

Special Order

Pursuant to section 185E(6) of the *Local Government Act 1989(Vic)* the Essential Services Commission makes a special Order that:

(a) the applicable cap on rates in respect of the 2017-18 financial year for the Towong Shire Council is a higher cap of **5.55 per cent** comprising:

2 per cent* plus an additional 3.55 per cent

- * being the average rate cap specified in the general Order issued by the Minister under section 185D of the Local Government Act 1989 (Vic) for the 2017-8 financial year
- (b) the applicable cap on rates in respect of the 2018-19, 2019-20 and 2020-21 financial years for the Towong Shire Council is a higher cap of 5.55 per cent being the amount comprised as follows;

R plus [5.55 per cent minus R]

Where:

R = is the average rate cap that is specified in the applicable general Order which is to be issued by the Minister under section 185D of the Local Government Act 1989 (Vic) for the relevant financial year

THE COMMON SEAL of THE ESSENTIAL SERVICES COMMISSION

was affixed pursuant to the authority of the Commission on 24 July 2017

Dr Ron Ben-David Chairperson

