

LAND ADJACENT TO A ROAD ZONE, CATEGORY 1, OR A PUBLIC ACQUISITION OVERLAY FOR A CATEGORY 1 ROAD**Purpose**

To ensure appropriate access to identified roads.

To ensure appropriate subdivision of land adjacent to identified roads.

Scope

This clause applies to land adjacent to a Road Zone, Category 1, or a Public Acquisition Overlay if the purpose of acquisition is for a Category 1 road.

Permit requirement

A permit is required to:

- Create or alter access to:
 - A road in a Road Zone, Category 1.
 - Land in a Public Acquisition Overlay if the purpose of acquisition is for a Category 1 road.
- Subdivide land adjacent to:
 - A road in a Road Zone, Category 1.
 - Land in a Public Acquisition Overlay if the purpose of acquisition is for a Category 1 road.

Referral of applications

An application to create or alter access to, or to subdivide land adjacent to, a road declared as a freeway or arterial road under the Road Management Act 2004, land owned by the Roads Corporation for the purpose of a road, or land in a Public Acquisition Overlay if the Roads Corporation is the authority responsible for acquiring the land, must be referred to the Roads Corporation under Section 55 of the Act. This does not apply to:

- Boundary realignments.
- Subdivisions of existing buildings already connected to services and requiring no new access.
- Two lot subdivisions requiring no new access.
- Proposals which, in the opinion of the responsible authority, satisfy requirements or conditions previously agreed in writing between the responsible authority and the Roads Corporation.

Any other application must be referred to the owner of, or the authority responsible for acquiring, the adjacent land in the Road Zone, Category 1, or the Public Acquisition Overlay.

Decision guidelines

Before deciding on an application, in addition to the decision guidelines in Clause 65, the responsible authority must consider:

- The State Planning Policy Framework and the Local Planning Policy Framework, including the Municipal Strategic Statement and local planning policies.
- The views of the relevant road authority.
- The effect of the proposal on the operation of the road and on public safety.
- Any policy made by the relevant road authority pursuant to Schedule 2, Clause 3 of the Road Management Act 2004 regarding access between a controlled access road and adjacent land.