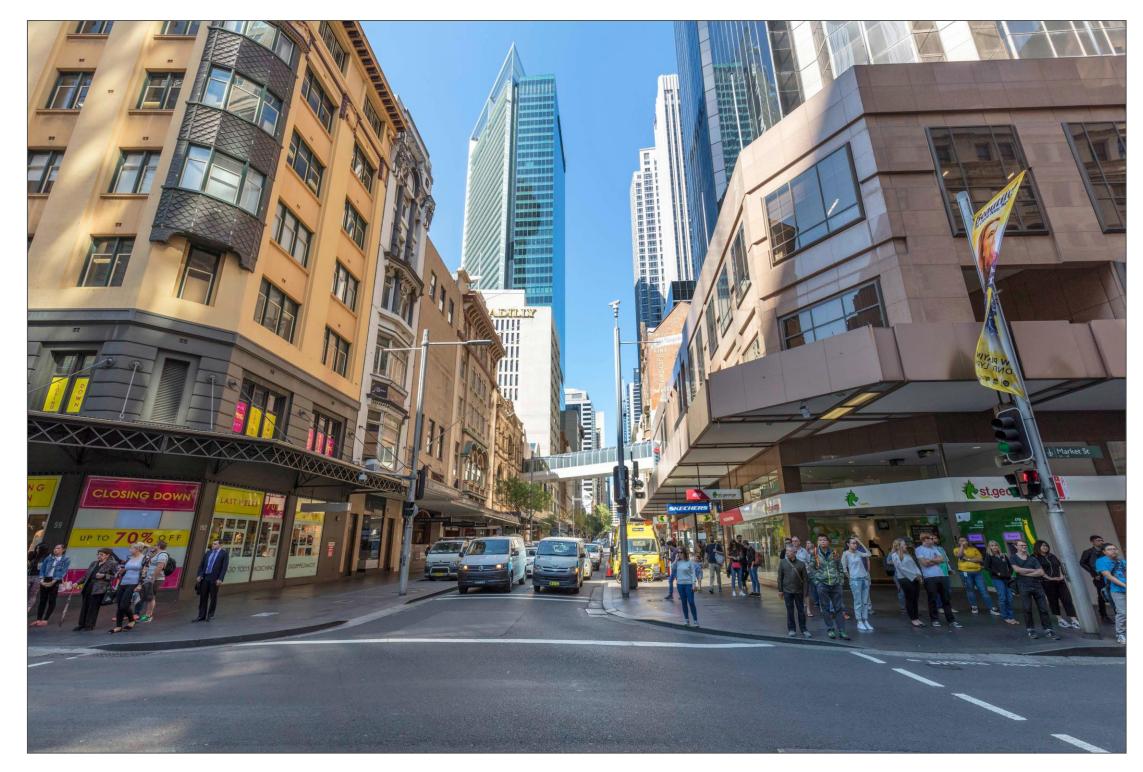


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Photo Lens - 16mm

Camera Position D - Photomontage of proposed envelope

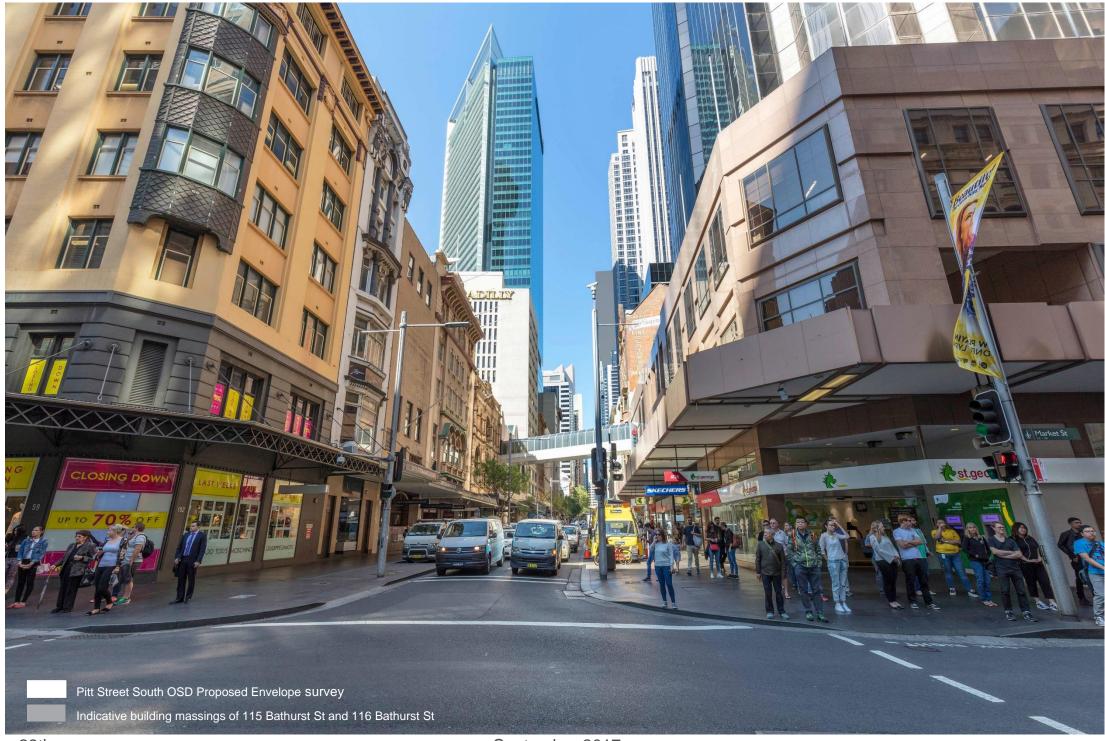


Photo Date - 29th Photo Lens - September 2017 16mm

Camera Position D - Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photo Date - 29th September 2017

Photo Lens - 16mm



