South Australia

Witness Protection Regulations 2012

under the Witness Protection Act 1996

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1—Short title

These regulations may be cited as the Witness Protection Regulations 2012.

2—Commencement

These regulations will come into operation on 1 September 2012.

3—Interpretation

In these regulations-

Act means the Witness Protection Act 1996.

4-Non-disclosure of former identity of participant (section 18 of the Act)

For the purposes of section 18(1)(b) of the Act, the form set out in Schedule 1 is prescribed.

Schedule 1—Form

Witness Protection Act 1996

Section 18(1)(b)

Permission for participant in a witness protection program not to disclose former identity

Pursuant to section 18 of the *Witness Protection Act 1996*, I [*here insert name*], being [*here insert title of office holder and, if applicable, name of approved authority*], give permission to [*here insert name of participant*], being a participant within the meaning of that section—

- (a) who has been provided with a new identity under the [here specify the witness protection program and legislation under which it operates]; and
- (b) who would, apart from that section, be required under a law of South Australia to disclose his or her former identity for a particular purpose, namely [*here specify the purpose*],

not to disclose his or her former identity for that purpose.

Signed:

Dated:

Schedule 2—Revocation of Witness Protection Regulations 1997

The Witness Protection Regulations 1997 are revoked.

Note—

As required by section 10AA(2) of the *Subordinate Legislation Act 1978*, the Minister has certified that, in the Minister's opinion, it is necessary or appropriate that these regulations come into operation as set out in these regulations.

Made by the Governor

with the advice and consent of the Executive Council on 2 August 2012

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