

**Submission
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INQUIRY INTO PRIVATISATION OF BUS SERVICES

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I live in Randwick. The 373 bus route was a convenient way to go twice a week to the City - to the Art Gallery NSW, the Opera House, and the CBD for appointments and shopping. Now that the route has been diverted the bus goes to Museum station and south on Elizabeth St.

It is necessary for us to get off in Oxford St, wait in the cold, wet and dark to catch another bus to the CBD further down Elizabeth St to Martin Place or CQ and after a late evening catch another bus going east, get off in Oxford St and wait in the cold, wet and dark for the 373 to return to Randwick again.

Other routes such as the original 374 route on Foveaux St, and the 400 to Bondi Junction via Frenchmans Rd and Bronte Rd are now not available, causing more difficult access and exit places, eg around the back of Queens Park.