## Public Notice Chief Executive Declaration Prescribed Commercial Activity

Fraser Island Recreation Area COMMENCEMENT DATE 1 AUGUST 2021

Please be advised that the conduct of commercial cultural tour operations (totalling more than 10 days per year) within the Fraser Island Recreation Area is hereby declared a prescribed commercial activity under the *Recreation Areas Management Act 2006* (Act), section 97.

From the commencement date of 1 August 2021, commercial cultural tour operations (totalling more than 10 days per year) may only be conducted within the Fraser Island Recreation Area under a Commercial Activity Agreement, pursuant to section 111(2) of the *Recreation Areas Management Act 2006*.

*Cultural tour* means a guided tour that includes delivery of Butchulla cultural heritage information prepared by the Butchulla Aboriginal Corporation RNTBC 8107, the registered native title body corporate for K'gari (Fraser Island).

The Chief Executive will only enter into new Commercial Activity Agreements using an:

- application process under Division 3 (Part 5) of the Act—where the applicant is the registered native title body corporate for the area, or another entity endorsed by the registered native title body corporate for the area, covered by this declaration; or
- Expression of interest process under Division 2 (Part 5) of the Act.

To obtain further information about entering into a Commercial Activity Agreement please contact the Department of Environment and Science (DES) — Parkaccess@des.qld.gov.au or visit the DES website — www.des.qld.gov.au.



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