1.11 Camera Position E - Overview

Original photograph



Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photomontage of proposed envelope

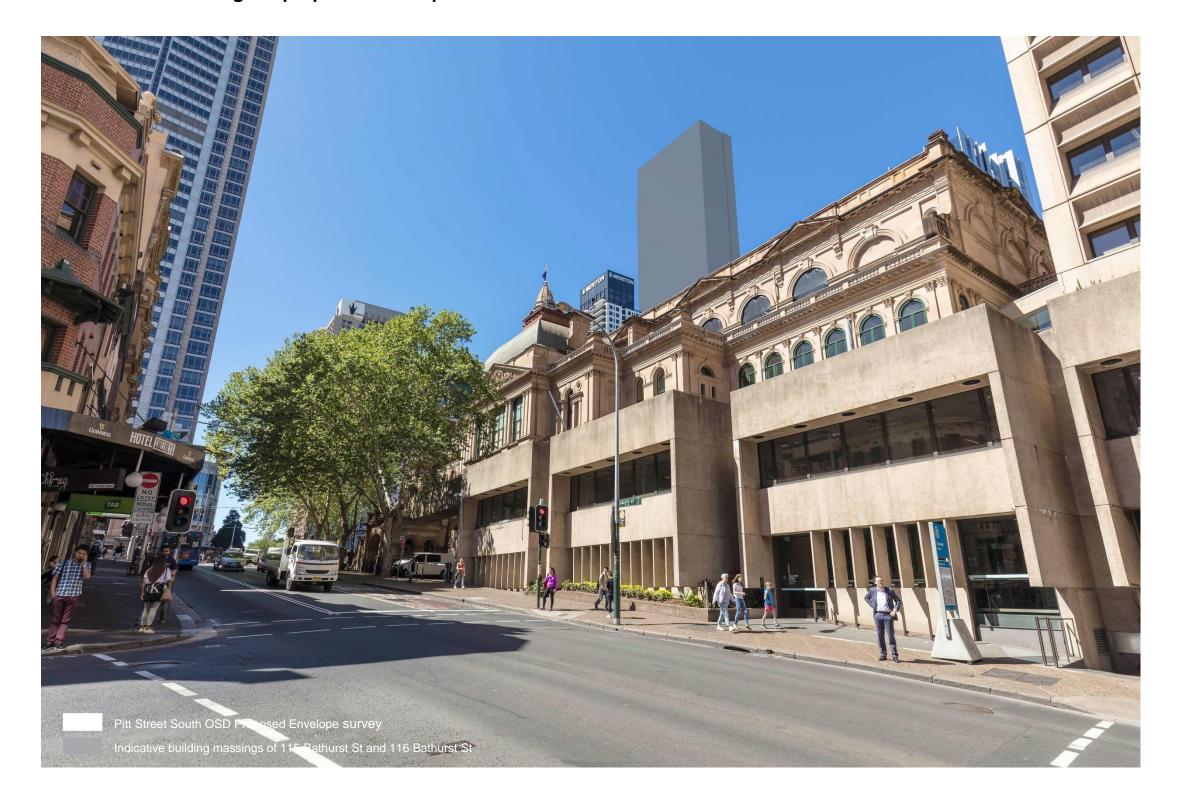


Camera Position E - Original photograph





Camera Position E - Photomontage of proposed envelope





Camera Position E - Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photo Date - 26th September 2017

