

**NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA**

***Planning Act 1999***

**Section 29**

**REASONS FOR DECISION**

**NORTHERN TERRITORY PLANNING SCHEME 2020**

**AMENDMENT NO.72**

Pursuant to section 12(1), I have decided to amend the NT Planning Scheme 2020, to amend Schedule 3 (Exceptions) to allow for the use of Section 6128 Hundred of Bagot (Manigurr-Ma – Centre for National Resilience), for temporary accommodation purposes in an existing fit for purpose facility by the Australian Government until 30 June 2031.

I have made this amendment because it:

- will facilitate the temporary use of an existing fit for purpose facility for an identified need by the Commonwealth;
- has merit and is in the public interest as it will accommodate a substantial workforce that would otherwise place significant pressure on the greater Darwin housing market within the greater Darwin region;

Pursuant to section 12(2), I am satisfied that the amendment is not significant enough to require exhibition, as the amendment re-establishes the previously approved use of the site for temporary staff accommodation for a fixed period of time;



EVA DINA LAWLER

Minister for Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics

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*Planning Act 1999*

AMENDMENT TO NT PLANNING SCHEME 2020

I, EVA DINA LAWLER, Minister for Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics, under section 12(2)(a) of the *Planning Act 1999*, amend the NT Planning Scheme 2020 by making the amendment, specified in the Schedule.

Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2022



Minister for Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics

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**SCHEDULE**

**AMENDMENT TO NT PLANNING SCHEME 2020**

**AMENDMENT No. 72**

**1. Citation**

This amendment to the NT Planning Scheme 2020 may be cited as Amendment No. 72.

**2. Amend Schedule 3 (Exceptions)**

*After sub-clause 3(v), insert*

(w) the use of Section 6128 Hundred of Bagot (Manigurr-Ma – Centre for National Resilience) for temporary accommodation purposes in an existing fit for purpose facility by the Australian Government until 30 June 2031.

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