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Subordinate Legislation Act 1994

PROPOSED LOCAL GOVERNMENT (GENERAL) REGULATIONS 2015

Notice of Preparation

In accordance with section 11 of the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994**, notice is given that the proposed Local Government (General) Regulations 2015 have been prepared.

The proposed regulations will:

- replace the Local Government (General) Regulations 2004, which expire on 25 October 2015
- prescribe various forms and fees that deal with matters relating to public accountability of councils, specific information needs of ratepayers and other miscellaneous matters.

Public comment is now sought on the proposed regulations and an accompanying Regulatory Impact Statement (RIS), which concludes the proposed regulations:

- will impose an estimated economic burden in excess of \$2 million to persons within the community seeking a land information certificate from their local council
- will impose a burden on local councils for the purpose of transparency and providing relevant information to the community.

For copies of the proposed regulations and RIS visit www.delwp.vic.gov.au/local-government, phone (03) 9948 8508 or email tim.presnell@delwp.vic.gov.au

Submissions may be posted to Local Government Victoria, Department of Environment, Water, Land and Planning, GPO Box 2392, Melbourne, Victoria 3001, or emailed to tim.presnell@delwp. vic.gov.au. Submissions close on Friday 25 September 2015 at 5 pm.

All submissions will be treated as public documents.

NATALIE HUTCHINS MP Minister for Local Government

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