



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

Big Rocks Weir Project, Queensland (EPBC 2020/8831)

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 weir and associated infrastructure on the Burdekin River, 26km from Charters Towers township, Queensland (see EPBC Act referral 2020/8831).

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.

relevant controlling provisions

- Listed threatened species and communities (sections 18 & 18A)
- Great Barrier Reef Marine Park (sections 24B & 24C)
- World Heritage properties (sections 12 & 15A)
- National Heritage places (sections 15B & 15C)

designated proponent Charters Towers Regional Council
ABN 67 731 313 583

assessment approach To be advised.

Decision-maker Rebecca Gee

Name and position Rebecca Gee
A/g Assistant Secretary
Environment Assessments Queensland and Sea Dumping Branch

Signature

date of decision 29 January 2021
