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## Gambling Regulation Act 2003

### MINISTERIAL ORDER UNDER SECTION 3.4A.20C

#### State Offer to Purchase Gaming Machine Entitlements

I, Hon. Marlene Kairouz MP, Minister for Consumer Affairs, Gaming and Liquor Regulation, have received a determination from the Victorian Commission for Gambling and Liquor Regulation that, on or after 1 January 2018, the number of gaming machine entitlements under which gaming may be conducted in the municipal district of the Rural City of Swan Hill will exceed the maximum permissible number of entitlements under which gaming may be conducted in that municipal district under the Ministerial Order made pursuant to sections 3.2.4 and 3.4A.5(3A)(a) of the **Gambling Regulation Act 2003** (the Act) to take effect on 3 November 2017, by two.

Under section 3.4A.20C of the Act, I determine that the State will offer to purchase two entitlements under which gaming may be conducted in the municipal district of the Rural City of Swan Hill.

The State will make an initial offer to purchase in accordance with section 3.4A.20E of the Act to all relevant venue operators. The offer will be open for the period 27 October 2017 to 17 November 2017.

If the initial offer under section 3.4A.20E of the Act has expired and the number of gaming machine entitlements under which gaming may be conducted in the municipal district of the Rural City of Swan Hill will still exceed the maximum permissible number of entitlements under which gaming may be conducted in the municipal district of the Rural City of Swan Hill on or after 1 January 2018, I further determine that:

- (i) the State will make a final offer under section 3.4A.20G of the Act to purchase the requisite number of gaming machine entitlements under which gaming may be conducted in the municipal district of the Rural City of Swan Hill
- (ii) the final offer will be open for the period 24 November 2017 to 15 December 2017.

Dated 18 October 2017

HON. MARLENE KAIROUZ MP  
Minister for Consumer Affairs, Gaming and Liquor Regulation

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