


NOTICE OF DECISION

This notice of decision is made under regulation 50 of the Environment Protection Regulations 2020 (EP Regulations)

Name of proposed action	NCIS-5-HMAS Coonawarra Dredging and Dredged Material Management
Proponent	Commonwealth Department of Defence
NT EPA reference	EP2022/012
Description of proposed action	<p>Capital dredging works comprising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• campaign one - up to 101,000 m³ of dredge material• campaign two - up to 116,00 m³ of dredge material, to occur 2 to 3 years after the first campaign• discharge of dredged material at a location near HMAS Coonawarra in Darwin Harbour and at East Arm Wharf. <p>Ongoing maintenance dredging at HMAS Coonawarra in the order of 10,000 to 15,000 m³ every 5 to 7 years and discharge of dredged materials at a location near HMAS Coonawarra in Darwin Harbour.</p>
Nature of the proposed action	Defence, coastal and marine
Person authorised to make decision	Paul Purdon Executive Director Environmental Assessment and Policy Department of Environment, Parks and Water Security Delegate of the NT EPA under section 36 of the <i>Northern Territory Environment Protection Authority Act 2012</i>
Decision	To accept the above named referral of a proposed action for a standard assessment in accordance with regulation 44 of the EP Regulations
Signature	
Date of decision	8 March 2022
