



**Notification of
REFERRAL DECISION AND DESIGNATED PROPONENT – controlled action**

Winchester South Project Water Pipeline, near Moranbah, Queensland (EPBC 2019/8459)

This decision is made under section 75 of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act).

proposed action	To construct and operate a 14 km water pipeline, near Moranbah, Queensland [See EPBC Act referral 2019/8459].
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decision on proposed action	The proposed action is a controlled action. The project will require assessment and approval under the EPBC Act before it can proceed.
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relevant controlling provisions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Listed threatened species and communities (sections 18 & 18A)
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designated proponent	WHITEHAVEN WS PTY LTD ABN 87 625 165 004
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assessment approach	The project will be assessed under the assessment bilateral agreement with Queensland.
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Decision-maker

Name and position	Nathan Hanna A/g Assistant Secretary Assessments and Governance Branch
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Signature	
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date of decision	18 July 2019
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