Environmental Planning and Assessment (Local Infrastructure Contributions – Pooling of Contributions) Direction 2020

under the

Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979

I, the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces, in pursuance of section 7.17 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*, give the following Direction.

Minister for Planning and Public Spaces

Dated: 18th of May, 2020

1 Name of Direction

This Direction is the *Environmental Planning and Assessment (Local Infrastructure Contributions – Pooling of Contributions) Direction 2020.*

2 When Direction takes effect

This Direction takes effect on the date of its publication in the Gazette.

3 Direction given to councils

This Direction is given to local councils.

4 Pooling of contributions

- (1) If a local council holds monetary contributions that have been paid for different purposes, including for purposes identified in more than one contributions plan that applies in the local government area concerned, the council is to endeavour to pool those contributions, and apply them progressively, in order to facilitate the provision of the public amenities and public services to which any of those contributions plans relate.
- (2) In this clause, *monetary contributions* means monetary contributions imposed under section 7.11 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* and levies imposed under section 7.12 of that Act