



The Hon Michael McCormack MP

Deputy Prime Minister

Minister for Infrastructure, Transport and Regional Development

Leader of The Nationals

Federal Member for Riverina

MEDIA RELEASE

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STATEMENT

Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for Infrastructure, Transport and Regional Development and Leader of The Nationals Michael McCormack has accepted Andrew Broad's resignation as the Assistant Minister to the Deputy Prime Minister.

Mr McCormack thanked the Federal Member for Mallee for his service to the Ministry, following his appointment in September this year.

A replacement will be made and announced in due course.

Mr McCormack said due to the nature of the allegations made, it is appropriate for Mr Broad to resign as the Assistant Minister to the Deputy Prime Minister.

He also stressed the matter may also be subject to future investigation and further media comment on such detail is not appropriate.

Mr McCormack said Mr Broad will continue as an effective and hardworking Member for Mallee, a role he has capably held since 2013.

Ends.

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His Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified, for general information, that on 18 December 2018, he revoked the appointment of The Honourable Andrew John Broad MP as Parliamentary Secretary to the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Infrastructure, Transport and Regional Development.

By His Excellency's Command

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