

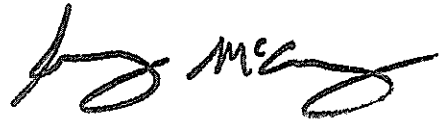
NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Planning Act

AMENDMENT TO NT PLANNING SCHEME

I, GERALD FRANCIS MCCARTHY the Minister for Lands and Planning, under section 25(2)(a) of the *Planning Act*, amend the NT Planning by making the amendment specified in the Schedule.

Dated 30 December 2011.



Minister for Lands and Planning

SCHEDULE

AMENDMENT TO NT PLANNING SCHEME

AMENDMENT No. 206

1. Citation

This amendment to the NT Planning Scheme may be cited as Amendment No. 206.

2. Replace sub-clause 2 of clause 6.17

after:

clause 6.17 sub-clause 1

replace:

sub-clause 2 with

2. Dredging of the seabed within Darwin Harbour (being the waters south of a straight line between Charles Point and Gunn Point) requires **consent**.

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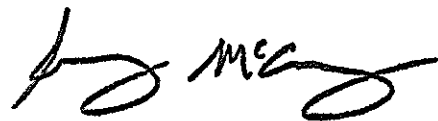
Planning Act

**NOTICE OF MAKING OF AMENDMENT TO NT PLANNING SCHEME
AMENDMENT No. 206**

I, GERALD FRANCIS MCCARTHY, the Minister for Lands and Planning, under section 28(1) of the *Planning Act*, give notice that –

- (a) I have, under section 25(2)(a) of the Act, amended the NT Planning Scheme by amending clause 6.17 to include a requirement that consent be granted to dredge for navigation purposes within the Darwin Harbour.
- (b) Copies of the amendment, (Amendment No. 206), are available from the Offices of the Department of Lands and Planning, Ground Floor, 38 Cavenagh Street, Darwin.

Dated 30 December 2011

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'G McCarthy', is positioned above the title of the Minister.

Minister for Lands and Planning

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Planning Act
Section 29

Reasons for Decision

NORTHERN TERRITORY PLANNING SCHEME
AMENDMENT No. 206

I am aware that the provisions of the NT Planning Scheme do not currently require that consent be granted to dredge for navigation purposes within the Darwin Harbour. I am also aware that this situation means that the recommendations of an environmental assessment cannot be considered by the planning consent authority.

Therefore, I have amended clause 6.17 of the NT Planning Scheme to require that consent be granted to dredging for navigation purposes in the Darwin Harbour. This will allow for the consideration of recommendations contained within an Environmental Assessment Report by the consent authority.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'G McCarthy', is positioned above the printed name of the Minister.

GERALD FRANCIS MCCARTHY
Minister for Lands and Planning

30 / 12 /2011