

Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Amendment (Outlook Report and Other Measures) Regulation 2013

Select Legislative Instrument No. 264, 2013

I, Quentin Bryce AC CVO, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following regulation under the *Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act* 1975.

Dated 12 December 2013

Quentin Bryce Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

Greg Hunt Minister for the Environment



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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the *Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Amendment* (Outlook Report and Other Measures) Regulation 2013.

2 Commencement

This regulation commences on the day after it is registered.

3 Authority

This regulation is made under the *Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act 1975*.

4 Schedule(s)

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

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Schedule 1—Amendments

Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Regulations 1983

1 Subregulation 3(1)

Insert:

Commonwealth Heritage value has the same meaning as in the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999*.

indigenous heritage value has the same meaning as in the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999*.

National Heritage value has the same meaning as in the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999.*

2 Regulation 73

Before "A person", insert "(1)".

3 At the end of regulation 73

Add:

(2) An offence against this regulation is an offence of strict liability.

4 After Part 4AA

Insert:

Part 4AB—Reporting requirements

116A Great Barrier Reef Outlook Report

- (1) For paragraph 54(3)(i) of the Act, an assessment of the heritage values of the Great Barrier Reef Region is prescribed as a matter that must be contained in the Great Barrier Reef Outlook Report.
- (2) An *assessment of the heritage values*, of the Great Barrier Reef Region, includes the following:
 - (a) an assessment of the current heritage values of the region;

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- (b) an assessment of the risks to the heritage values of the region;
- (c) an assessment of the current resilience of the heritage values of the region;
- (d) an assessment of the existing measures to protect and manage the heritage values of the region;
- (e) an assessment of the factors influencing the current and projected future heritage values of the region;
- (f) an assessment of the long-term outlook for the heritage values of the region.

(3) In this regulation:

heritage values, of the Great Barrier Reef Region, include the following values for the region:

- (a) the Commonwealth Heritage values;
- (b) the heritage values;
- (c) the indigenous heritage values;
- (d) the National Heritage values;
- (e) the world heritage values.

5 Subregulation 166(2)

Omit "144", substitute "143".

6 At the end of regulation 167

Add:

(4) An offence against this regulation is an offence of strict liability.

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