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Social Security (AGDRP—Ex-Tropical Cyclone Alfred—Queensland) Determination (No. 3) 2025

I, Jenny McAllister, Minister for Emergency Management, make this determination under subsection 1061L(2) of the *Social Security Act 1991*.

Dated: 14/03/2025 Time: 11:55am

Jenny McAllister
Minister for Emergency Management

1 Name

This instrument is the *Social Security (AGDRP—Ex-Tropical Cyclone Alfred—Queensland) Determination (No. 3) 2025*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences immediately after it is signed.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under subsection 1061L(2) of the *Social Security Act 1991*.

4 Definitions

(1) In this instrument:

Act means the *Social Security Act 1991*.

destroyed means damaged to the extent that:

- (a) for a residence—it must be demolished; or
- (b) for a major asset or assets—it is unusable.

immediate family member, of a person, means:

- (a) the person's partner; or
- (b) the person's natural child, adoptive child or step-child; or
- (c) the person's natural parent, adoptive parent or step-parent; or
- (d) the person's legal guardian; or
- (e) the person's brother, sister, step-brother or step-sister.

Note: This term is used in a different sense to that used in the Act.

major asset means:

- (a) an asset, with a market value of at least \$20 000, located at the person's principal place of residence; or
- (b) assets, with a combined market value of at least \$20 000, located at the person's principal place of residence.

Examples: Building, large fixed structure, motor vehicle, caravan, water tank, large scale machinery, heavy equipment.

major damage means:

- (a) for a residence:
 - (i) damage to the interior of the residence; or
 - (ii) that the residence is structurally unsound; or
 - (iii) damage to the residence that exposes the interior of the residence to the elements; or
 - (iv) sewage contamination of the interior of the residence; or

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- (b) for a major asset or assets other than a water tank—that the asset is damaged by severe weather or flooding to the extent that it needs to be replaced; or
 - (c) for a major asset that is a water tank—damage to the extent that the tank needs to be repaired or cleaned, or the water contained in it needs to be replaced.

seriously injured, for a person, means:

- (a) the person has sustained an injury; and
 - (b) because of the injury:
 - (i) the person was admitted to hospital; or
 - (ii) under normal circumstances, the person would have been admitted to hospital.
- (2) A place of residence is a person’s ***principal place of residence*** if:
- (a) the person regularly lives at the place with a degree of settled purpose; and
 - (b) the person has a lawful right to reside at the place; and
 - (c) the place is not:
 - (i) a prison or a place of detention; or
 - (ii) a secondary residence used for holidays.

Note: It is possible for a person to have more than 1 principal place of residence.

5 Person adversely affected by a major disaster

- (1) This section applies in relation to the major disaster being the severe weather and flooding from Tropical Cyclone Alfred (including as Ex-Tropical Cyclone Alfred) that commenced on 4 March 2025 and which has affected, or is affecting, one or more of the areas listed in Schedule 1.
- (2) For subsection 1061L(2) of the Act, a person is taken to be adversely affected by the major disaster if any of the following circumstances apply:
 - (a) the person is seriously injured as a direct result of the disaster;
 - (b) the person is an immediate family member of an Australian citizen or resident who is missing and presumed killed, or killed, as a direct result of the disaster;
 - (c) the person’s principal place of residence has been destroyed or has major damage as a direct result of the disaster;
 - (d) a major asset of the person has been destroyed or has major damage as a direct result of the disaster;
 - (e) the person is a carer of a child to whom paragraph (a), (b), (c) or (d) applies.

6 Repeals

- (1) Under subsection 1061L(2) of the Act, the *Social Security (AGDRP—Ex-Tropical Cyclone Alfred—Queensland) Determination (No. 2) 2025* is repealed immediately after the commencement of this instrument.

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- (2) This instrument is repealed on the day after the end of the period of two years that begins on the day the instrument commences.

Schedule 1—Affected areas

1 Affected local government areas

A local government area in Queensland mentioned in an item of the following table is an affected area for the purposes of this instrument.

Item	Column 1
1	City of Brisbane
2	City of Gold Coast
3	City of Ipswich
4	City of Logan
5	City of Moreton Bay
6	Redland City
7	Toowoomba Region

2 Affected suburbs and localities

A suburb or locality mentioned in column 2 of the following table, within a local government area in Queensland mentioned in column 1 of the same item, is an affected area for the purposes of this instrument.

Item	Column 1	Column 2
1	Fraser Coast Region	Craignish
2	Fraser Coast Region	Dundowran
3	Fraser Coast Region	Dundowran Beach
4	Fraser Coast Region	Eli Waters
5	Fraser Coast Region	Kawungan
6	Fraser Coast Region	Pialba
7	Fraser Coast Region	Point Vernon
8	Fraser Coast Region	Scarness
9	Fraser Coast Region	Torquay
10	Fraser Coast Region	Urangan
11	Fraser Coast Region	Urraween
12	Fraser Coast Region	Wondunna
13	Lockyer Valley Region	Forest Hill
14	Lockyer Valley Region	Grantham
15	Lockyer Valley Region	Laidley
16	Lockyer Valley Region	Laidley Creek West
17	Lockyer Valley Region	Laidley Heights
18	Lockyer Valley Region	Laidley North
19	Lockyer Valley Region	Laidley South

20	Scenic Rim Region	Allenview
21	Scenic Rim Region	Barney View
22	Scenic Rim Region	Beechmont
23	Scenic Rim Region	Benobble
24	Scenic Rim Region	Binna Burra
25	Scenic Rim Region	Boyland
26	Scenic Rim Region	Bromelton
27	Scenic Rim Region	Canungra
28	Scenic Rim Region	Ferny Glen
29	Scenic Rim Region	Flying Fox
30	Scenic Rim Region	Illinbah
31	Scenic Rim Region	Mount Barney
32	Scenic Rim Region	Mount Lindesay
33	Scenic Rim Region	O'Reilly
34	Scenic Rim Region	Palen Creek
35	Scenic Rim Region	Rathdowney
36	Scenic Rim Region	Running Creek
37	Scenic Rim Region	Sarabah
38	Scenic Rim Region	Tamborine
39	Scenic Rim Region	Tamborine Mountain
40	Scenic Rim Region	Witheren
41	Scenic Rim Region	Wonglepong
42	Scenic Rim Region	Wyralong
43	Somerset Region	Brightview
44	Somerset Region	Dundas
45	Somerset Region	Glamorgan Vale
46	Somerset Region	Royston
47	Sunshine Coast Region	Eudlo
48	Sunshine Coast Region	Nambour
49	Sunshine Coast Region	Palmwoods
