## Objection to Harbourside Redevelopment

#### Submission on behalf of the owners of Strata Plan 49259 One Darling Harbor at 50 Murray St

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PLANNING ENVIRONMENT VALUATION

# **Planning Context**

#### Harbour SREP

- The **public good** has precedence over the private good
- The foreshore has national significance and should be enhanced for the public
- The harbourside and its heritage places should be recognised and protected as places of exceptional significance

<u>PPS</u>: Tiering of development to the waterfront. Promotion of entertainment and retail as well as employment. No overshadowing of public domain



## **Environmental Impacts View Loss**

- Significant Impact on 49 apartments (further 55 impacted)
- Impact severe/moderate to severe loss of iconic views
- Significance underestimated by proponent and Department
- Additional "public space" will increase view impacts

#### VS

- This impact is caused by a commercial office block not consistent with the objectives for the site
- Impact would be less with more skilful design (no GFA loss)
- Prof. Webber: No impact beyond that of the existing building



## **Environmental Impacts – Public Domain**

- Need for careful scrutiny of images and numerics
- Limited <u>new</u> public space vs significant gain by developer
- Public space should be at the waterfront
- Overshadowing impacts inconsistent with PPS
- Questionable utility & permissibility of roof top space



#### Not in the public interest

- Significant and unacceptable impact on the resident of One Darling Harbour
- Not justified by consistency with planning controls or promotion of public good

