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Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory Act 2014

Appointment of Members: Board of the Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory

I, Chanston James Paech, Minister for Arts, Culture and Heritage, under section 16(1) of the *Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory Act 2014*, appoint Barry Allen Judd and Wendy Josephine Ludwig to each be a member of the Board of the Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory for 3 years.

C. J. PAECH

Minister for Arts, Culture and Heritage

Dated 7 March 2024



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Professional Standards Act 2004

Notification: The Bar Association of Queensland Professional Standards Scheme

I, Chanston James Paech, Attorney-General and Minister for Justice, under section 13(1) of the *Professional Standards Act 2004* and with reference to section 14(1)(a) of the Act, give notice that:

- (a) a scheme entitled "The Bar Association of Queensland Professional Standards Scheme" has been approved by the Professional Standards Council established by the *Professional Standards Act 2004* (Qld); and
- (b) the scheme commences on 1 July 2024; and
- (c) copies of the scheme are available from the Professional Standards Council website at www.psc.gov.au from 1 July 2024.

C. J. Paech
Attorney-General and Minister for Justice

Dated 14 March 2024



Northern Territory of Australia

Livestock Act 2008

Declaration of Protected Area for Control of Varroosis

I, Mark James Monaghan, Minister for Agribusiness and Fisheries, under section 58(1)(c) of the *Livestock Act 2008*, for the control of the notifiable disease infestation of bees with *Varroa destructor* or *Varroa jacobsoni* (Varroosis), which is an emergency disease, declare the Territory to be a protected area.

M. J. MONAGHAN
Minister for Agribusiness and Fisheries

Dated 18 March 2024



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Livestock Act 2008

Revocation and Declaration of Restriction of Movement of Bees, Bee Products and Associated Equipment

I, Robert Steven Williams, Chief Inspector of Livestock:

- (a) under section 59(1) of the *Livestock Act 2008* (the **Act**) and with reference to section 43 of the *Interpretation Act 1978*, revoke the declaration made by instrument entitled "Declared Area Movement Restrictions Bees and Associated Equipment and Products" dated 24 June 2009 and published in *Gazette* No. G26 of 1 July 2009; and
- (b) under section 59(1) of the Act, restrict the movement of bees, bee products and associated equipment, as specified in the Schedule for the control of the following notifiable diseases:
 - (i) infection of bees with *Paenibacillus larvae* (American foulbrood);
 - (ii) infection of bees with *Melissococcus plutonius* (European foulbrood);
 - (iii) small hive beetle (*Aethina tumida*);
 - (iv) infestation of bees with *Varroa destructor* or *Varroa jacobsoni* (Varroosis).

R. S. WILLIAMS
Chief Inspector of Livestock

Dated 15 March 2024

Schedule

1 Definitions

In this Schedule:

American foulbrood means infection of bees with *Paenibacillus larvae* (American foulbrood).

beekeeping equipment means any article, apparatus or implement used in connection with the keeping of bees or the handling or processing of bee products.

Examples for definition beekeeping equipment

- 1 *Hive components.*
- 2 *Intermediate bulk containers.*
- 3 *Extraction equipment.*

bee product means any product produced by honey bees.

Examples for definition bee products

Honey, honey comb, queen candy, beeswax, bee-collected pollen, propolis, royal jelly and venom.

declared area movement permit means a declared area movement permit mentioned in section 59(2) of the Act.

European foulbrood means infection of bees with *Melissococcus plutonius* (European foulbrood).

packaged bees means a quantity of adult honey bees (1.5 kg – 2 kg), with or without a queen bee contained in screened shipping cage with food source.

protected area means the area declared to be a protected area by:

- (a) the declaration made under section 58(1) of the Act for control of Varroosis, as in force from time to time; or
- (b) the declaration made under section 58(1) of the Act for control of American foulbrood, European foulbrood or small hive beetle, as in force from time to time.

small hive beetle means small hive beetle (*Aethina tumida*).

Varroosis means infestation of bees with *Varroa destructor* or *Varroa jacobsoni* (Varroosis).

2 When movement permit is required

A person must apply to an inspector for, and be granted, a declared area movement permit before moving any bees, bee products or beekeeping equipment into the protected area from a State or another Territory.

3 Prior notice

Notice of consignment dates must be given to an inspector before a consignment of bees, bee products or beekeeping equipment is moved.