Photo Lens - 20mm



1.12 Camera Position F - Overview

Original photograph



Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photomontage of proposed envelope



Camera Position F - Original photograph

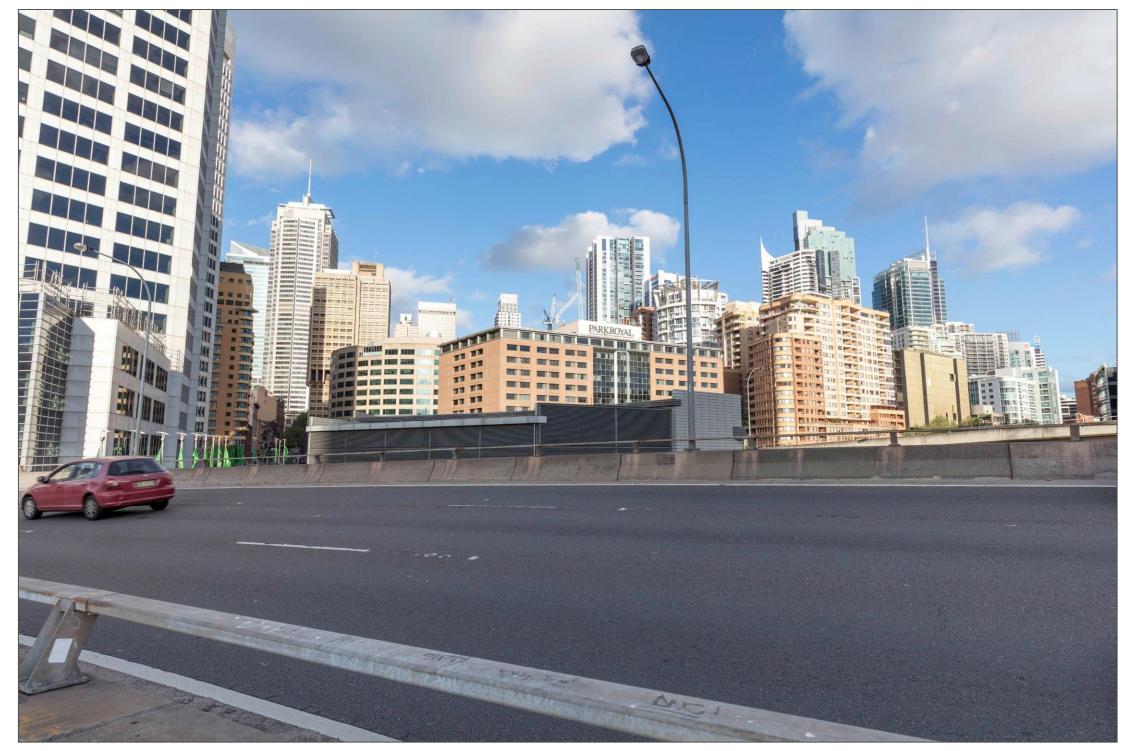
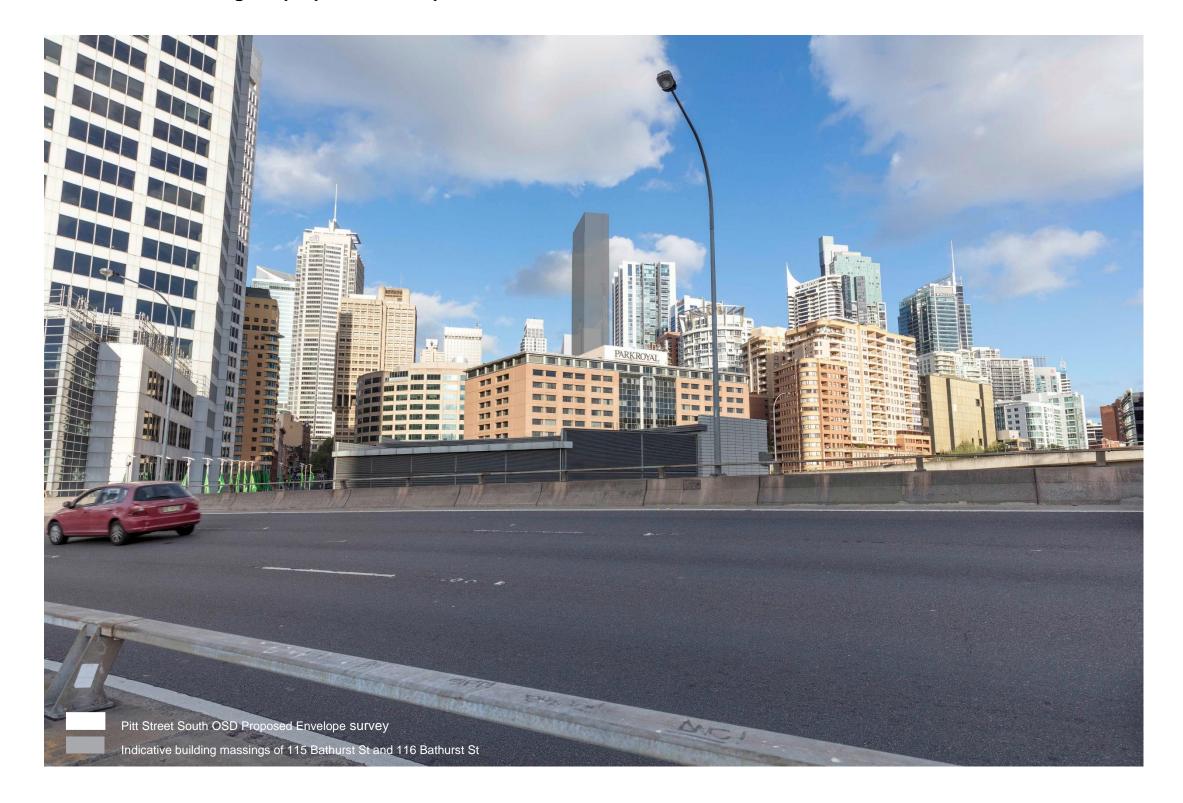


