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MENTAL HEALTH ACT 2007
Section 109
Declaration of Mental Health Facility

I, DAVID PEARCE, Executive Director, Mental Health Branch, acting under delegation from the Secretary, NSW Ministry of Health, and pursuant to section 109 of the *Mental Health Act 2007* and section 43 of the *Interpretation Act 1987*, and to, in part, facilitate the transfer of patients from a current declared mental health facility situated at Yathong Lodge, Wagga Wagga Base Hospital, to alternate accommodation in the Health Services Hub Building, Wagga Wagga Base Hospital, DO HEREBY:

- (a) REVOKE the Order published in the Government Gazette no.27 of 13 April 2016 declaring certain premises of the Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital to be a declared mental health facility for the purposes of the *Mental Health Act 2007*.
- (b) DECLARE the following premises of **Wagga Wagga Base Hospital** to be a declared mental health facility for the purposes of the *Mental Health Act 2007*:
- **Mental Health Acute Inpatient Unit**, located on Level 1 of the Mental Health Building, Corner Yabtree Street and Lewis Drive, Wagga Wagga Base Hospital, Wagga Wagga NSW 2650;
 - **Mental Health High Dependency Unit**, located on Level 1 of the Mental Health Building, Corner Yabtree Street and Lewis Drive, Wagga Wagga Base Hospital, Wagga Wagga NSW 2650;
 - **Mental Health Sub-Acute Inpatient Unit (Recovery Unit)**, located on Level 2 of the Mental Health Building, Corner Yabtree Street and Lewis Drive, Wagga Wagga Base Hospital, Wagga Wagga NSW 2650;
 - **Older Persons Acute Mental Health Unit**, Banksia Wing of Yathong Lodge, Wagga Wagga Base Hospital, located on the corner of Yathong Street and Lewis Drive, Wagga Wagga NSW 2650 until 3 June 2021; and
 - **Older Persons Mental Health Unit**, located on Level 2 of the Health Services Hub Building, Lewis Drive, Wagga Wagga Base Hospital, Wagga Wagga NSW 2650.
- (c) DECLARE this facility to be designated as a “mental health assessment and inpatient treatment” facility.

Signed, this 22nd day of April 2021

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