**AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION**

*Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Act 2005*

Section 143G

*Torres Strait Regional Authority Election Rules 1996*

Rule 43

**DECLARED PRE-POLL LOCATIONS AND TIMES FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE TORRES STRAIT REGIONAL AUTHORITY ELECTION 2016**

I, TOM ROGERS, Electoral Commissioner, referred to in section 18 of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* exercising of the power under Rule 43 of the *Torres Strait Regional Authority Election Rules 1996* (TSRA Election Rules), do hereby:

1. **DECLARE** the Torres Strait Regional Authority election pre-poll locations and times as follows:
	1. Cairns – 18 – 22 July and 25 – 29 July

Australian Electoral Commission

Level 2, Commonwealth Centre

104 Grafton Street

Cairns City QLD 4870

Hours: 9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday

* 1. Thursday Island – 25 July to 29 July

Queensland Government Offices

37-45 Douglas Street

Thursday Island QLD 4875

Hours: 10am to 5pm, Monday to Friday

1. **DECLARE** that this instrument takes effect upon execution.

Tom Rogers

Electoral Commissioner

 11 July 2016