

# Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) (Applications for Water Licences) Amendment Plan 2020

## Human Rights Certificate

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

In accordance with section 41 of the *Human Rights Act 2019*, I, Mark Bailey, Minister for Transport and Main Roads provide this human rights certificate with respect to the Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) (Applications for Water Licences) Amendment Plan 2020 made under the *Water Act 2000*.

In my opinion, the Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) (Applications for Water Licences) Amendment Plan 2020, as tabled in the Legislative Assembly, is compatible with the human rights protected by the *Human Rights Act 2019*. I base my opinion on the reasons outlined in this statement.

## Overview of the Subordinate Legislation

The subordinate legislation proposes to include provisions already taken to be in the Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) 2007, which were not included in the Water Amendment (Burdekin Basin) Plan 2017 approved on 2 February 2017, to be stated in the Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) 2007.

## Human Rights Issues

**Human rights relevant to the subordinate legislation (Part 2, Division 2 and 3 *Human Rights Act 2019*)**

None of the proposed amendments raises any human right issue.

## Conclusion

I consider that the Water Plan (Burdekin Basin) (Applications for Water Licences) Amendment Plan 2020 is compatible with the *Human Rights Act 2019* because it does not raise a human rights issue.

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