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Mr John Ramsay
Executive Commissioner
Tasmanian Planning Commission
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Dear Mr Ramsay,

Interim SPPs Amendment 01/2022
Interim Planning Directive No. 6 - Exemptions and Special Provisions – Container Refund Scheme

Thank you for your correspondence of 7 March 2023 providing advice as to whether draft SPP amendment 01/2022 should be given interim effect, that an assessment of draft Planning Directive No. 9 should be undertaken, and that draft Planning Directive No. 9 should also be given effect as an interim planning directive.

I note the Commission's opinion and reasons given under section 30NB(2) of the *Land Use Planning and Approvals Act 1993* (the Act) that draft SPPs amendment 01/2022 should become an interim SPPs amendment.

I wish to advise that under section 30NB(3)(a) of the Act, I have made interim SPPs amendment 01/2022 in the terms of draft SPP amendment 01/2022. Interim SPPs amendment 01/2022 will take effect on 10 May 2023. All planning authorities will be notified on the changes to the SPPs.

I have issued the interim SPP amendment 01/2022 because I consider it necessary to urgently address matters relating to the Container Refund Scheme so that the scheme can get underway as soon as possible. This will lead to an improvement in the level of recycling in the State which I consider to be in the broader public interest.

I have accepted the Commission's recommendations given under sections 10(3) and 12A of the former provisions of the Act that draft Planning Directive No. 9 should be assessed and that it should become an interim planning directive.

Under section 11(1) of the former provisions of the Act, I direct the Commission to undertake an assessment of draft Planning Directive No. 9.

Having given the above direction, I wish to advise that under section 12A(2) of the former provisions of the Act I have issued Interim Planning Directive No. 6 in the terms of draft Planning Directive No. 9. Interim Planning Directive No. 6 will take effect on 10 May 2023. All affected planning authorities will be notified of the issuing of Interim Planning Directive No. 6.

Also, under s14(2) of the former provision of Act, I approve the Commission to make any necessary amendments to the interim planning schemes affected by Interim Planning Directive No. 6 in order to give effect to Interim Planning Directive No. 6.

If you wish to discuss the amendment, please contact the State Planning Office at on 1300 703 977 or by email StatePlanning@dpac.tas.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'M Ferguson', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Michael Ferguson MP
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Attachments:

1. Interim SPP Amendment 1/2022
2. Interim Planning Directive No. 6