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MEDIA STATEMENT

REPORT ON GUNNS' REVISED PROJECT SCOPE AND THE DRAFT SCOPE GUIDELINES FOR THE INTEGRATED IMPACT STATEMENT (IIS)

On Saturday, 5 November 2005 the Resource Planning and Development Commission (Commission) will give public notification in the National and Tasmanian newspapers that the *Report on Gunns' Revised Project Scope and the Draft Scope Guidelines for the Integrated Impact Statement (IIS)* will be available for public inspection on the Commission's website and the Commission's Hobart office. Copies of the report can be obtained free of charge on request from the Commission.

The report identifies the changes in Gunns' Revised Project Scope and then analyses whether or not the Draft Scope Guidelines for the IIS require amendment. These are the matters upon which the Commission invites public comment. It should be noted that the Commission is not seeking further comment on the Draft Scope Guidelines for the IIS beyond the changes in Gunns' Revised Project Scope.

The public comment period closes at **4.30 pm, Tuesday 29 November 2005.**

Following the receipt and analysis of public comments on the proposed changes to the Draft Scope Guidelines arising from Gunns' Revised Project Scope, the Commission will finalise the guidelines and formally issue them to Gunns. The Scope Guidelines will be a public document. The finalised Scope Guidelines will also contain the changes the Commission considers necessary arising from the first public comment period in April - May 2005.

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