INQUIRY INTO PACIFIC HIGHWAY UPGRADES

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The BCA represents approximately 800 bus and coach operators employing 16,000 people throughout NSW. Its members provide route and school bus services as well as charter and tourist services throughout the state, including the Pacific Highway. The industry wishes to raise in this enquiry the need to adequately cater for buses and coaches picking up and setting down in the locations covered by the Terms of Reference, in particular we request adequate consideration be given to:

- 1. Pickup up/set down facility for long distance, local school bus and coach services with safety at designated lay by locations.
- 2. Local access and set down points suitable for bus and coach.
- 3. Suitable signage especially school bus operations.
- 4. Consider school bus transport aspects related to passenger safety and pedestrian safety.

Yours sincerely

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