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**ADELAIDE, MONDAY, 10 DECEMBER 2012**

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Department of the Premier and Cabinet  
Adelaide, 10 December 2012

HIS Excellency the Governor in Executive Council has been pleased to appoint Bruce Debelle AO, QC to be a Commissioner to enquire into and report upon the matters set out in the commission issued to the said Bruce Debelle AO, QC on 10 December 2012, pursuant to the Royal Commissions Act 1917.

By command,

JOHN ROBERT RAU, Deputy Premier

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HIS Excellency Rear Admiral Kevin John Scarce, Companion in the Order of Australia, Conspicuous Service Cross, Governor in and over the State of South Australia:

TO

BRUCE DEBELLE AO, QC

Greeting:

Whereas

1. On 31 October 2012, the Minister for Education and Child Development announced the establishment of an independent review into the discrepancy between the accounts of South Australia Police and the Department for Education and Child Development relating to the non-disclosure to the school community of the allegation of child sexual abuse by a staff member in the Out of School Hours Care service, Largs Bay Primary School.

2. It is necessary and desirable that such review be conducted in a manner that enables the relevant evidence to be obtained and the appropriate safeguards and protections to be available to that review.

I, the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council and under the Royal Commissions Act 1917, do hereby appoint you to be a Commissioner to inquire into and report on the following matter:

1. The events and circumstances surrounding the non-disclosure to the school community of allegations of sexual assault committed by the Director of the Out of School Hours Care service at Largs Bay Primary School against a child in his care in 2010.

The review should consider the actions of all relevant agencies, and make recommendations relating to the actions of the parties involved and the procedures and processes that should be in place in these circumstances.

You are required to report as soon as practicable.

GIVEN under my hand and the Public Seal of South Australia, at Adelaide, 10 December 2012.

By command,

JOHN ROBERT RAU, Deputy Premier

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GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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