City Renewal Authority and Suburban Land Agency (Suburban Land Agency Payment of Funds to Territory) Direction 2024

Notifiable instrument NI2024-293

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 2024.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on the day after its notification day.

3 Revocation

I revoke instrument NI2018-224 City Renewal Authority and Suburban Land Agency (Suburban Land Agency Payment of Funds to Territory) Direction 2018.

4 Suburban Land Agency – Payment of Funds to Territory

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

Andrew Barr Treasurer 6 June 2024

SCHEDULE

Suburban Land Agency- Payment of Funds to the Territory

General Dividend Policy

1. Application

a. This direction applies to the Suburban Land Agency payment of 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 s54(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 four instalments, on each of the following dates of each year following the year to which the dividend was declared:
 - i. 25 per cent of the estimated net profit after tax by 30 September;
 - ii. Balance required such that 50 per cent of actual net profit after tax has been paid by 31 December, inclusive of the payment made by 30 September;
 - iii. 25 per cent of the actual net profit after tax by 31 March; and
 - iv. 25 per cent of the actual net profit after tax by 30 June.
- 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.