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## **SPECIAL SUPPLEMENT**

### **LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1993**

#### Proclamation

Marie Bashir, AC, CVO, Governor

I, PROFESSOR MARIE BASHIR, AC, CVO, 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 Port Macquarie-Hastings 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 Port Macquarie-Hastings Council to be vacant;
- (b) appoint Mr Richard Persson as Administrator of the Port Macquarie-Hastings 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 in 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 Mr Garry Payne as substitute Administrator appointed by the Minister for that limited purpose.

Signed and sealed at Sydney, this 26th day of February 2008.

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

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