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## MEDIA RELEASE

### NEW CEO FOR OUTBACK STORES

Outback Stores today announced the appointment of Alastair King as Chief Executive Officer.

Alastair brings extensive commercial and remote store experience to Outback Stores from his 15-year career with Arnhem Land Progress Association (ALPA) and 11 years with Coles.

Alastair has been on the board of Outback Stores since April 2006.

This appointment is for 12 months following the resignation of CEO John Kop, who joined Outback Stores in November 2006.

Chairman Steve Bradley says Outback Stores will continue providing a high level of service in support of its mission of ensuring affordable, reliable, nutritious food supplies to remote communities across Australia.

The relationship between Outback Stores and ALPA will continue to be managed by their respective boards in line with the Memorandum of Understanding signed between the two organisations.

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