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Mr Roger Howlett Delegate (Chair) Tasmanian Planning Commission <u>tpc@planning.tas.gov.au</u>

Dear Mr Howlett

Break O'Day Draft Local Provisions Schedule – Zoning of Future Potential Production Forest Land

Thank you for your letter of 28 July 2022 seeking a representation from the Department of Natural Resources and Environment Tasmania (the Department) with reference to the appropriate zoning of Future Potential Production Forest Land (FPPL) within the Break O'Day municipal area.

The Department's position is that the zoning of FPPFL should be consistent with the Government's policy objectives for the management of such land as provided in the Forestry (Rebuilding the Forest Industry) Act 2014. The Department therefore supports the Break O'Day Planning Authority's application of the Rural Zone to all FPPFL in its municipal area.

If you have any further questions on this matter please contact Sonia Mellor, Strategic Projects and Policy Analyst, Strategy and Business Services Division on mobile on 0436 636 279 or via email at sonia.mellor@nre.tas.gov.au

Yours sincerely

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