

## **CLEARING REFERRAL DETERMINATION NOTICE**

## **Referral details**

Referral number:	REF 10800/1
Referral submitted by:	Phosphate Resources Limited
Purpose of proposed clearing:	Clearing to access a stockpile
Location of proposed clearing:	Mining Tenement MCI 70/1A (being Unallocated Crown Land, PIN 11460060)
Locality:	Christmas Island
Clearing size:	0.325 hectares
Expiration date:	26 November 2026

## **Referral determination**

The Department of Water and Environmental Regulation has considered the above referral and determined under section 51DA(3) of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (the EP Act) that a clearing permit **is not required** for the proposed clearing of native vegetation within the area cross-hatched in green on the attached map detailed in Schedule 1 (the referral area).

The reason for this determination is that the proposed clearing satisfies all of the criteria specified in section 51DA(4) of the EP Act.

Please note that this determination is valid only until the expiration date specified above.

Meenu Vitarana MANAGER NATIVE VEGETATION REGULATION

Officer delegated under section 20 of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

26 November 2024

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## Schedule 1: Map



Figure 1: Map of the referral area within which clearing of native vegetation does not require a clearing permit.