LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1995

Shire of Kojonup

LOCAL LAWS RELATING TO STANDING ORDERS

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by the abovementioned Act and of all other powers enabling it, the council of the Shire of Kojonup hereby records having resolved on the 28^{th} July 1997, to make the following local laws-

1. In this local law-

"Act" means the *Local Government Act 1995* and amendments and successors. "President" means any person presiding at any council meeting to which the standing orders apply.

- 2. The proceedings and business of the council shall be conducted in accordance with the Act, the regulations and any other law, and where not specifically prescribed, according to this local law, the clauses of which shall be referred to as "the Standing Orders".
- **3.** The proceedings of all council meetings, committee meetings, electors meetings and other meetings of the council shall be governed by these standing orders unless otherwise provided in the Act, regulations, or any other law.
- 4. Except for the President every member of the council wishing to speak during a council meeting shall indicate by show of hands. When invited by the President to speak, members shall address the council through the President.
- 5. The President shall decide all questions of order, procedure, debate, or otherwise, in respect of which no provision or insufficient provision is made in the standing orders or the Act.
- 6. Except as otherwise provided in the standing orders, a majority of the members present at a meeting may be resolution dissent from the President's ruling on a matter under the standing orders. In all other cases the President's ruling shall be final.
- 7. The Standing Orders by-laws of the Shire of Kojonup published in the *Government Gazette* on the 20th January 1966, 29th December 1972 and subsequently amended in the *Government Gazette* dated 8th June 1990 are hereby revoked.

Dated this 29th day of July 1997.

The Common Seal of the Shire of Kojonup was hereunto affixed by authority of a resolution of the Council in the presence of-

R. H. SEXTON, President. J. E. PERRETT, Acting Chief Executive Officer.