



Queensland

Nature Conservation and Other Legislation (COVID-19: Fee Waiver) Amendment Regulation 2020

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made under the

Forestry Act 1959

Nature Conservation Act 1992

Recreation Areas Management Act 2006

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Part 1 Preliminary

1 Short title

This regulation may be cited as the *Nature Conservation and Other Legislation (COVID-19: Fee Waiver) Amendment Regulation 2020*.

Part 2 Amendment of Forestry Regulation 2015

2 Regulation amended

This part amends the *Forestry Regulation 2015*.

3 Insertion of new s 39A

Part 4, division 2—

insert—

39A Commercial activity permit—daily activity fee waived for COVID-19 emergency

- (1) This section applies in relation to a daily activity fee that became, or becomes, payable under the Act—
 - (a) by the holder of a commercial activity permit, other than for filming or photography; and
 - (b) for a day during the period starting on 1 February 2020 and ending on the later of the following days—
 - (i) 31 July 2020;
 - (ii) a day fixed under subsection (4).
- (2) Payment of the fee is waived for the holder.

- (a) by the holder of a commercial activity permit, other than for filming or photography; and
 - (b) for a day during the period starting on 1 February 2020 and ending on the later of the following days—
 - (i) 31 July 2020;
 - (ii) a day fixed under subsection (4).
- (2) Payment of the fee is waived for the holder.
 - (3) If the holder has paid the fee, the chief executive must refund the fee.
 - (4) For subsection (1)(b)(ii), the Minister may, by gazette notice, fix a day after 31 July 2020.
 - (5) In this section—

additional daily fee means the fee mentioned in schedule 3, item 10(e).

168B Expiry of division

This division expires on—

- (a) if a day is fixed under section 168A(4)—the day fixed; or
- (b) otherwise—31 July 2020.

Part 4

Amendment of Recreation Areas Management Regulation 2017

6 Regulation amended

This part amends the *Recreation Areas Management Regulation 2017*.

7 Insertion of new pt 9, div 4A

Part 9—

insert—

Division 4A Waiver of fees for COVID-19 emergency

64A Waived additional daily fee for commercial activity permit

- (1) This section applies in relation to an additional daily fee that became, or becomes, payable under the Act—
 - (a) by the holder of a commercial activity permit, other than for filming or photography; and
 - (b) for a day during the period starting on 1 February 2020 and ending on the later of the following days—
 - (i) 31 July 2020;
 - (ii) a day fixed under subsection (4).
- (2) Payment of the fee is waived for the holder.
- (3) If the holder has paid the fee, the chief executive must refund the fee.
- (4) For subsection (1)(b)(ii), the Minister may, by gazette notice, fix a day after 31 July 2020.
- (5) In this section—

additional daily fee means the fee mentioned in schedule 2, item 13(e).

64B Expiry of division

This division expires on—

- (a) if a day is fixed under section 64A(4)—the day fixed; or
- (b) otherwise—31 July 2020.

ENDNOTES

- 1 Made by the Governor in Council on 14 May 2020.
- 2 Notified on the Queensland legislation website on 15 May 2020.
- 3 The administering agency is the Department of Environment and Science.

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