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PROCLAMATION

MARIE BASHIR, A.C., C.V.O., Governor

I, Professor MARIE BASHIR, A.C., C.V.O., Governor of the State of New South Wales, on the recommendation of the Minister for Local Government after considering the results of a public inquiry concerning the Shellharbour City Council, and with the advice of the Executive Council, and in pursuance of sections 255 and 256 of the Local Government Act 1993, do, by this my Proclamation –

- (a) declare all civic offices in relation to the Shellharbour City Council to be vacant;
- (b) appoint Mr David Jesson as Administrator of the Shellharbour City Council;
- (c) order that the term of the Administrator commences immediately and ceases on the date of the declaration of the Council's fresh election to be held in conjunction with the ordinary council elections on 8 September 2012;
- (d) order that any matters before the Council that the Administrator is unable or unavailable to determine for such reasons that may include, but are not limited to, the declaration of a pecuniary interest, the declaration of a conflict of interest, illness, or other absence may be determined by a substitute Administrator appointed by the Minister for that limited purpose.

If Mr David Jesson declines to be appointed as Administrator, or resigns, then the Minister for Local Government may appoint an alternate person as Administrator for the remainder of the term.

The Administrator is to complete and lodge with the General Manager within 21 days, a disclosure of interests written return in accordance with Division 2, Part 2, Chapter 14 of the Act in the form prescribed by the regulations.

For the purposes of the Act, the Administrator does not hold an office or position of profit under the Council.

Signed and sealed at Sydney, this ninth day of July 2008.

Hon PAUL LYNCH, M.P., Minister for Local Government

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