SCHEDULE 8 TO THE DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OVERLAY

Shown on the planning scheme map as DDO8

EMERGENCY SERVICES FLIGHTPATH AREA: WONTHAGGI

1.0 Design objectives

To ensure that the height of new development does not encroach on the flight path areas associated with the Wonthaggi Hospital helipad

To ensure that the height of new development avoids creating a hazard to aircraft using the Wonthaggi Hospital helipad and to facilitate safe emergency medical service helicopter operations

2.0 Buildings and works

A permit is not required to construct a building or carry out works with a height less than 41.6 metres above the Australian Height Datum (AHD) with exception of the following,

- Dwelling additions and dwelling alterations exceeding 41.6 metres above the AHD, providing the dwelling additions and dwelling alterations do not exceed the existing height of the dwelling (measured at the roofline)

A permit is required to construct a fence with a height greater than 41.6 metres above the AHD. This does not apply to the construction of a fence in relation to the residential use of land and the fence height does not exceed the maximum height of the dwelling

A permit is not required to construct a dwelling in a residential zone within the overlay, if the proposed dwelling has a height less than 6 metres above the ground level

Notes:

The Wonthaggi Hospital helipad is at an elevation of 31.6 metres above the AHD.

For the purposes of this clause, buildings and works include radio masts, antennae and flagpole and any construction equipment with buildings and works.

3.0 Referral of applications

Except where a permit is not required for buildings or works under the underlying zone, all applications to construct a building must be referred in accordance with Section 55 of the Act to the referral authority specified in Clause 66.04 or a schedule to that clause.

Where a permit is required to use land or the construction or carrying out of works under another provision in this scheme, notice must be given under section 52(1)(c) of the Planning & Environment Act 1987 to the person or body specified as a person or body to be notified in clause 66.06 or a schedule to that clause.

4.0 Decision guidelines

Before deciding on an application, the responsible authority must consider whether the height and design of any proposed buildings and works will have an impact on the flights associated with the Wonthaggi Hospital EMS helipad