

SUTHERLAND SHIRE COUNCIL
INSTRUMENT OF DELEGATION BY THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

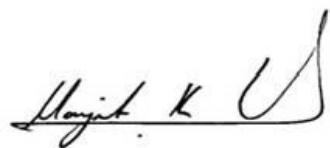
In accordance with section 378 of the *Local Government Act 1993*, I hereby:

1. Delegate to the position of:

Senior Environmental Scientist

and to those people who may act in that position from time to time, the following functions subject to the limitations stated in this Instrument of Delegation and any subsequent written direction made by the Chief Executive Officer; and

2. Revoke any previous Instrument of Delegation to that position.



Manjeet Grewal

Chief Executive Officer

15 March 2024

DELEGATIONS

FS Finance Functions

FS17 Council Timesheets Approval

Approve and certify staff timesheets within the position holder's area of responsibility.

CG Compliance - General Functions

CG07 Appointed as Authorised Officer under the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997 (Certificate of Authority Required)

Appointed as and to exercise the functions of an authorised officer and enforcement officer and authorised to exercise all other functions under the Protection of the *Environment Operations Act 1997* and *Regulation*. This includes (but is not limited to) entering and inspecting premises, seizing items, applying for search warrants, requiring the furnishing of information and records, requiring answers to questions, giving directions and notices and serving penalty notices.

CG14 Appointed as Authorised Person for Entry on to land and other powers under Local Government Act 1993 Chapter 8 Part 2 (Certificate of Authority Required)

Appointed as and Authorised Person to exercise the functions conferred on Council (including the 'person authorised' referred to in Part 2 of Chapter 8) under the *Local Government Act 1993* and *Regulation*. This includes (but is not limited to) entering and inspecting premises, giving directions, applying for search warrants, requiring answers to questions and serving penalty notices.

CG15 Appointed as Council Investigation Officer under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 (Certificate of Authority Required)

Appointed as a Council Investigation Officer pursuant Division 9.2 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* and clause 284 of the *Regulation*. For the purposes of entry, search, inspecting premises, obtaining information, requiring the answering of questions.

CG26 Conduct Inspections under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979

Exercise Council's inspection functions under the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* and *Regulation*.

LE Legislative Functions

LE14 Appointed as a Manager (People Leader) under the Public Interest Disclosure Act 2022

Appointed as a Manager (People Leader) under the requirements of the *Public Interest Disclosure Act 2022* to receive reports of voluntary public interest disclosures from directly or indirectly supervised employees only and pass voluntary public interest disclosures reports on to a Disclosure Officer.

PC26 Authorise Temporary Unfit Stand Down

Temporarily stand down an employee in accordance with Council's Alcohol & Other Drugs Determination and Guidelines, Code of Conduct for Council Staff, Work Health and Safety Policy and the Local Government (State) Award.

PR Procurement Functions

PR02 Authorise Expenditure \$5,000

Authorise expenditure for the procurement of goods, works and services, in accordance with the Procurement Policy and Guidelines up to the value of \$5,000 including;

- Council Stores issued goods and materials,
- prescribed contracts (within the meaning of clause 163 of the *Local Government (General) Regulation 2021*),
- endorsed Preferred Supplier Agreement, or
- where Council has resolved to do so.

INTERPRETATION

Where appearing in this Instrument of Delegation:

- Headings are for convenience only and do not affect interpretation.
- Monetary amounts are inclusive of GST, unless the contrary is expressly stated.
- *Law* includes an Act, regulation, instrument and the like and any amendment, re-enactment, consolidation or replacement of that law by a similar provision in that law or any other law.
- A reference to a policy means a policy adopted by resolution of the Council and includes an amendment or replacement of that policy where adopted by resolution of the Council.
- A reference to "written objections" or "public submission" refers to objections or submissions received from the general public and not from a Commonwealth or State Government department, authority, agency and the like.
- A petition, objection or submission that is signed by or contains the names of more than one person is taken to be one objection or submission as the case may be.
- A reference to a Commonwealth or State Government department, authority, agency and the like includes any successor to it.
- A reference to a concurrence includes any later or amended concurrence.

- A reference to a function includes a reference to a power, authority, duty and the like and to the exercise or performance of such.
- Where the exercise or performance of a function requires other functions to be exercised or performed or requires the delegate to do other things to exercise or perform that function, the delegate is authorised to exercise or perform those other functions and to do those other things.
- A word which denotes the singular denotes the plural and vice versa.
- An authority to 'approve' includes approve with conditions or to refuse.