



Queensland

Vegetation Management Regulation 2023

Subordinate Legislation 2023 No. 165

made under the

Environmental Offsets Act 2014

Vegetation Management Act 1999

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1 Short title

This regulation may be cited as the *Vegetation Management Regulation 2023*.

2 Commencement

This regulation commences on 22 November 2023.

3 Approval of accepted development vegetation clearing codes—Act, s 19P

The following codes are approved as accepted development vegetation clearing codes—

- (a) the code called ‘Managing a native forest practice’ made by the Minister on 14 July 2014;
- (b) the code called ‘Clearing for an extractive industry’ made by the Minister on 5 September 2023;
- (c) the code called ‘Clearing for infrastructure’ made by the Minister on 5 September 2023;
- (d) the code called ‘Clearing to improve agricultural efficiency’ made by the Minister on 5 September 2023;
- (e) the code called ‘Managing fodder harvesting’ made by the Minister on 5 September 2023;
- (f) the code called ‘Managing regulated regrowth vegetation’ made by the Minister on 5 September 2023;
- (g) the code called ‘Managing weeds’ made by the Minister on 5 September 2023;
- (h) the code called ‘Necessary environmental clearing’ made by the Minister on 5 September 2023;
- (i) the code called ‘Managing encroachment’ made by the Minister on 30 October 2023.

4 Application of development approvals and exemptions for Forestry Act 1959—Act, s 70A

- (1) For section 70A(3) of the Act, each of the following species is prescribed—
 - (a) a species mentioned in schedule 1, part 1;
 - (b) a species mentioned in schedule 1, part 2 with a trunk that has a diameter of more than 29cm at 1.3m above ground level;
 - (c) a species mentioned in schedule 1, part 3 with a trunk that has a diameter of more than 19cm at 1.3m above ground level.
- (2) The scientific names used for the species mentioned in schedule 1 follow the names used in the most recent census of the Queensland flora and fungi—
 - (a) prepared by the Queensland Herbarium; and
 - (b) available on the Queensland Government Open Data Portal.

Editor's note—

The Queensland Government Open Data Portal is at www.data.qld.gov.au.

5 Fees

The fees payable under the Act are stated in schedule 2.

6 Repeal

The Vegetation Management Regulation 2012, SL No. 128 is repealed.

7 Amendment of Environmental Offsets Regulation 2014

- (1) This section amends the *Environmental Offsets Regulation 2014*.
- (2) Schedule 2, section 1, definition *prescribed regional ecosystem*, from 'in the' to 'schedule 5'—

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omit, insert—

in the *Vegetation Management Act 1999*, section
8(b)

Schedule 1 **Species prescribed for section 70A(3) of the Act**

section 4

Part 1 **Species of any trunk diameter**

Scientific name

Santalum lanceolatum

Part 2 **Species with trunk diameter of more than 29cm at 1.3m above ground level**

Scientific name

Angophora costata

Corymbia bloxsomei

Corymbia citriodora subsp. *citriodora*

Corymbia citriodora subsp. *variegata*

Corymbia nesophila

Erythrophleum chlorostachys

Eucalyptus acmenoides

Eucalyptus apothalassica

Eucalyptus caleyi

Eucalyptus camaldulensis

Scientific name

Eucalyptus cloeziana

Eucalyptus crebra

Eucalyptus drepanophylla

Eucalyptus eugenioides

Eucalyptus fibrosa subsp. *fibrosa*

Eucalyptus grandis

Eucalyptus mediocris

Eucalyptus melliodora

Eucalyptus mensalis

Eucalyptus microcorys

Eucalyptus pilularis

Eucalyptus portuensis

Eucalyptus psammitica

Eucalyptus reducta

Eucalyptus saligna

Eucalyptus siderophloia

Eucalyptus tereticornis

Eucalyptus tetradonta

Eucalyptus tindaliae

Part 3

**Species with trunk diameter of
more than 19cm at 1.3m above
ground level**

Scientific name

Callitris glaucophylla

Schedule 2 Fees

section 5

1 Definition for schedule

In this schedule—

field visit means an inspection or assessment of an area by an authorised officer to assist in the development of a restoration plan for the area.

2 Fees

	Fee units
1 Application for making a PMAV (Act, s 20C(2)(c))	475.50
2 Preparing a restoration plan (Act, s 55AB(4))—	
(a) if a field visit is not required	967.00
(b) if a field visit is required	4,153.00

ENDNOTES

- 1 Made by the Governor in Council on 16 November 2023.
- 2 Notified on the Queensland legislation website on 17 November 2023.
- 3 The administering agency is the Department of Resources.

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