ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND ASSESSMENT ACT 1979

Instrument of Delegation

I, the Minister for Planning, under section 23 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 (the Act), delegate to a joint regional planning panel constituted for a region outside the Greater Sydney Region (within the meaning of the Greater Sydney Commission Act 2015) the following functions of the Minister under section 54 (2) of the Act:

(i) deciding whether to accept a recommendation of the panel to the Minister that a proposed LEP should be submitted for a determination under section 56 of the Act, as referred to in section 54 (2) (c), following a review by the panel of a written request made to a council by a person for the preparation of the relevant planning proposal under Part 3 of the Act,

(ii) where a recommendation that the proposed LEP should be submitted for a determination under section 56 of the Act is accepted, directing that the panel is the relevant planning authority for the proposed LEP if the council has, after the panel’s review, been given the opportunity to be the relevant planning authority.

This delegation is in addition to, and is not intended to revoke or affect, the delegation of the Minister’s functions by any current Instrument of Delegation.

Dated 81st August 2016

The Hon Robert Stokes MP
Minister for Planning