



## **MEDIA RELEASE**

**Amanda Rishworth MP**

Federal Member for Kingston

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### **SEAFORD AND MCLAREN VALE AMONG THE FIRST TO RECEIVE HIGH-SPEED BROADBAND**

Amanda Rishworth MP, Member for Kingston today welcomed the announcement by Mike Quigley, CEO of the National Broadband Network Co that the next stage of the Willunga NBN roll-out will be extended to include Seaford and McLaren Vale.

Ms Rishworth said “I am delighted that households and businesses in Seaford and McLaren Vale will now join those in Willunga who will be among the first in Australia to receive high-speed broadband on the mainland.

“This extension to include the adjacent Seaford and McLaren Vale communities in the roll-out demonstrates my commitment to deliver better broadband services to all residents and businesses in the Southern Suburbs of Adelaide.”

“The NBN will equip businesses in Southern Adelaide with the tools they need to be competitive as well as delivering to residents of our community the modern broadband facilities they deserve.”

Ms Rishworth said that construction in first release sites is set to commence later this month. Construction in second release sites is scheduled for the second quarter of 2011.

Along with Seaford and McLaren Vale, Modbury and Prospect were also selected for this next stage of the NBN roll-out putting South Australia at the forefront of the roll-out of this cutting-edge technology.

Ms Rishworth said that the live tests of the network’s design and construction methods will assist in the roll out of the NBN network both nationally and locally.

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