

Crocodile Control and Conservation Bill 2024

Statement of Compatibility

Prepared in accordance with Part 3 of the Human Rights Act 2019

In accordance with section 38 of the *Human Rights Act 2019*, I, Shane Knuth, Member for Hill, make this statement of compatibility with respect to the *Crocodile Control and Conservation Bill 2024*.

In my opinion, the *Crocodile Control and Conservation Bill 2024* is compatible with human rights protected by the *Human Rights Act 2019*.

Overview of the Bill

The objectives of the Bill are to place greater value on human life by responsibly reducing the risk of crocodile attacks as much as possible.

The Bill aims to eliminate from populated waterways any crocodiles which pose a threat to human life, while continuing to protect crocodiles from becoming extinct as a species.

Human Rights Issues

In my opinion, this Bill does not contravene any human right listed under Part 2, Division 2 and 3 *Human Rights Act 2019*.

It does not restrict an individual's civil and political rights, such as freedom of movement, freedom of thought, freedom of expression, property rights, privacy and reputation or recognition and equality before the law.

Conclusion

In my opinion, the *Crocodile Control and Conservation Bill 2024* is compatible with human rights under the *Human Rights Act 2019* because it does not limit a human right.

Shane Knuth
Member for Hill