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Camera Position F - Photomontage of proposed envelope







Camera Position F - Original photograph with surveyed alignment points

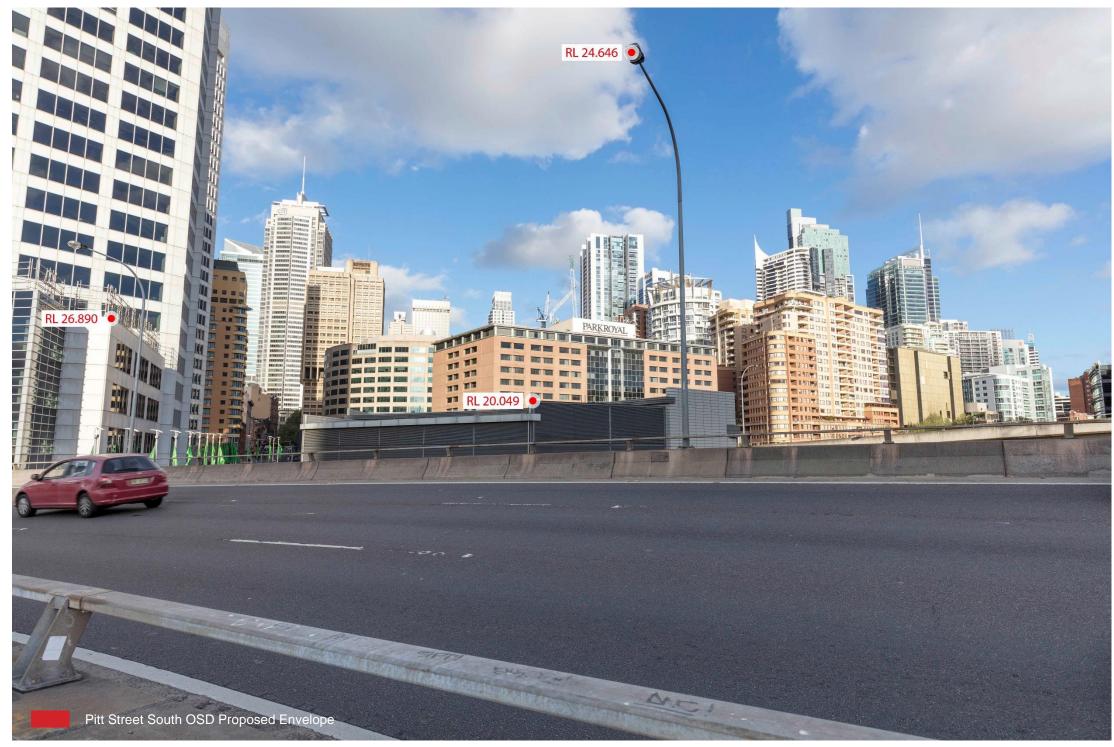


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Photo Lens - 20mm



1.13 Camera Position G - Overview

Original photograph



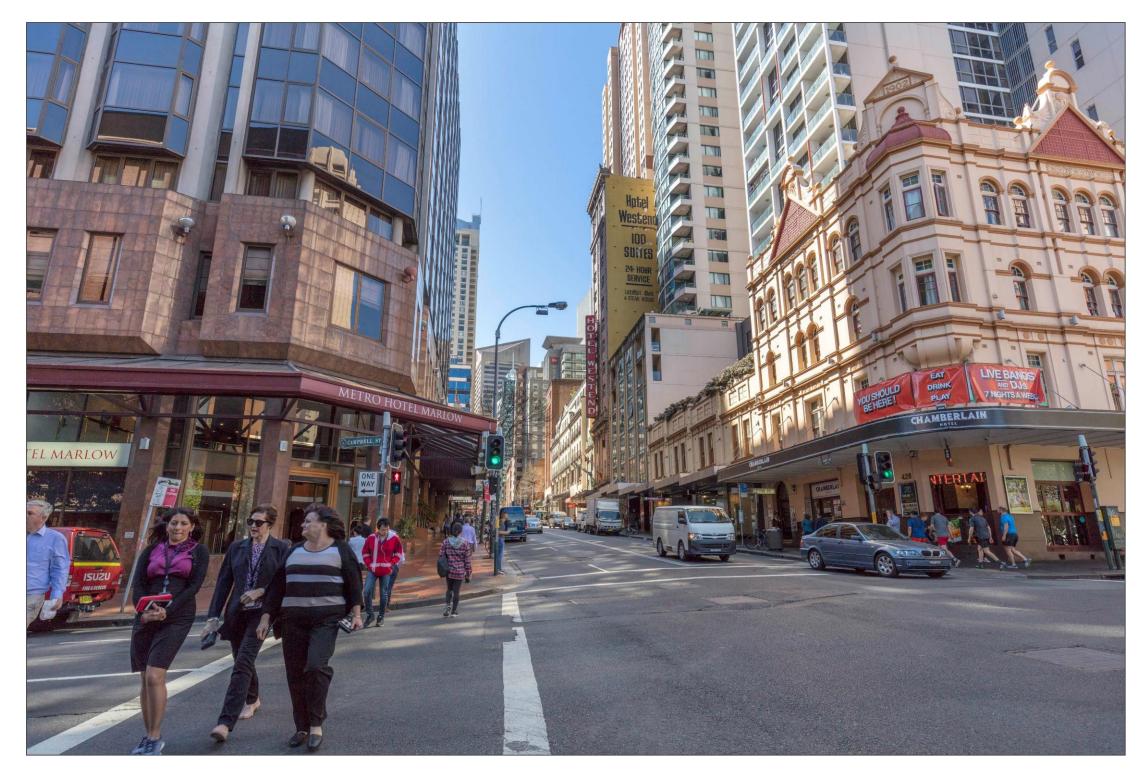
Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photomontage of proposed envelope



