DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT

*Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999*

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actions determined as NOT requiring approval (*EPBC Act* s.75)

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| **Reference** | **Title** | **Date** |
| 2015/7413 | APT O&M Services Pty Ltd/Energy generation and supply (non-renewable)/Pakenham and Koo Wee Rup/VIC/Koo Wee Rup Supply Main and Reticulation Project, Vic | 26/02/2015 |

\* Actions which are not controlled actions provided they are undertaken in a particular manner. Further information on provision and manner specified is available from www.environment.gov.au/epbc/notices

Assessment Approach (*EPBC Act* s.87)

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| **Reference** | **Title** | **Assessment Approach**  | **Date** |
| 2013/6729 | ATEC Rail Group Limited/Transport - land/From Columboola, north to Kowguran/QLD/Construction of the Central Surat Rail Project | Preliminary Documentation | 23/02/2015 |

DECISION ON APPROVAL (*EPBC Act* s.133)

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| **Reference** | **Title** | **Approval Decision** | **Date** |
| 2013/7088 | Norwest Energy NL/Exploration (mineral, oil and gas - non-marine)/Arrowsmith/WA/Undertake seismic survey to assess shale resources | Approved with conditions | 25/02/2015 |

NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF TIME (*EPBC Act* s.130(4))

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| **Reference** | **Title** | **Extended to** | **Date** |
| 2012/6351 | Bushland Grove Pty Ltd /Residential development/Mt Low/QLD/Mt Low Developments Master Planned Community | 30 June 2015 | 25/02/2015 |
| 2012/6643 | Eaton Place Pty Ltd/Tourism and recreation/Hummock Hill Island 30km south east of Gladstone/QLD/Pacificus Tourism Project | 31 August 2015 | 26/02/2015 |
| 2014/7169 | Aquis Resort at The Great Barrier Reef Pty Ltd/Commercial development/Yorkeys Knob Rd, approximately 13kms north of Cairns/QLD/Aquis Resort and Casino at The Great Barrier Reef, Qld | 30 April 2015 | 25/02/2015 |
| 2014/7355 | The Minister for Economic Development Queensland/Transport - water/Abbot Point/QLD/Abbot Point Port and Wetland Enhancement Project, Abbot Point, Qld | 30 April 2015 | 26/02/2015 |
| 2014/7356 | The Minister for Economic Development Queensland/Transport - water/Abbot Point/QLD/Abbot Point Dredging and onshore placement of dredged material, Abbot Point, Qld | 30 April 2015 | 26/02/2015 |

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