



## Point Ceylon Aquaculture Estate

### Draft Environmental Impact Statement

#### INVITATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Suntay Aquaculture Pty Ltd proposes to develop a land-based aquaculture project to produce marine prawns at a site on Ceylon Point Peninsula near Bynoe Harbour, Northern Territory. The project will eventually cover around 180 hectares, including access roads and infrastructure, and will be designed as a closed operating system with zero to minimal discharges to the environment.

In accordance with the provisions of the Northern Territory *Environmental Assessment Act* a Draft Environmental Impact Statement which describes the project and the potential environmental impacts has been prepared by Suntay Aquaculture Pty Ltd. The proponent has been directed under the Act to advertise the proposal and make available the Draft EIS, for public comment for a period of four weeks, from Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> July to Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August.

The EIS will be available for public review at the following locations during this period:

- Casuarina Public Library, Bradshaw Terrace, Darwin.
- Palmerston Public Library, Civic Plaza, corner University Avenue and Chung Wah Terrace, Palmerston.
- Litchfield Shire Offices, 7 Bees Creek Road, Bees Creek.
- Northern Territory Library, Parliament House, Darwin.
- Northern Territory University Library, NTU Casuarina Campus.
- Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Environment, Ground Floor, 38 Cavenagh St Darwin (Corner of Cavenagh Street and Knuckey Street).

The Draft EIS will also be available for viewing on the internet at the Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Environment site: <http://www.lpe.nt.gov.au/enviro/eiareg/eiareg.htm>. The Draft EIS can be purchased as CD-ROM copies, at a cost of \$25.00 each, or in hard bound copy (Vol 1 only) for \$100.00. Copies of the EIS may be purchased from:

EcOz Environmental Services  
GPO Box 381  
Darwin NT 0801  
Phone 08 89811100

Email: [eco@eco.com.au](mailto:eco@eco.com.au)

People and organisations who are interested in making comments on the Draft Environment Impact Statement are invited to make written submissions by close of business Monday 25<sup>th</sup> August to:

Office of Environment & Heritage  
Attention: Lisa Bradley  
PO Box 1680  
Darwin NT 0801

Fax 08 8924 4053

Submissions will be treated as public documents, unless confidentiality is requested. Copies of all submissions will be sent to Suntay Aquaculture Pty Ltd and addressed when preparing the final EIS.