

## Special Commission of Inquiry into Healthcare Funding

### Statement of Peter Treseder AO

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1. This statement made by me accurately sets out the evidence that I would be prepared, if necessary, to give to the Special Commission of Inquiry into Healthcare Funding (**the Inquiry**) as a witness. The statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
2. I am the Board Chair of the Mid North Coast Local Health District (**MNCLHD**).
3. This statement is supplementary to my statement of 13 September 2024 (**MOH.0011.0071.0001**) and addresses paragraphs 15, 27 and 33 of that statement.
4. At paragraph 15 of my 13 September 2024 statement, I omitted to refer to the Sustainable Healthcare subcommittee of the Board.
5. At paragraph 27 of my 13 September 2024 statement, I seek to clarify the stage of stronger integration of mental health service delivery. Paragraph 27 of my 13 September 2024 statement should instead state: "The MOU provides for activities to be undertaken, some by MNCLHD with the PHN, some by NNSWLHD with the PHN, and the balance jointly. There has been a noticeable improvement since executing the MOU, including greater cooperation in system developments which are designed to lead to better patient outcomes. As a result, the ground is now laid for a much stronger integration of mental health service delivery between General Practitioners and Coffs Harbour Hospital and a more streamlined process for patients moving through the system."
6. At paragraph 33 of my statement, there is an error as to the amount of the negative starting position of MNCLHD's 24/25 budget. The third paragraph of my 13 September 2024 should state "Further complicating this with reference to MNCLHD's 24/25 budget which has a negative starting position of \$20 million, which a reasonable person would assume to be an unfavourable Net Cost of Service (**NCOS**) position."



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Peter Treseder AO

20 September 2024

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Witness: ~~[insert name of witness]~~ Delwyn Kruk

20 September 2024

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