Camera Position G - Original photograph



Camera Position G - Photomontage of proposed envelope

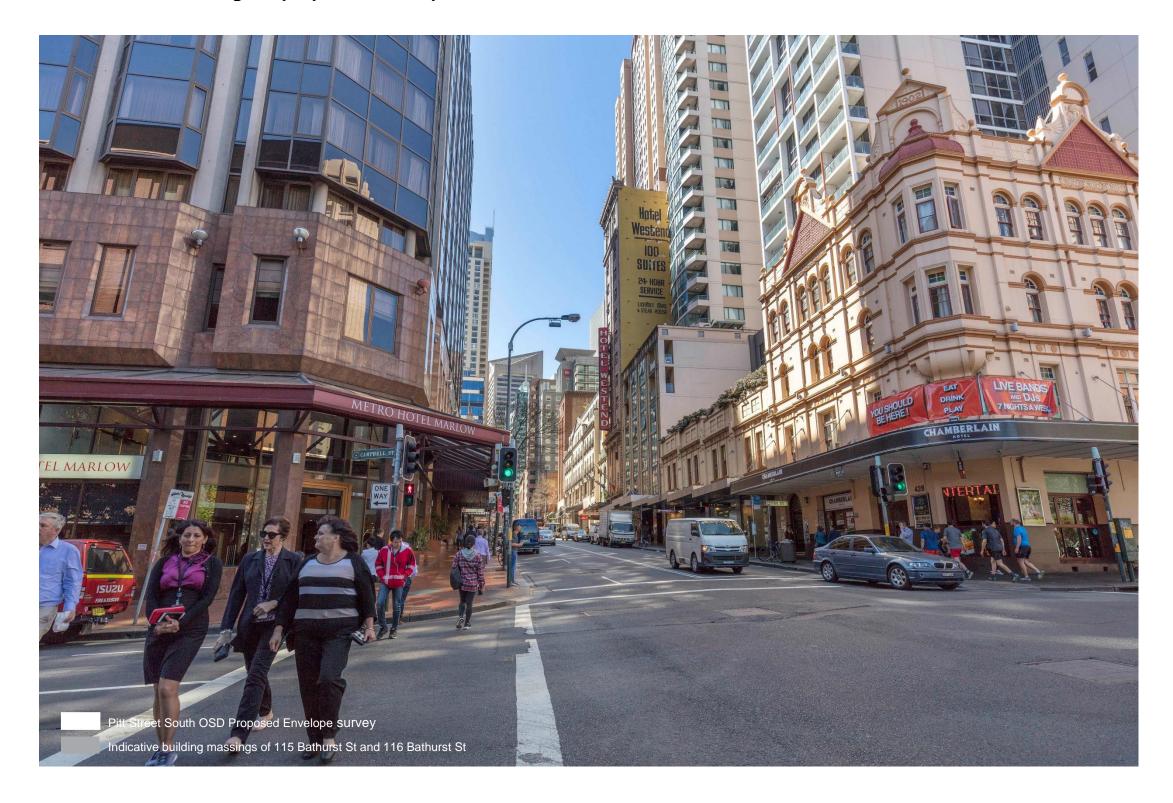




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Camera Position G - Original photograph with surveyed alignment points

