

Our ref: PP\_2013\_PORTM\_003\_00(13/04443) Your ref: PP2011-14.1

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

Dear Mr Hayward,

## Planning Proposal PP\_2013\_PORTM\_003\_00 – Gateway Determination extension

I refer to your request on 8 November 2013 seeking an extension of time to complete the Planning Proposal PP\_2013\_PORTM\_003\_00 to rezone land for residential and environmental protection purposes at Major Innes Road, Port Macquarie.

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 15 March 2013 for PP\_2013\_PORTM\_003\_00.

The Gateway Determination is amended by extending the time for the completion of the Planning Proposal by an additional 6 months. The Planning Proposal is now due for completion by 22 June 2014.

Council's request for the Department to draft and finalise the LEP should be made directly to Parliamentary Counsel's Office six weeks prior to the projected publication date. A copy of the request should be forwarded to the department for administrative purposes.

If you have any questions in relation to this matter, please contact Denise Wright of the Department of Planning and Infrastructure's Northern Region on (02) 6641 6603

Yours sincerely

11 November 2013

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