LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1993

INSTRUMENT UNDER SECTION 508(2)

I, BARBARA PERRY MP, Minister for Local Government in pursuance of section 508(2) of the *Local Government Act 1993* determine that the percentage by which Lithgow City Council may increase its general income for 2009/2010 is 8.27% above that for 2008/2009 subject to the following conditions:

- (i) Council will raise \$451,276 of the increase by additional rates for the costs associated with road and community building maintenance, as defined by Council in its special variation 10 year works program, for a period of 10 years:
- (ii) Council will reduce its general income for the 2019/2020 rating year by \$451,276 plus the equivalent cumulative proportion of this increase from any general variation increases or any special variation increases approved for the 2010/2011 to 2018/2019 rating years inclusive; and
- (iii) Council clearly reports in its annual report for the period 2009/2010 to 2018/2019 information on the total income received, expenditure per project/program and outcomes achieved.

This approval is on the understanding that Lithgow City Council makes and levies its rates according to the provisions of the *Local Government-Act 1993*.

July

Dated this

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day of

, 2009.

The Hon Barbara Perry MP Minister for Local Government