



Queensland

# Environment and Resource Management Legislation Amendment Regulation (No. 2) 2011

## Explanatory Notes for SL 2011 No. 162

made under the

*Land Act 1994*

*Water Act 2000*

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## General outline

### Short title

*Environment and Resource Management Legislation Amendment Regulation (No. 2) 2011.*

### Authorising law

Section 199 of the *Land Title Act 1994*.

Section 1014(2)(a) of the *Water Act 2000*.

### Policy objectives and the reasons for them

The objective of this amendment is to correct two regulatory fees which were approved on 7 July 2011 to ensure accurate application of the consumer price index and to implement consistency with recently amended Acts.

This meets the government's policy objective to keep legislation current and consistent.

### **Achievement of policy objectives**

The minor amendments will achieve the policy objective that subordinate legislation under the Acts administered by the Department of Environment and Resource Management is managed with a high level of accuracy. This ensures integrity in the legislative framework of the Government.

### **Consistency with policy objectives of authorising law**

The amendment regulation is consistent with the objective of the relevant Acts.

### **Inconsistency with policy objectives of other legislation**

The subordinate legislation is not inconsistent with any policy objectives of any legislation.

### **Benefits and costs of implementation**

The benefit in implementation of this amendment is to ensure confidence by the public in the Governments legislative framework.

There are no additional costs associated with implementing the regulation.

### **Consistency with fundamental legislative principles**

The subordinate legislation is consistent with fundamental legislative principles.

### **Consultation**

Consultation has been undertaken with the Queensland Office for Regulatory Efficiency, Queensland Treasury in determining that the amendment was excluded from the requirement to undertake a Regulatory Assessment Statement.

ENDNOTES

- 1 Laid before the Legislative Assembly on . . .
- 2 The administering agency is the Department of Environment and Resource Management.

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