

Public Notice

Notice of intention to postpone the expiry of the Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) 2007

Water Act 2000 section 54

Purpose

Notice is given under section 54 of the *Water Act 2000* that the Honourable Mark Bailey Minister for Transport and Main Roads intends to postpone the expiry of the Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) 2007 and invites public submissions.

Minister's water plan performance assessment report for the Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) 2007

The Minister for Transport and Main Roads has prepared a report under section 49 of the *Water Act 2000* about the effectiveness of the Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) 2007 and its implementation in advancing the sustainable management of Queensland's water resources. The report can be accessed on the Department of Natural resources, Mines and Energy website www.dnrme.qld.gov.au.

Proposed new expiry date

The plan is due to expire on 1 September 2019. The proposed new expiry date of the Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) 2007 is 1 September 2023.

Submissions

Any entity or individual may make a submission about the intent to postpone the expiry of the Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) 2007. Submissions must:

- be in writing and signed by each person making the submission, unless the submission is electronic, in which case no signature is required
- state the name and address of each person making the submission
- state the grounds of the submissions and the facts and circumstances relied on in support of the grounds
- be made to the Chief Executive
- be received on or before 5pm Monday 8 July 2019.

A submission form is available in Appendix H of the Minister's report.

Email, posted and online submissions will be accepted as follows:

Email: WPBurdekin@dnrme.qld.gov.au

Postal address: Chief Executive
Attn: Kathleen Taylor, Coordinator Water Planning
Department of Natural Resources, Mines and Energy
PO Box 5318
Townsville QLD 4810

Online: Complete a submission through the Get Involved website: www.getinvolved.qld.gov.au

Submissions should identify information that is considered confidential. The department will endeavour to maintain the confidentiality of information that is identified in this way, however submissions are subject to the Right to Information Act 2009 and information may be required to be released upon requests made under this Act. Furthermore, other legal obligations, such as the processes of the courts or natural justice may override confidentiality.

More information

- Call 1800 232 454 (Kathleen Taylor, Coordinator Water Planning)
- Email WPBurdekin@dnrme.qld.gov.au
- Visit www.dnrme.qld.gov.au

Dated this 4 day of June 2019.

Hon. Mark Bailey MP

Minister for Transport and Main Roads