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Traffic Act 1987

Declaration of Tatts Finke Desert Race

I, Joel Francis Bowden, Minister for Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics, under section 43A(1) of the *Traffic Act 1987* and with reference to section 43A(2) and (4) of the Act:

- (a) declare that the motor vehicle event called the Tatts Finke Desert Race (the event) organised by Finke Desert Race Inc (the organiser) is an event to which section 43A of the Act applies; and
- (b) order that each public street or public place within the area specified in Schedule 1 and indicated for information purposes only by a thick black line on the maps in Schedule 2 (the **event area**), being a public street or public place on which the event is to be held, is closed to traffic (other than event participants or event officials) on 9 June 2024 from 6:00 am to 6:00pm and on 10 June 2024 from 6:00 am to 6:00 pm, subject to the condition that during those times the organiser must control traffic movement on the Old South Road from its intersection with the Stuart Highway to the Aputula (Finke) Community; and

(c) order that, while a person is taking part in the event, the person is exempted, in relation to each public street or public place within the event area, from the duty to observe the Act (other than Part V of the Act) and the *Traffic* Regulations 1999.

J. F. BOWDEN

Minister for Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics

Dated 4 June 2024

Schedule 1

All that parcel of land in the Alice Springs locality in the Northern Territory of Australia containing an area of approximately 297.8 hectares more or less being designated as NT Portion 6333 and being more particularly delineated on Survey Plan S2003/22A lodged with the Surveyor-General, Darwin, together with an area extending generally southerly from the south-east corner of that portion within a corridor 100 metres wide being 50 metres either side of, and extending along, an imaginary line between markers erected by the organisers to mark the route of the race, that route being a distance of approximately 220 km along or parallel to the Old South Road, Maryvale Road and Ghan Heritage Road, ending at the Aputula (Finke) Community at a fence constructed by the organisers approximately 200 metres south of the overnight start/finish line of the event.

Schedule 2



