



Queensland

Nature Conservation and Other Legislation (COVID-19—Extension of 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—Extension of Fee Waiver) Amendment Regulation 2020*.

2 Commencement

This regulation commences on 1 October 2020.

Part 2 Amendment of Forestry Regulation 2015

3 Regulation amended

This part amends the *Forestry Regulation 2015*.

4 Amendment of s 35 (Fees)

Section 35, ‘The’—
omit, insert—

Subject to division 2, the

5 Insertion of new s 39A

After section 39—
insert—

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

- (1) This section applies in relation to a daily activity fee mentioned in schedule 6, item 4(c) that is payable under the Act—

- (a) by the holder of a commercial activity permit other than for filming or photography; and
 - (b) in relation to an activity for a day in the period starting on 1 October 2020 and ending on 31 March 2021.
- (2) Payment of the fee is waived for the holder.

Part 3 **Amendment of Nature Conservation (Protected Areas Management) Regulation 2017**

6 **Regulation amended**

This part amends the *Nature Conservation (Protected Areas Management) Regulation 2017*.

7 **Amendment of ch 8A, pt 3, hdg (Refund of fees)**

Chapter 8A, part 3, heading, after ‘Refund’—

insert—

and waiver

8 **Insertion of new s 159AZA**

After section 159AZ—

insert—

159AZA Waived additional daily fee for commercial activity permit for COVID-19 emergency

- (1) This section applies in relation to an additional daily fee mentioned in schedule 7A, item 10(e) that is payable under the Act—

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- (a) by the holder of a commercial activity permit other than for filming or photography; and
- (b) in relation to an activity for a day in the period starting on 1 October 2020 and ending on 31 March 2021.
- (2) Payment of the fee is waived for the holder.

Part 4

Amendment of Recreation Areas Management Regulation 2017

9 Regulation amended

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

10 Amendment of s 51 (Fees generally)

Section 51(1), ‘The’ —
omit, insert—

Subject to another provision of this part, the

11 Amendment of pt 9, div 5, hdg (Refund of fees)

Part 9, division 5, heading, after ‘Refund’ —
insert—

and waiver

12 Insertion of new s 65A

After section 65 —
insert—

65A Waived additional daily fee for commercial activity permit for COVID-19 emergency

- (1) This section applies in relation to an additional daily fee mentioned in schedule 2, item 13(e) that is payable under the Act—
 - (a) by the holder of a commercial activity permit other than for filming or photography; and
 - (b) in relation to an activity for a day in the period starting on 1 October 2020 and ending on 31 March 2021.
- (2) Payment of the fee is waived for the holder.

ENDNOTES

- 1 Made by the Governor in Council on 24 September 2020.
- 2 Notified on the Queensland legislation website on 25 September 2020.
- 3 The administering agency is the Department of Environment and Science.

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