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## State Owned Enterprises Act 1992

### STATE OWNED ENTERPRISES (VICTORIAN PLANNING AUTHORITY – REORGANISING BODY) ORDER 2016

#### DECLARATION OF STATUTORY CORPORATION AS A REORGANISING BODY

##### Order in Council

The Governor in Council:

- a) under section 7(1) of the **State Owned Enterprises Act 1992** (the Act), declares the Growth Areas Authority (trading as the Metropolitan Planning Authority and trading as the Victorian Planning Authority (VPA) on and from the date of gazettal of the Order in Council) (the Authority) to be a reorganising body, effective on the date on which this Order is published in the Government Gazette (the gazettal date); and
- b) under sections 8(1) and 8(2)(b) and 8(2)(c) of the Act, declares the following changes to the constitution of the board of the Authority, effective on the gazettal date:
  - (i). determines that the qualifications of persons for appointment to the board of the Authority as set out in section 46AV(3) of the Act are varied as follows:

**46AV Members**

....

(3) When recommending persons to be members, the Minister must ensure as far as practicable that collectively the members of the Growth Areas Authority have skills, experience or knowledge relating to: planning, development, economics, financial management, board governance, local government, housing and organisational change.’
  - (ii). determines that the manner of appointment of the chairman and the deputy chairman of the board of the Authority is under section 46AW of the **Planning and Environment Act 1987**, which provides that:

**‘46AW Chairperson and Deputy Chairperson**

The Minister must appoint:

    - (a) one of the members to be the Chairperson of the Growth Areas Authority; and
    - (b) one of the members to be the Deputy Chairperson of the Growth Areas Authority.’
- c) under section 8A of the Act, on the recommendation of the Treasurer after consultation with the relevant Minister, varies the functions that currently apply to the Authority under section 46AS of the **Planning and Environment Act 1987** by amending and including the following additional functions, effective on the gazettal date:

‘s.46AS(a)...

  - ...(i) the planning, use, development and protection of land in any area designated by the Minister; and...
  - ...(ad) lead, provide strategic direction and do all things that are necessary or convenient to enable the Growth Areas Authority to perform its functions while it is a reorganising body; and

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- (c) to ensure that its functions are carried out in accordance with government planning policies and strategies.’

This legislative instrument comes into effect on the date published in the Government Gazette.

Dated 16 August 2016

Responsible Minister:

ROBIN SCOTT MP

Acting Treasurer

ANDREW ROBINSON  
Clerk of the Executive Council

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