



# **Carbon Credits (Carbon Farming Initiative) Amendment Regulation 2014 (No. 2)**

## **Select Legislative Instrument No. 190, 2014**

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I, General the Honourable Sir Peter Cosgrove AK MC (Ret'd), Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following regulation.

Dated 11 December 2014

Peter Cosgrove  
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command

Greg Hunt  
Minister for the Environment

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## 1 Name

This is the *Carbon Credits (Carbon Farming Initiative) Amendment Regulation 2014 (No. 2)*.

## 2 Commencement

Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

<b>Commencement information</b>	
<b>Column 1</b>	<b>Column 2</b>
<b>Provisions</b>	<b>Commencement</b>
1. Sections 1 to 4 and anything in this instrument not elsewhere covered by this table	The day after this instrument is registered.
2. Schedule 1	At the same time as Schedule 1 to the <i>Carbon Farming Initiative Amendment Act 2014</i> commences.
3. Schedule 2	At the same time as the <i>Carbon Credits (Carbon Farming Initiative) Rule 2015</i> commences.

## 3 Authority

This instrument is made under the *Carbon Credits (Carbon Farming Initiative) Act 2011*.

## 4 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.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

### *Carbon Credits (Carbon Farming Initiative) Regulations 2011*

#### **1 Subregulation 1.3(1) (definition of *prescribed audit report*)**

Repeal the definition.

#### **2 Regulations 1.8, 1.11, 1.12 and 1.13**

Repeal the regulations.

#### **3 Paragraph 3.1(1)(c)**

Before “the project area”, insert “if the project is an area-based offsets project—”.

#### **4 After paragraph 3.1(1)(c)**

Insert:

- (ca) if the project is not an area-based offsets project and the project will be undertaken at one or more physical locations—information identifying each of the locations;
- (cb) if the project is not an area-based offsets project and the boundary of the project cannot be defined by reference to the project’s location—details of how the boundary of the project will be defined and a description of that boundary;

#### **5 Paragraph 3.1(1)(g)**

Before “the name”, insert “if the project is an area-based offsets project—”.

#### **6 Paragraphs 3.1(1)(j), (k), (l) and (n)**

Repeal the paragraphs.

#### **7 Parts 4 and 5**

Repeal the Parts.

#### **8 Regulations 7.1, 7.2, 9.1 and 9.2**

Repeal the regulations.

**9 After paragraph 17.1(2)(a)**

Insert:

- (aa) information that substantiates the application for a section 27 declaration in relation to the project, unless the application was made before the commencement of this paragraph and the project proponent no longer has any such information;

**10 Schedules 1 to 3**

Repeal the Schedules.

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## **Schedule 2—Other amendments**

### ***Carbon Credits (Carbon Farming Initiative) Regulations 2011***

#### **1 Division 2.1**

Repeal the Division.

#### **2 Regulations 3.1 and 3.3**

Repeal the regulations.

#### **3 Paragraph 3.16(2)(b)**

Omit “regulation 3.3”, substitute “legislative rules made for the purposes of paragraph 27(3)(b) of the Act”.

#### **4 Parts 6, 17 and 26**

Repeal the Parts.