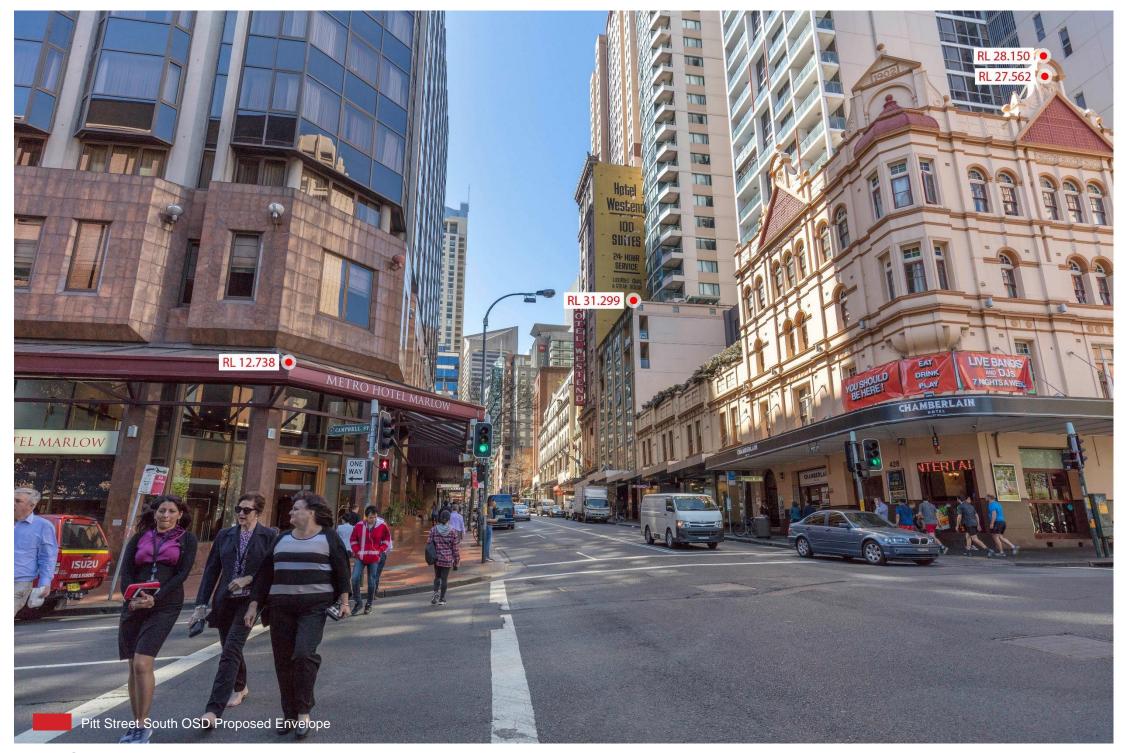


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Photo Lens - 20mm



1.14 Camera Position H - Overview

Original photograph



Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photomontage of proposed envelope



Photo Date - 26th September 2017 Photo Lens - 16mm

Camera Position H - Original photograph



Photo Date - 26th September 2017 Photo Lens - 16mm

Camera Position H - Photomontage of proposed envelope



Photo Date - 26th Photo Lens -

September 2017 16mm

Camera Position H - Original photograph with surveyed alignment points

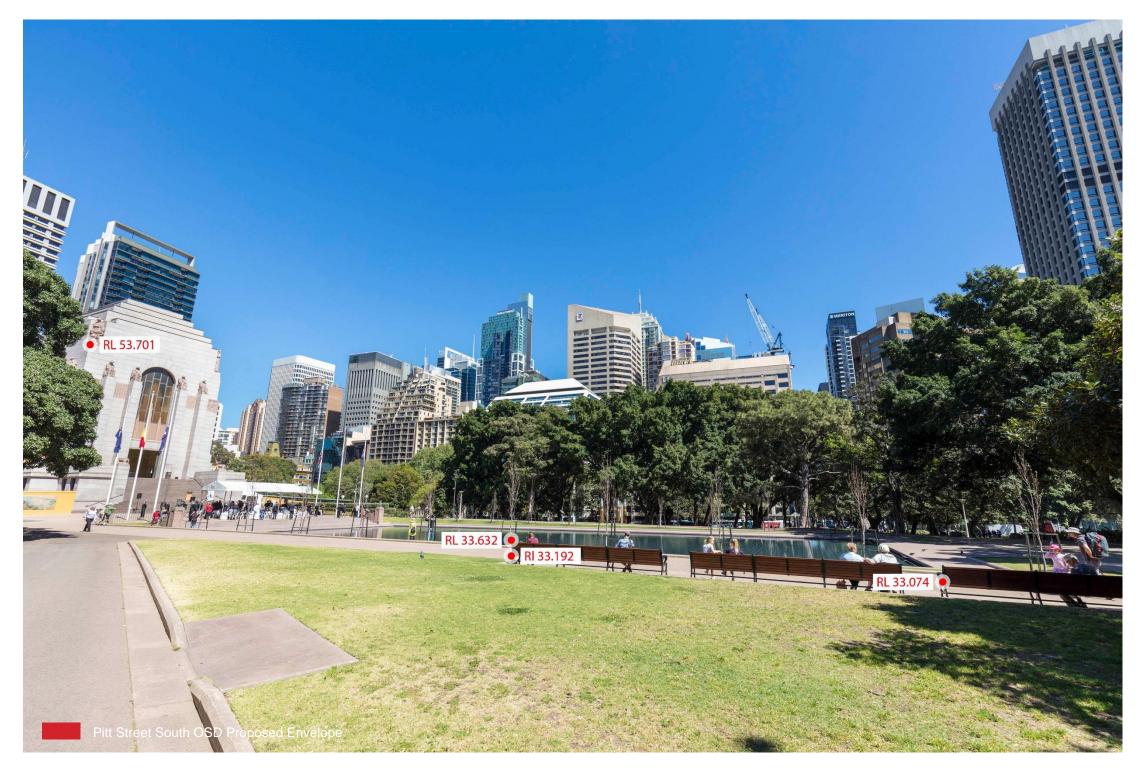


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Photo Lens - 16mm



1.15 Camera Position I - Overview

Original photograph



Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photomontage of proposed envelope



Photo Date - 26th September 2017 Photo Lens - 20mm

Camera Position I - Original photograph



Photo Date - 26th September 2017 Photo Lens - 20mm



Camera Position I - Photomontage of proposed envelope





Photo Date - 26th September 2017 Photo Lens - 20mm



Camera Position I - Original photograph with surveyed alignment points



Photo Date - 26th September 2017

Photo Lens - 20mm



2. Appendix A - Camera Position Survey - 04/10/2017

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Date: 4th October 2017

Our Ref: 17210Bphoto locations

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Dear Mr Rick Mansfield.

