# North Stradbroke Island Protection and Sustainability and Other Acts Amendment Bill 2015

## **Erratum to Explanatory Notes**

## **Short title**

The short title of the Bill is the North Stradbroke Island Protection and Sustainability and Other Acts Amendment Bill 2015.

## **Reason for Erratum**

The explanatory notes, under the heading 'Policy objectives and the reasons for them' on pages 2 and 3, indicate that the expiration of the leases for Vance Mine (2025) were not amended by the original *North Stradbroke Island Protection and Sustainability Act 2011* (2011 legislation), as the mine had a relatively small footprint.

Vance Mine includes three leases: ML 1108, ML 1124 and ML 7064. While the principle lease ML 1108 was not amended by the 2011 legislation, ML 1124 and ML 7064 were extended by the 2011 legislation to facilitate the 2025 end date for Vance Mine.

The North Stradbroke Island Protection and Sustainability and Other Acts Amendment Bill 2015 does not affect the existing operation of mining leases at Vance Mine which will cease in 2025.

Additionally, a formatting error appears in the explanatory notes with regard to clause numbering. The formatting error occurs on pages 20-21 and 23-29.

# **Explanatory Notes**

## Policy objectives and the reasons for them

On page 2, omit the following words from the third paragraph under the heading 'Policy objectives and the reasons for them':

The expiration of the leases for Vance Mine (2025) were not amended by the legislation as the mine had a relatively small annual footprint. However, the legislation prevented these leases from being renewed to extend mining at Vance Mine past 2025.

Replace these omitted words with:

The 2025 expiration date for the principle lease (ML 1108) for Vance Mine was not amended by the legislation as the mine had a relatively small annual footprint. However, the legislation prevented the Vance Mine mining leases from being renewed to extend mining at Vance Mine past 2025.

On page 3, omit the following words from the second paragraph under the heading 'Policy objectives and the reasons for them':

Neither the original *North Stradbroke Island Protection and Sustainability Act 2011* or the amendments in 2013 made changes to the operation of mining leases at Vance Mine due to its relatively small annual footprint.

Replace these omitted words with:

While the original *North Stradbroke Island Protection and Sustainability Act 2011* renewed the Vance mining leases ML 1124 and ML 7064 to facilitate the 2025 end date for Vance Mine, the amendments in 2013 did not make changes to the operation of mining leases at Vance Mine. Likewise, the Bill does not affect the existing operation of mining leases at Vance which will cease in 2025.

### Clause numbers

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The formatting error occurs on pages 20-21, and 23-29.
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On pages 20-21, omit:

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'Clause 10' and replace with 'Clause 14'
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'Clause 11' and replace with 'Clause 15'

'Clause 12' and replace with 'Clause 16'

On pages 23-27, omit:

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'Clause 13' and replace with 'Clause 22'
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'Clause 14' and replace with 'Clause 23'

'Clause 15' and replace with 'Clause 24'

'Clause 16' and replace with 'Clause 25'

'Clause 17' and replace with 'Clause 26'

'Clause 18' and replace with 'Clause 27'

#### On page 28, omit:

'Clause 19' and replace with 'Clause 28'

'Native Title Act 1994' and replace with Native Title Act 1993'

On page 29, omit:

'Clause 20' and replace with 'Clause 29'

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