

Opportunity for public comment

Yellow Crazy Ant Eradication, Wet Tropics World Heritage Area, North Queensland (EPBC 2014/7271)

Request for a reconsideration of decision under s78A of the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

On 12 August 2014, the proposed action to implement a Yellow Crazy Ant eradication project in North Queensland was determined to be not a controlled action provided it was undertaken in a particular manner under sections 75 and 77A of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act).

The Minister for the Environment has received a request under Section 78A of the EPBC Act to reconsider the decision made under subsection 75(1) of the Act, on the basis of a substantial change in circumstances that was not foreseen at the time of the first decision and may influence the impacts that the action has, will have, or is likely to have, on:

- Listed threatened species and communities;
- World Heritage properties; and
- National Heritage places.

Members of the public are invited under subsection 78B(6) of the EPBC Act to provide comments in writing on this request.

The following documents are provided for reference:

- The request for reconsideration; and
- Supporting documentation.

Submissions must be received at the following e-mail or postal addresses, referencing the project number EPBC 2014/7271, no later than close of business **Tuesday 8th March 2016**:

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