



EXTENSION TO THE CALL FOR VACANCIES

NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT BOARDS

Natural Resources Management (NRM) boards were established in December 2004 under the *Natural Resources Management Act 2004* (the Act). The initial members of the boards were appointed in April 2005.

The eight regional NRM boards are:

- Adelaide and Mount Lofty Ranges NRM Board;
- Alinytjara Wilurara NRM Board;
- Eyre Peninsula NRM Board;
- Kangaroo Island NRM Board;
- Northern and Yorke NRM Board;
- South Australian Arid Lands NRM Board;
- South Australian Murray-Darling Basin NRM Board; and
- South East NRM Board

From 24 September 2007, advertisements for suitably skilled people were sought to serve on these eight regional NRM boards. Members of the NRM boards must collectively have a range of knowledge, skills and practical experience across a number of areas covering:

- i) community affairs at the regional level;
- ii) primary production or pastoral land management;
- iii) soil conservation and land management;
- iv) conservation and biodiversity management;
- v) water resources management;
- vi) business administration;
- vii) Local Government or Local Government administration;
- viii) urban or regional planning;
- ix) Aboriginal interest in the land and water and Aboriginal heritage;
- x) pest animal and plant control;
- xi) natural and social science; and
- xii) coast, estuarine and marine management, fisheries or aquaculture.

Each NRM board has up to nine members, including a presiding member and is responsible for preparing and implementing a regional natural resources management plan for its region.

Board members are appointed by the Governor on the nomination of the Minister for Environment and Conservation and, in the case of the South Australian Murray-Darling Basin NRM Board, the Minister for the River Murray. The positions are remunerated. Members should be willing to provide an average of two days per month for their service on the NRM board. The successful applicants will be appointed for terms of either two or three years.

The State Government policies with regard to gender balance, cultural diversity and representation of indigenous Australians will be adhered to in the selection process.

The closing date for applications for the following NRM boards:

Adelaide and Mount Lofty Ranges NRM Board
Eyre Peninsula NRM Board
Kangaroo Island NRM Board
Northern and Yorke NRM Board
South Australian Arid Lands NRM Board
South Australian Murray-Darling Basin NRM Board
South East NRM Board

is **COB FRIDAY 23 NOVEMBER 2007**

The closing date for applications for the Alinytjara Wilurara NRM Board

is **COB FRIDAY 14 DECEMBER 2007**

This is an extension for applications as a result of difficulties with our on-line application system. If you have any concerns in relation to an application that you previously submitted for a position on an NRM board, please contact the Department via the details listed below.

Applications must be in writing on the application form provided and must include a current curriculum vitae.

Should you wish to view the information relating to these positions and download the application form to submit via email or post, please visit the following site:

www.dwlbc.sa.gov.au/nrm/vacancy_system/index.html

Requests for Nominee Information Packs and completed nominations (by post or email) should be addressed to:

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