

**RETAIL TRADING ACT 2008 DECISION
REASONS FOR DECISION**

1. I, Vicki Telfer, am an officer delegated by the Director-General under the *Retail Trading Act 2008* to exercise the functions prescribed in that Act.

On this day I have decided to grant the application, received on 2 November 2018, by St George bank a division of Westpac Banking Corporation pursuant to section 14(l) of the *Retail Trading Act 2008*.
2. This exemption applies subject to the condition that St George Bank, may only open its kiosk located at Westfield Shopping Centre Bondi Junction in NSW on Sundays between the 10.00am – 4.00pm having regard to:
 - (a) It is in the public interest for the bank to open on Sundays having regard to the interest of the employees who work on this bank close day.
 - (b) The approval to open on a Sunday does not include those Sundays which are otherwise a restricted trading day – Easter Sunday, Christmas Day or Anzac Day before 1pm – when they fall on a Sunday. On these restricted trading days the branch is to be closed.
3. My reasons for this decision are subject to the following:
 - (a) all labour engaged on Sundays will be voluntary in accordance with section 14(F) of the *Retail Trading Act 2008*
 - (b) the Bank will adhere to the provisions of the relevant industrial instrument in relation to staff who work on Sundays.
4. This exemption takes effect on the 26th day of November 2018.



Vicki Telfer
Deputy Secretary
People Strategy Group (NSW Treasury)

27 November 2018