

Nature Conservation and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2015

Amendments during consideration in detail to be moved by
The Honourable the Minister for Environment and Heritage Protection and
Minister for National Parks and the Great Barrier Reef

1 **Clause 2 (Commencement)**

Page 6, line 8, after ‘27’—

insert—

, 27A

2 **Clause 4 (Amendment of s 4 (Object of Act))**

Page 6, line 18—

omit, insert—

nature while allowing for the involvement of indigenous people in the management of protected areas in which they have an interest under Aboriginal tradition or Island custom.

3 **Clause 9 (Replacement of s 21 (Management principles of regional parks))**

Page 9, lines 15 to 17—

omit, insert—

- (c) provide opportunities for educational and recreational activities in a way consistent with the area’s natural and cultural resources and values; and
- (d) ensure that any commercial use of the area’s natural resources, including fishing and grazing, is ecologically sustainable.

4 **Clause 17 (Amendment of s 42A (Declaration of special management area))**

Page 12, after line 21—

insert—

- (1A) However, if the prescribed national park is a national park (Cape York Peninsula Aboriginal land), the chief executive may only declare the special management area (controlled action) with the consent of the indigenous landholder for the land.

5 Clause 17 (Amendment of s 42A (Declaration of special management area))

Page 13, lines 3 to 9—

omit, insert—

- (a) a national park; or
- (b) a national park (Aboriginal land); or
- (c) a national park (Torres Strait Islander land);
or
- (d) a national park (Cape York Peninsula Aboriginal land).

6 After clause 27

Page 15, after line 18—

insert—

27A Insertion of new s 120AB

After section 120A—

insert—

120AB Amendment of management plans for particular land

- (1) This section applies in relation to the amendment of a management plan for land in a national park (Cape York Peninsula Aboriginal land) or an indigenous joint management area.
- (2) The amendment of the management plan

must be prepared jointly with the indigenous landholder for the land.

(3) The management plan as amended must be consistent with any indigenous land use agreement or indigenous management agreement for the land.

(4) This section does not limit section 120A.

7 Part 4, heading (Amendment of Environmental Protection Act 1994)

Page 23, lines 3 and 4—

omit.

8 Clauses 36 and 37

Page 23, lines 5 to 13—

omit.

9 Schedule 1 (Minor and consequential amendments)

Page 29, line 7, after ‘conservation park’—

insert—

or resources reserve

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