

Hello,

Please accept the following comments in regard to the proposed amendments to the Land Use Planning and Approvals Act, on behalf of Southern Midlands Council.

The proposed amendments appear to be logical and Council has no objections.

Council supports the streamlining of the LPS assessment process. Hopefully it will expedite the adoption of the LPS and therefore allow Council and TPC/PPU staff to turn their attention and resources to strategic planning tasks that have been neglected during these reforms, notably the development of State planning policies, updating of regional strategies and local structure planning.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

Regards

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