

# REGIONAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT STATEMENT: GUIDING DOCUMENT

## **Agency:**

Insert full agency name.

## **1. Title**

Write the title of the initiative or submission here.

## **2. Issue**

A short description of the issue including objectives and expected outcomes.

## **3. Region(s)**

The name of the region or regions impacted. Use Planning SA or agency boundaries or simply attach map with affected area highlighted.

## **4. Stakeholders Affected**

Identify those stakeholders affected by the issue or initiative (e.g. Local Government, Community Groups).

## **5. Stakeholders Consulted**

Identify those stakeholders consulted.

## **6. Consultation**

Briefly outline the process undertaken to consult e.g. mail-outs, presentations, advertisements, forums, public meetings – when, where and how many attended.

Outline the key stakeholder issues, concerns and views.

## **7. Summary of Impacts and Analysis**

Provide a summary statement of the impact(s). Explain the impacts and detail what data or evidence exists to support analysis.

### **7.1. Economic Factors**

Describe the current status, positive and negative implications of the issue for the region over the short, medium and long term, jobs and job creation, business, investment, population, infrastructure.

### **7.2. Social Factors**

Describe current demographic/socioeconomic

characteristics, implications for access to education, health, justice, cultural or community services, facilities and places by town or region, any social groups advantaged/disadvantaged, affect on people's way and quality of life.

### **7.3. Environmental Factors**

Describe current status, key environmental impacts, flow on effects, water and air quality, energy use, use of hazardous materials and pollution.

### **7.4 Equity Factors**

Equity refers to fairness to all people. In a regional context this particularly means regardless of where they live. Describe how the policy or proposal will be consistent with the objective of ensuring that all people should have a *reasonable* equity in accessing education, health, justice, services and facilities – irrespective of where they live.

## **8. Solutions**

Detail strategies for managing and/or minimising the identified impacts and issues.

## **9. Coordination**

Detail any inter-agency coordination or cooperation with other spheres of government, and non-government organisation.

## **10. Local Government**

Detail any inter-agency coordination or cooperation with local government.

## **10. Preferred Option**

Outline the preferred option and describe how the consultative process affected the selection of the preferred option.

## **11. Agency Contact**

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