As requested we have attended site and measured the Co-ordinates and Elevation of the ground level at the below sites. Co-ordinate's are MGA 56 and elevation to Australian Height datum (AHD). Measurements were taken by GNSS Smartnet observations.

DWG of locations has also been supplied.

RE: SYDNEY PHOTO LOCATIONS

Point	Easting	Northing	Ground	Photo Point	
No.			Elevation		
18	334273.122	6250742.419	18.266	D	
19	334283.312	6250720.668	44.554	CORNER BUILDING	
20	334263.632	6250722.459	24.713	CORNER AWNING	
21	334260.929	6250732.647	28.035	TOP POLE	
100	334037.049	6250518.112	17.348	E2	
102	334035.367	6250512.921	17.052	E1	
103	334050.343	6250513.438	21.957	TOP AWNING	
104	334050.913	6250495.779	26.620	TOP BUILDING	
105	334038.925	6250493.585	26.627	TOP BUILDING	
201	333698.472	6250461.941	14.037	F	
203	333757.189	6250482.165	26.890	TOP BUILDING	
204	333748.291	6250448.139	20.049	TOP BUILDING	
205	333709.770	6250456.664	24.646	TOP LIGHT POLE	
303	334173.958	6249764.692	7.049	G	
304	334172.952	6249780.112	12.738	TOP AWNING	
305	334200.940	6249814.009	31.299	TOP BUILDING	
306	334200.999	6249777.057	28.150	TOP BUILDING ARCH	
307	334201.016	6249777.057	27.562	BOTTOM BUILDING	
				ARCH	
400	334629.402	6250873.690	31.709	C	
402	334633.217	6250844.596	41.075	TOP POLE	
403	334628.442	6250853.244	41.160	TOP POLE	
404	334610.600	6250854.482	40.862	TOP POLE	
500	334723.308	6250503.073	25.049	B2	
501	334716.171	6250507.279	24.986	B1	
502	334700.215	6250468.993	33.508	TOP LIGHT POLE	



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503	334715.502	6250498.314	25.064	BOTTOM OF WALL
504	334700.495	6250502.642	34.276	TOP LIGHT POLE
505	334700.955	6250505.339	24.721	BOTTOM PARKING
				METER
601	334579.772	6250258.549	33.284	H2
603	334543.788	6250187.353	53.701	TOP BUILDING
604	334567.685	6250257.517	33.192	END BENCH
605	334569.180	6250269.100	33.074	END BENCH
606	334583.412	6250264.459	33.244	H1
607	334567.824	6250257.499	33.632	END BENCH
700	334653.667	6250038.451	34.297	A1
702	334655.991	6250033.040	34.291	A2
703	334624.423	6250037.176	42.786	TOP TRAFFIC LIGHT
704	334629.950	6250068.003	43.576	TOP TRAFFIC LIGHT
705	334655.805	6250069.836	41.468	TOP TRAFFIC LIGHT
802	335511.212	6250251.061	45.432	TOP LIGHT POLE
803	335509.541	6250268.078	34.705	BOTTOM LIGHT POLE
804	335514.471	6250273.570	38.542	TOP AWNING
805	335528.376	6250261.724	36.609	I



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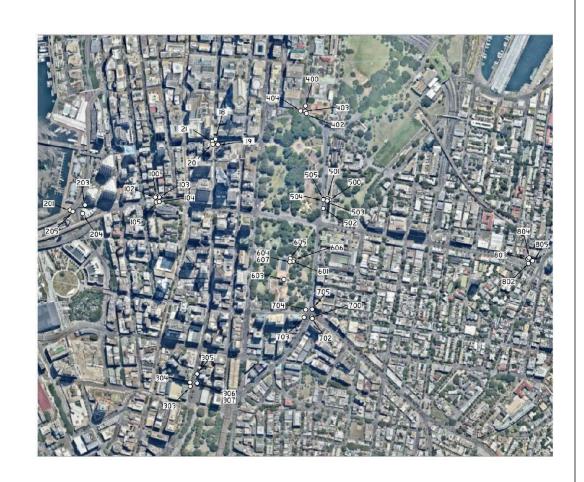
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