



VARIATION OF CONDITIONS ATTACHED TO APPROVAL Cairns Shipping Development (Trinity Inlet) Project, Queensland (EPBC 2012/6538)

This decision to vary conditions of approval is made under section 143 of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act).

Approved action

Person to whom the approval is granted Far North Queensland Ports Corporation Limited
ACN: 131 836 014

Approved action To upgrade the existing shipping channel and associated infrastructure in the Port of Cairns [See EPBC Act referral 2012/6538] subject to the variation of the action accepted by the Minister under section 156B on Tuesday, 25 July 2017

Variation

Variation of conditions attached to approval The variation is:
Delete condition 13A attached to the approval and substitute with the condition specified below

Date of effect This variation has effect on the date the instrument is signed

Person authorised to make decision

Name and position Declan O'Connor-Cox
Assistant Secretary A/g
Assessments (Vic, Tas) and Post Approvals Branch

Signature 

Date of decision 22 September 2020

Condition attached to the approval:

- 13A. Within **24** months of the completion of dredging, the approval holder must submit an Offset Management Plan (OMP) to the Minister for approval. If the Minister approves the OMP, the approved OMP must be implemented. The OMP must include, but is not limited to:
- (a) details of offset(s) in accordance with condition 11(a) and condition 11(b)(i);
 - (b) details of offset(s) in accordance with condition 11(b)(ii) and details of the source and amount of fine sediment (reviewed by a suitably qualified person) considered by the approval holder to have caused the impact;
 - (c) timeframes for delivery and completion of the offset(s); and
 - (d) for any part(s) of the offset(s) not delivered by providing a contribution to Reef Trust:
 - (i) details of how the offset(s) align with the broader strategies and programs for the Great Barrier Reef, including but not limited to the Reef 2050 Long-Term Sustainability Plan;
 - (ii) a description of the management measures (including timing, frequency and longevity) that will be implemented to deliver the offset(s);
 - (iii) performance and completion criteria for evaluating the success of the management measures and criteria for triggering remedial action (if necessary);
 - (iv) a program, including timelines to monitor and report on the effectiveness of the management measures, and progress against the performance and completion criteria; and
 - (v) a description of potential risks to the successful implementation of the management measures and a description of the contingency measures that would be implemented to mitigate against these risks and residual risk ratings.