INQUIRY INTO CROSS CITY TUNNEL

Organisation: Name: Mrs Kama Harding Telephone: Date Received: 17/01/2006

Theme:

Summary

Submission to Cross City Tunnel lodged by Kama Harding

Dear Sir,

I am a resident of Rushcutters Bay and am particularly concerned by the effect on my daily life by the road changes associated with the CCT. The changes have made the roads directly surrounding our apartment building much busier and much more dangerous. Specifically I am worried that the lack of a pedestrian crossing on Kings Cross Rd at the Ward Ave end is an urgent priority as crossing the road there is increasingly a life-threatening challenge.

The changes to Craigend Rd with the huge increase in traffic make very little sense to me. A lane has been removed and there is additional parking and a new bike lane. This squeezes a lot more traffic into less space which makes getting through the Kings Cross intersection very difficult in peak times. It is particularly bad if you want to turn right from Craigend Rd into Darlinghurst or Kings Cross roads with only two or three cars getting through on each light change. The changes to Craigend Rd have definitely made things worse not better.

Kama Harding