



Queensland

Rural and Regional Adjustment (North and Far North Queensland Flood Disaster Recovery Funding) Amendment Regulation 2019

Subordinate Legislation 2019 No. 8

made under the

Rural and Regional Adjustment Act 1994

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1 Short title

This regulation may be cited as the *Rural and Regional Adjustment (North and Far North Queensland Flood Disaster Recovery Funding) Amendment Regulation 2019*.

2 Regulation amended

This regulation amends the *Rural and Regional Adjustment Regulation 2011*.

3 Amendment of sch 23, s 3 (Definitions for sch 23)

Schedule 23, section 3—

insert—

January–February 2019 Queensland flood disaster means the eligible disaster defined by the appropriate Minister on 8 February 2019, for the purpose of activating the disaster recovery funding arrangements, as ‘North and Far North Queensland Monsoon Trough, 25 January - 10 February 2019’ (as amended from time to time).

Note—

See also—

- (a) the summary of the appropriate Minister’s approval activating the disaster recovery funding arrangements for the eligible disaster published on the website of the Queensland Reconstruction Authority; and
- (b) the assistance establishment notice for the eligible disaster published on the authority’s website.

4 Amendment of sch 23, s 7 (Nature of assistance under scheme)

(1) Schedule 23, section 7(2), ‘\$25,000’—

omit, insert—

the amount mentioned in subsection (3)

(2) Schedule 23, section 7—

insert—

- (3) For subsection (2), the maximum amount for an exceptional circumstances grant is—
- (a) if the grant is for an eligible entity that is a primary producer for the January–February 2019 Queensland flood disaster—\$75,000; or
 - (b) otherwise—\$25,000.

5 Amendment of sch 23, s 11 (Eligibility criteria—primary producer)

Schedule 23, section 11—

insert—

- (3) Subsection (1)(d) to (f) does not apply to an applicant if—
- (a) the applicant’s application for assistance is for the January–February 2019 Queensland flood disaster; and
 - (b) an assistance establishment notice for the disaster states that this subsection applies to the applicant.

6 Amendment of sch 23, s 16 (Eligibility for exceptional circumstances grant)

Schedule 23, section 16—

insert—

- (2) Subsection (1)(c) does not apply to an applicant if—
- (a) the applicant’s application for assistance is for the January–February 2019 Queensland flood disaster; and

- (b) an assistance establishment notice for the disaster states that this subsection applies to the applicant.

7 Amendment of sch 23, s 17 (Effect of insurance on eligibility for exceptional circumstances grant)

Schedule 23, section 17—

insert—

- (2A) This section does not apply to an applicant if—
 - (a) the applicant’s application for assistance is for the January–February 2019 Queensland flood disaster; and
 - (b) an assistance establishment notice for the disaster states that this subsection applies to the applicant.

8 Amendment of sch 23, s 19 (Keeping records for audit)

Schedule 23, section 19—

insert—

- (2) This section does not apply to the payment of an exceptional circumstances grant if—
 - (a) the grant is for the January–February 2019 Queensland flood disaster; and
 - (b) an assistance establishment notice for the disaster states that this subsection applies to the applicant for the grant.

ENDNOTES

- 1 Made by the Governor in Council on 14 February 2019.
- 2 Notified on the Queensland legislation website on 14 February 2019.
- 3 The administering agency is the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries.

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