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*Local Government Act 2019*

## **Change of Boundaries of East Arnhem Region and Constitution of Groote Archipelago Region**

I, Hugh Crosby Heggie, Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, with effect on 1 September 2024:

- (a) under section 16(1)(j) of the *Local Government Act 2019*, change the boundaries of the local government area known as the East Arnhem Region to excise the area shown shaded on Certified Plan S2023/306 (the **Certified Plan**), a copy of which is shown in the Schedule; and
- (b) under section 16(1)(k) of the Act, abolish the Anindilyakwa Ward of the East Arnhem Region; and
- (c) under section 16(1)(a) of the Act, constitute the part of the Territory shown shaded on the Certified Plan as a local government area (the **new LGA**); and
- (d) under section 16(1)(d) of the Act, determine that the new LGA is a region; and
- (e) under section 16(1)(h) of the Act, assign the name 'Groote Archipelago Region' to the new LGA; and

- (f) under section 16(1)(i) of the Act, assign the name 'Groote Archipelago Regional Council' to the council for the new LGA; and
- (g) under section 16(1)(n) of the Act, determine that 7 members are to be elected for the new LGA.

Responsible Minister:

C. J. PAECH  
Minister for Local Government

H. C. HEGGIE  
Administrator

Dated 16 May 2024

*Note for paragraphs (a) and (c)*

*A Certified Plan may be inspected at the Office of the Surveyor-General, Level 1, Energy House, 18-20 Cavenagh Street, Darwin, Northern Territory.*

*Note for paragraph (f)*

*A prospective council for the new LGA was established by instrument entitled 'Establishment of Prospective Council and Appointment of Person to Constitute Prospective Council: Warnindilyakwa Regional Council' dated 16 August 2022 and published in Gazette No. S45 of 17 August 2022. That instrument was amended by instrument entitled 'Amendment of Establishment of Prospective Council' dated 17 July 2023 and published in Gazette No. S49 of 2023.*

Schedule

