

**RETAIL TRADING ACT 2008 DECISION
REASONS FOR DECISION**

1. I, Vicki Telfer, am an officer delegated by the Director-General under the *Retail Trading Act 2008* to exercise the functions prescribed in that Act.

On this day I have decided to grant the application, received on 17 March 2016, by Greater Building Society Ltd pursuant to section 14(I) of the *Retail Trading Act 2008*.

- 2 This exemption applies subject to the condition that Greater Building Society Ltd may only open at its branches in NSW on Saturdays and on Local Days (being NSW local public holidays declared by Ministerial order where Greater Building Society Ltd has a place of business) between the hours as specified in the application, having regard to:

- (a) it is in the public interest for the Bank to open Saturdays and Local Days having regard to the interest of the employees who will work on the day.

2. My reasons for this decision are subject to the following:

- (a) it is staffed only by persons who have freely elected to work on that day, without any coercion, harassment, threat or intimidation by or on behalf of the bank in accordance with section 14(F) of the *Retail Trading Act 2008*; and
- (b) the Bank will adhere to the provisions of the relevant industrial instrument in relation to staff who work on Saturdays and/or Local Days.

4. This exemption takes effect on 21 April 2016.



Vicki Telfer
Executive Director

21 April 2016