Contact: -

Date: 13th June 2019
Site: Byrne Valley
Client: Heatley Cattle Co.

Byrne Valley HVA - Response to draft preliminary documentation - Public comments

Draft preliminary documentation was submitted for public comment in accordance with the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (EPBC Act).

Pursuant to Section 95A(3) of the EPBC Act, the draft preliminary documentation was made available for public viewing at the following locations, (Refer to Attachment A):

Burdekin Library

108 Graham St

AYR QLD 4807

Heatley Cattle Co

Byrne Valley Station

4048 Kirknie Road

Kirknie QLD 4086

· State Library of Queensland

Cultural Precinct

Stanley Pl

South Brisbane QLD 4101

• Emanate Legal website: www.emanatelegal.com.au/heatleyhva

No public comments were received during the period for public comment (22 May 2019 - 6 June 2019). The relevant information is attached:

- 1. Attachment A Invitation for Public Comment
- 2. Attachment B Referral of proposed action :Clearing of Vegetation for High Value Agriculture, Byrne Valley Station, Kirknie, Queensland
- 3. Attachment C Response to Further Information Request Byrne Valley HVA Project Preliminary Documentation Assessment
- 4. Attachment D Byrne Valley Offset Management Plan: EPBC 2017/8108
- 5. Attachment E Byrne Valley Sustainable High Value Agriculture Project: Response to Additional Information Request from the Department of Environment and Energy (DOTEE) (EPBC 2017/8108)
- 6. Attachment F Habitat Quality Assessment: Heatley Cattle Company



Invitation for Public Comment



INVITATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Clearing of Vegetation for High Value Agriculture, Byrne Valley Station, Kirknie, Queensland

Section 95A of the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

A.M Heatley & J.M Heatley & L.A Heatley & The Trustee For Heatley Family Trust propose to undertake vegetation clearance for cropping, Byrne Valley Station at Kirknie, Queensland.

The Project (EPBC 2017/8108) was deemed a controlled action requiring assessment by preliminary documentation under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act).

The controlling provisions are:

• Sections 18 and 18A: Listed threatened species and communities.

Pursuant to Section 95A(3) of the EPBC Act, the preliminary documentation is available for public viewing at the following locations:

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- Heatley Cattle Co Byrne Valley Station 4048 Kirknie Road Kirknie QLD 4086
- State Library of Queensland Cultural Precinct Stanley Pl South Brisbane QLD 4101
- Emanate Legal website: www.emanatelegal.com.au/heatleyhva

Documents may also be obtained in hardcopy or digital format from the contact listed below.

Interested persons and organisations are invited to submit comments in writing on the published material to:

Christopher Taylor 168 Flinders Street Townsville, QLD 4810

Email: ctaylor@emanatelegal.com.au

Comments are to be received by close of business on Thursday, 6 June 2019.

Persons requiring enhanced accessibility including those for whom English is a second language or those with a vision impairment may contact (07) 4727 0100 for assistance in accessing the documentation.

