NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Planning Act

AMENDMENT OF NT PLANNING SCHEME

I, DELIA PHOEBE LAWRIE, the Minister for Planning and Lands, under section 12(2)(a) of the *Planning Act*, amend the NT Planning Scheme by making the amendment specified in the Schedule.

Dated 9th Argust

2007

Minister for Planning and Lands

SCHEDULE

AMENDMENT OF NT PLANNING SCHEME AMENDMENT No. 16

1. Citation

This amendment to the NT Planning Scheme may be cited as Amendment No. 16.

2. Substitution of Clause 1.3 sub-clause 2(f)

Omit clause 1.3 sub-clause 2(f) and substitute:

(f) the conduct of any mining activity under any mining interest (where the terms "mining activity" and "mining interest" have the same meaning as in the *Mining Management Act*).

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Planning Act

NOTICE OF AMENDMENT OF NT PLANNING SCHEME AMENDMENT No. 16

I, DELIA PHOEBE LAWRIE, the Minister for Planning and Lands, under section 28(1) of the *Planning Act*, give notice that -

- (a) I have amended the NT Planning Scheme by omitting clause 1.3 sub-clause 2(f) and substituting it with a new sub-clause; and
- (b) copies of the amendment are available from the Offices of the Department of Planning and Infrastructure, at the following locations:

Ground Floor Cavenagh House 38 Cavenagh Street Darwin; Level 1 Alice Plaza Todd Mall Alice Springs; Level 1 Government Centre 5-7 First Street Katherine; and Regional Office Leichhardt Street Tennant Creek.

Dated 9th Agust

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Planning Act Section 29

Reasons for Decision

NT PLANNING SCHEME AMENDMENT AMENDMENT No. 16

It was intended that the new NT Planning Scheme would remove planning controls over mining activity, leaving the provisions of the *Mining Act* and the *Mining Management Act* to regulate the activity. Because the wording of clause 1.3 sub-clause 2(f) did not achieve this policy objective, it has been amended.

DELIA PHOEBE LAWRIE

Minister for Planning and Lands

9 / 8 /2007