

Relevant Information for Council

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TO: Lord Mayor and Councillors

FROM: Graham Jahn AM, Chief Planner / Executive Director City Planning, Development and Transport

SUBJECT: Information Relevant To Item 12.6 - Post Exhibition - Planning Proposal - 47-51 Riley Street, Woolloomooloo - Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2012 and Sydney Development Control Plan 2012 Amendment

For Noting

This memo is for the information of the Lord Mayor and Councillors.

Purpose

To provide Council with comparison images which show the difference between the exhibited draft planning controls and the recommended changes to the draft planning controls following public exhibition.

Background

At the meeting of the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee on 16 June 2025, reference was made to the images at Figures 6 and 7 in the subject report (reproduced below with dimensions and notes added). AHD RL is measured above sea level datum where as LEP height is typically above the footpath. The images show:

- the separation distance between the Paramount Apartments (60-70 William Street, Woolloomooloo) and the subject site is approximately 25.5 metres,
- the proposed maximum building height is recommended to be reduced by 7.1m to RL 25.5m from the exhibited maximum height of RL 32.6m which means the max height above the footpath is 17.9m compared to the current control of 12m,
- it is recommended that there be no allowance above the RL25.5m maximum height control for a roof top lift overrun, building plant, pergola structure or communal open space, and

- the recommended reduction in height will result in a smaller building envelope, and therefore the Floor Space Ratio (FSR) control is recommended to be reduced from 3.8:1 to 3.2:1 to match.

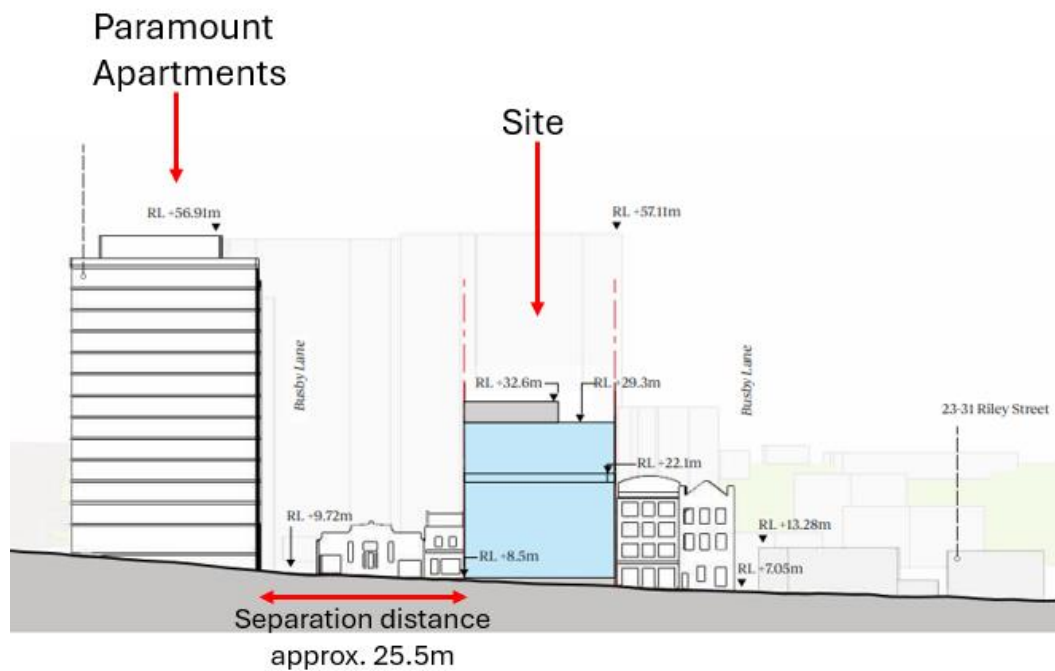


Figure 6: Riley Street elevation in context of surrounding development - exhibited draft planning controls

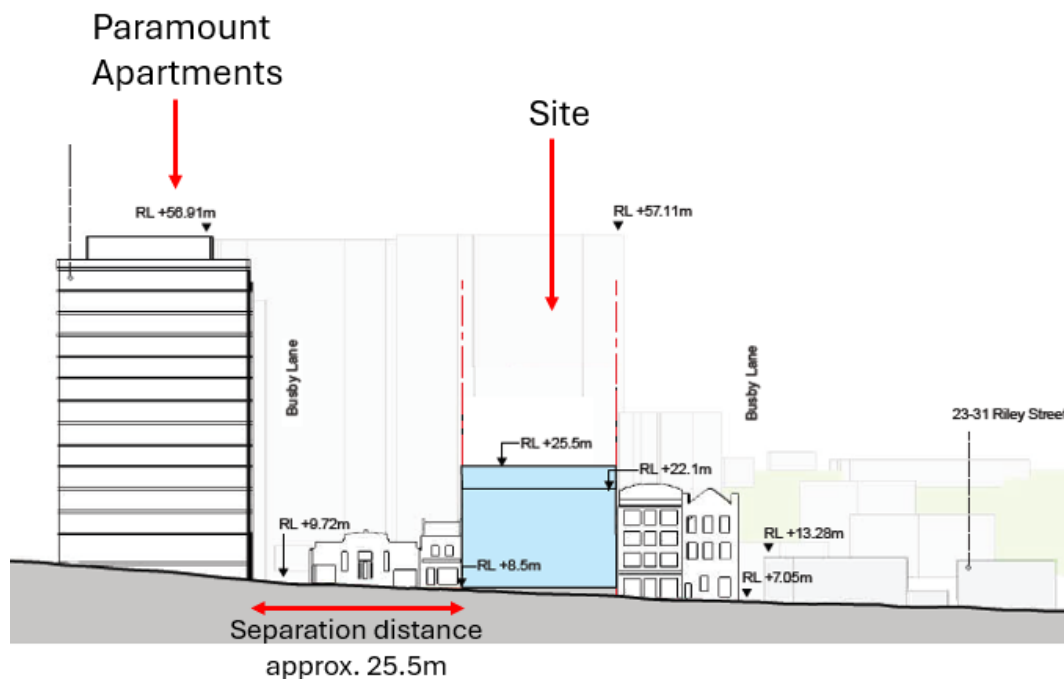


Figure 7: Riley Street elevation in context of surrounding development - recommended amendments to draft planning controls following public exhibition

**Memo from Graham Jahn AM, Chief Planner / Executive Director City Planning,
Development and Transport**

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Approved

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