



**Public and Environmental Health Act**

NOTIFICATION OF MAKING OF GUIDELINES

I, BARBARA ANN PATERSON, Chief Health Officer, under section 101(4) of the *Public and Environmental Health Act*, give notice of the following:

- (a) I have adopted the guidelines about recreational use of water (coastal, estuarine and fresh waters) entitled "National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC) Guidelines for Managing Risks in Recreational Water 2008";
- (b) the guidelines take effect on 7 July 2011;
- (c) copies of the guidelines may be inspected or purchased:
  - (i) at the following website:  
[www.health.nt.gov.au/Environmental \\_ Health/  
Water \\_ Quality/index.aspx](http://www.health.nt.gov.au/Environmental_Health/Water_Quality/index.aspx);
  - or
  - (ii) between 8.00 am and 4.21 pm, Monday to Friday, at:  
Environmental Health Branch  
2nd floor Casuarina Plaza  
258 Trower Road Casuarina

Dated 6th July, 2011.

B. A. PATERSON  
Chief Health Officer