Ministers Specification SA 8 *Construction requirements for the control of external Sound* (SA8) is a new government initiative to provide an improved health standard for those choosing to live adjacent major transport corridors or within new mixed use zones that have a focus on Transit Oriented Development (TOD). The underlying philosophy behind SA 8 is one of shared responsibility for noise mitigation between the providers of transport infrastructure and housing developers to mitigating noise. The specification SA 8 includes the sections *Performance Requirements* and *Deemed- to Satisfy Provisions* that are designed to achieve an appropriate level of health amenity for building occupants affected by transport noise and noise from mixed use zones. Darren will provide insights to the creation of the new SA8 specification as well as give an overview of how it will work in practice.

Darren Jurevicius is an Associate Director at AECOM, who leads both the environment and acoustic teams in South Australia. Darren has 16 years consulting experience across a wide range of infrastructure and environmental related projects across all industries. Additionally, Darren has a new specialist role with the Integrated Design Commission SA, Design Review Panel, which is a newly created panel for the purpose of providing advice to improve the design outcomes of major projects in SA. Over recent years, Darren has collaborated closely with Government on improving South Australian planning policies and noise guidelines to suit the state government’s desire for mixed use development and increased urban density along transport corridors.

The technical meeting will commence at 6:00pm.

After the technical presentation you are encouraged to join us for friendly dinner/drinks at Caffe Brunelli - 187 Rundle St.

DATE: Tuesday 22 November 2011
TIME: 6:00pm Technical Meeting, S111, 1st Floor Engineering South Building, University of Adelaide (See attached map) 7:30pm Dinner, Caffe Brunelli, 187 Rundle Street

Please RSVP to Carl Howard via email at: carl dot howard AT adelaide dot edu dot au or telephone and leave a message on 8303 5460 to help us plan the event.