4 Additional requirements applicable to movement of bees

- (1) Queen bees, escorts and packaged bees that meet the requirements of this clause are the only bees that are permitted to be moved into the protected area.
- (2) Queen bees must not be moved into the protected area unless:
 - (a) either:
 - (i) the queen bees and escorts are from a State or another Territory that is free of Varroosis; or
 - (ii) the queen bees and escorts are from an area that is free of Varroosis and the hive from which the bees are taken has been tested for Varroosis in a manner approved by the Chief Inspector and found negative prior to dispatch; and
 - (b) the queen bees and escorts are handpicked; and
 - (c) the bees picked for the consignment have been physically examined for the presence of Varroosis and no mites have been found by the supplier immediately prior to the bees being dispatched; and
 - (d) the bees are contained in new bee-proof queen cages that are secured sufficiently to prevent the escape of bees during normal handling.
- (3) Packaged bees must not be moved into the protected area unless the following requirements are met:
 - (a) the bees are from a small hive beetle free area in Western Australia;
 - (b) within 7 days prior to the bees dispatch, the hive from which the bees are taken is inspected for small hive beetle and found to be free of it;

- (c) within 21 days prior to the bees dispatch, the bees are tested for American foulbrood and European foulbrood and found negative;
- (d) the packaging containing the bees remains closed at all times during movement through areas of Western Australia that are not within the small hive beetle free area.

5 Additional requirements applicable to movement of certain bee products

- (1) Beeswax must be heated to melting point before it is brought into the protected area.
- (2) Bee candy and bee-collected pollen must be irradiated with 15 kiloGray before it is brought into the protected area.

6 Additional requirements applicable to movement of beekeeping equipment

Beekeeping equipment must not be moved into the protected area unless:

- (a) metal parts have been irradiated with 15 kiloGray or steamed cleaned and approved by the interstate inspector; and
 - (b) non-metal parts have been irradiated with 15 kiloGray or dipped in hot wax or a caustic solution and approved by the interstate inspector; and
 - (c) the equipment has been isolated once treated so it is not exposed to bees, bee products or other used beekeeping equipment during the period between the treatment and dispatch to the protected area.
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Energy Pipelines Act 1981

Notice of Variation of Pipeline Licence No. 34 (PL34)

I, Christine Lara Cakebread, delegate of the Minister for Mining, under section 60 of the *Energy Pipelines Act 1981* (the **Act**), give notice that under section 21D of the Act and being satisfied in accordance with section 21C of the Act, that on 13 March 2024, Pipeline Licence 34 (PL34) held by Jemena Northern Gas Pipeline Pty Ltd ACN 607 928 790 was varied as follows:

- 1) Schedule 1 of the Licence:
 - (a) The description of the Pipeline is omitted and replaced with the following description:

"The pipeline known as the 'Northern Gas Pipeline' as depicted in Schedule 4".
- 2) Schedule 1 of the Licence:
 - (a) The definition of "Executive Director" in clause 1.1(c) is omitted and replaced with the following definition:

"Executive Director" means the Senior Executive Director Energy Development, Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade;
 - (b) The definition of "Licence Area" in clause 1.1(c) is omitted and replaced with the following definition:

"Licence Area" means the area described and depicted in the survey plans at Schedule 5;
- 3) Appendix A is omitted from the Licence.
- 4) A new Schedule 4 is inserted in the Licence entitled "Pipeline Plan".
- 5) A new Schedule 5 is inserted in the Licence entitled "Licence Area".

Dated 14 March 2024

C. L. CAKEBREAD
Director Petroleum Tenure

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Firearms Act 1997

Declaration of Category D Firearms

I, Michael Murphy, the Commissioner of Police, in pursuance of section 8(1) of the Northern Territory *Firearms Act 1997* ("the Act"), declare all military firearms or weapons defined in Schedule 1 of the Act, that have been permanently deactivated for the genuine reason of museum display and/or firearms collection, to be a category D firearm.

Dated 5 March 2024

M. MURPHY
Commissioner of Police

Northern Territory of Australia

Firearms Act 1997

Exemption of Firearm from Operation of Act

I, Michael Murphy, the Commissioner of Police, under section 8(1)(b) of the *Firearms Act 1997* (NT) ("the Act"), and with reference to section 42 of the *Interpretation Act 1978* (NT), hereby declare the firearm detailed below to be exempt from the operation of the Act:

Hollis & Sons shotgun, 12 gauge, side by side, serial number 53849.

Dated 17 November 2023

M. MURPHY
Commissioner of Police

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