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MINUTES forming ENCLOSURE to

TO: THE PREMIER FOR CABINET SUB COMMITTEE

RE: OVERSEAS TRAVEL - JAPAN

1. PROPOSAL

- 1.1 That the Minister for the River Murray, Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Small Business, Minister for Science and Information Economy and Minister Assisting the Minister for Industry and Trade the Hon Karlene Maywald, MP, travel to Japan from 2 September to 9 September 2006 to market and promote South Australia at various showcase events in Japan.
- 1.2 That the Hon Rory McEwen, MP, Minister for Agriculture, Food and Fisheries and Minister for Forests be also appointed as Acting Minister for the River Murray, Acting Minister for Regional Development, Acting Minister for Small Business, Acting Minister for Science and Information Economy and Acting Minister Assisting the Minister for Industry and Trade for the period 2 September 2006 to 9 September 2006 inclusive.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 The Government has an economic development policy committed to supporting further development of trade and investment opportunities in key international markets.
- 2.2 The proposed visit will support this policy of enhancing economic growth in South Australia through an increased emphasis on trade development and assist to achieve the government's commitment to trebling exports by 2013.

3. DISCUSSION

- 3.1 It is proposed that the Minister for the River Murray travel to Japan from 2 September to 9 September 2006 to meet with the Australian Embassy, Tokyo, Austrade, Tokyo and Osaka and various business delegates to Japan, Biobin, Simarloo, Vitor, Almondco Oyster producer, and 5 wineries.
- 3.2 The visits the Minister will be making include the Tsukiji Fish Markets, Ohta fruit and vegetable markets, Godak Corporation, Australian Embassy, Intercrest and Kaisei, IPN Nishimoto, Hamet Corporation and WDI, Bond Shokai, BioBin, Cosco and Yamaichi Sennari Suisan.
- 3.3 The Minister will be accompanied by a delegation from the food beverage, environmental and service sectors for the purpose of expanding exports into Japan and to market and promote South Australia at various showcase events.
- 3.4 To strengthen South Australia's position in the Japan export market.

- 3.5 To explore other perspectives on trade and investment opportunities for South Australia.
- 3.6 The approval of the Premier has been sought for the Minister of The River Murray to undertake this trip.
- 3.7 The Minister for the River Murray will be accompanied by her Chief of Staff. Ms Cheng Teoh Trade Manager, Office of Trade from the Department of Trade and Economic Development will also accompany the Minister.

3.7.1 Required resources

The estimated cost of the trip is \$30,350.00 to be met from within the approved budget of the Department of Trade and Economic Development.

3.7.2 South Australia's Strategic Plan

The opportunity to promote South Australia through an increased emphasis on trade development is consistent with Strategic Plan Target T1.12 - Treble the value of South Australia's export income to \$25 billion by 2013, with exporters assisted by the work of the industry-led Export Council which was established in 2004. Industry-agreed sectoral goals that will assist in meeting the overall target include \$7.5 billion by 2013 by the food industry in meeting the Food Plan target, over \$3 billion nationally by the wine industry by 2010.

3.7.3 Executive Council

The approval of Her Excellency the Governor in Executive Council be required to appoint Minister McEwen to be also Acting Minister for the River Murray, Acting Minister for Regional Development, Acting Minister for Small Business, Acting Minister for Science and Information Economy and Acting Minister Assisting the Minister for Industry and Trade for the period 2 September 2006 to 9 September 2006 inclusive.

4. RECOMMENDATIONS

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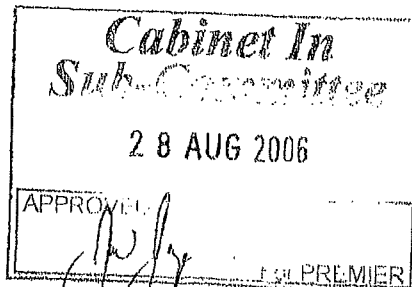
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- 4.2 The Minister for the River Murray will be accompanied by her Chief of Staff. An officer from the Department of Trade and Economic Development will also accompany the Minister.

- 4.3 Her Excellency the Governor in Executive Council approve the appointment of the Hon Rory McEwen, MP, Minister for Agriculture, Food and Fisheries and Minister for Forests be also appointed as Acting Minister for the River Murray, Acting Minister for Regional Development, Acting Minister for Small Business, Acting Minister for Science and Information Economy and Acting Minister Assisting the Minister for Industry and Trade for the period 2 September 2006 to 9 September 2006 inclusive.



Karlene Maywald MP
MINISTER FOR THE RIVER MURRAY
MINISTER FOR REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT
MINISTER FOR SMALL BUSINESS
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MINISTER ASSISTING THE MINISTER FOR INDUSTRY AND TRADE

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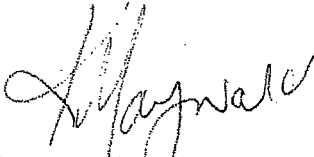
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Karlene Maywald MP

MINISTER FOR THE RIVER MURRAY

MINISTER FOR REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

MINISTER FOR SMALL BUSINESS

MINISTER FOR SCIENCE AND INFORMATION ECONOMY

MINISTER ASSISTING THE MINISTER FOR INDUSTRY AND TRADE

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MINUTE forming ENCLOSURE to

TO: PREMIER

SUBJECT: APPROVAL FOR TRAVEL TO JAPAN

DATE: 1 August 2006

THROUGH: Nick Alexandrides, Chief of Staff to the Premier

I am seeking to travel to Japan, Saturday September 2nd to Adelaide Saturday September 9th inclusive to market and promote South Australia at various showcase events and to provide support to participating SA businesses, and further strengthen economic ties with Japan in the year of exchange. I will be travelling in my capacity as Minister Assisting the Minister for Industry and Trade. When I have received your approval I will prepare a Cabinet Submission to advise Cabinet Sub-Committee of the Minister who will be covering my portfolio areas whilst I am away. The Minister I have approached to act on my behalf is:

Hon Minister McEwen

- A/ Minister for the River Murray
- A Minister for Regional Development
- A/ Minister Small Business
- A/ Minister for Science and Information Economy

RECOMMENDATION

That you approve my travel to Japan from 2/9/06 to 9/9/06.

Karlene Maywald
MINISTER FOR THE RIVER MURRAY
MINISTER FOR REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT
MINISTER FOR SMALL BUSINESS
MINISTER FOR SCIENCE AND INFORMATION ECONOMY
MINISTER ASSISTING THE MINISTER FOR INDUSTRY AND TRADE

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HON MIKE RANN MP
 Premier
 Minister for Economic Development
 Minister for the Arts
 Minister for Volunteers

[Signature] 18/8/2006

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Date: 1st August 2006