

Office of the Director General

Our ref: 10/22107 Your ref: PP2007-007

Mr Tony Hayward General Manager Port Macquarie Hastings Council PO BOX 84 PORT MACQUARIE NSW 2444

Dear Mr Hayward

## Planning Proposal PP\_2010\_PORTM\_007\_00 – Gateway Determination – Proposed Extension of Time

I refer to your request on 31 January 2012 seeking an extension of time to complete the Planning Proposal PP\_2010\_PORTM\_007\_00 for the Birdon Marine site; and providing a timetable for proposed completion of the project. Thank you for your advice.

I have determined as the delegate of the Minister, in accordance with section 56(7) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979, to amend the Gateway Determination dated 18 November 2010 for PP\_2010\_PORTM\_007\_00 by extending the time for completion by an additional 12 months. The Planning Proposal is now due for completion by 25 November 2012.

Council's request for the Department to draft and finalise the LEP should be made six weeks prior to the projected publication date.

If you have any questions in relation to this matter, please contact Jenny Johnson of the Department of Planning and Infrastructure's North Coast Team on 6641 6614.

Yours sincerely

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Sam Haddad — — Director General

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