City Renewal Authority and Suburban Land Agency (Suburban Land Agency Payment of Funds to Territory) Direction 2018

Notifiable instrument NI2018-224

made under the

City Renewal Authority and Suburban Land Agency Act 2017, S 54, (Agency payment of funds to Territory)

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the City Renewal Authority and Suburban Land Agency (Suburban Land Agency Payment of Funds to Territory) Direction 2018.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on the day after its notification day.

3 Suburban Land Agency – Payment of Funds to Territory

I direct the Agency set out in the schedule to make payments of funds to the Territory.

Andrew Barr Treasurer 30 April 2018

SCHEDULE

Suburban Land Agency-Payment of Funds to the Territory

General Dividend Policy

1. Application

a. This direction applies to the Suburban Land Agency to pay funds to the Territory.

2. Payment amount

- a. The Suburban Land Agency is to pay to the Territory a dividend of 100 per cent of its net profit after tax (dividend payout ratio).
- b. This amount excludes gifted assets.

3. Payment amount – different dividend payout ratio

- a. The Treasurer will consider a different dividend payout ratio for a particular financial year if the Agency Board provides a written request for the proposed different dividend payout for that financial year.
- b. In considering the written request, the Treasurer must have regard to s 54(3) of the *City Renewal Authority and Suburban Land Agency Act* 2017 (ACT).
- c. The Treasurer will provide notification to the Agency Board if approval is given to change the dividend payout ratio for a particular financial year.
- d. In the event of the Treasurer's approval, the dividend payout ratio of 100 percent in item 2 of this schedule will be modified by the different dividend payout ratio as approved by the Treasurer for the relevant financial year.

4. Dividend payment

- a. Payment of the dividend occurs in two instalments:
 - i. The first instalment, comprising of 80 per cent of the estimated net profits after tax for the current year is payable by 30 June of each financial year; and
 - ii. The second instalment of the balance of the actual net profit after tax is due by 31 October of each year following the completion of the financial statements.
- b. The Treasurer may approve the payment of the dividend to occur on terms other than the above, on the condition that the Agency Board provide a written request for the proposed alternative payment for that particular financial year.