

Invitation for public comment on referrals –

- ? Construction of a [Liquefied natural Gas Plant and Pipeline](#), Fisherman's Landing, Gladstone. Refer previous application 2008/3954 – comments by Friday 15th February 2008.*
- ? Proposed [gas pipeline](#) to the Dalby Bio-refinery, Dalby – comments by 21st February 2008.
- ? Extension to the Gold Coast [International Marine Precinct](#), Coomera – comments by 22nd February 2008.
- ? [Haggerstone Island Resort Extension](#), Haggerstone Island 200km SW of Thursday Island – comments by Wednesday 27th February 2008.

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Please send your comments on whether the proposed actions should be controlled actions under the EPBC Act quoting the Reference number and title of the referral to:

Email: epbc.referrals@environment.gov.au
Fax: 02 6274 1789
 Or post to:
Referrals Section (EPBC Act)
 Approvals and Wildlife Division
 Department of the Environment and Water Resources
 GPO Box 787
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2008/3994	Sunshine Gas Limited/Energy generation and supply (non-renewable)/Fisherman's Landing Wharf, Landing Rd, Gladstone/QLD/Project Sun Liquefied Natural Gas Plant and Pipeline	Posted: 01 Feb 2008	Deadline: 15 Feb 2008
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Construction and operation of a natural gas liquefaction plant located at Fisherman's Landing Wharf (FLW), Gladstone, Queensland. The project includes a 5km underground gas pipeline from the Gladstone City Gas Gate to the Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) plant site and a LNG carrier loading facility at existing berth 5 of the FLW.

Proposed action was considered against the likely impact on the Great Barrier Reef World Heritage property, threatened species and migratory species. It was concluded in the referral document there would be no impact.

2008/4001	Gas Pipelines Victoria Pty Ltd/Energy generation and supply (non-renewable)/Dalby/QLD/Proposed gas pipeline to the Dalby Bio-refinery	Posted: 07 Feb 2008	Deadline: 21 Feb 2008
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Gas pipeline to supply gas from the Roma-Brisbane Pipeline to the Dalby Bio-refinery located north of Dalby, Queensland.

The proposed alignment is within the catchment of the Narran Lake Nature Reserve, which is located approximately 480km SW of the proposed alignment in NW New South Wales. The proposed alignment will not transect this Reserve or any major waterways, and therefore is unlikely to impact on the reserve or have any downstream consequences. In the broader area endangered species Bluegrass and White Box – Yellow Box – Blakelys Red Gum, Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grasslands occur with none recorded during the field assessment in the proposed alignment. It was concluded that there was no likelihood of significant impacts.

2008/4002	Property Solutions Group (Australia) Pty Ltd/Commercial development/Shipper Dr, Coomera River, Coomera, Gold Coast/QLD/Gold Coast International Marine Precinct	Posted: 08 Feb 2008	Deadline: 22 Feb 2008
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The Gold Coast International Marine Precinct seeks to extend the existing Gold Coast Marine Precinct with a purpose built marine industry complex of international standard. The Gold Coast International Marine Precinct is a 64 hectare site located on the Gold Coast within the Gold Coast Council Marine Precinct. The site is identified on the relevant Gold Coast City Council Planning Scheme Map principally for Waterfront Industry.

2008/4006	Haggerstone Island Holdings Pty Ltd/Tourism and recreation/Haggerstone Island approx. 200km SW of Thursday Island/QLD/Haggerstone Island Resort Extension	Posted: 11 Feb 2008	Deadline: 25 Feb 2008
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Haggerstone Island, within the Great Barrier Reef Heritage Area, has been operating as a boutique family resort since 1994. An application was submitted in 2004 to the Department of Natural Resources and Water to amend the lease conditions to enable a maximum occupancy of twelve (12) guests instead of six (6) guests as limited by the lease. A Material Change of Use application was lodged with Cook Shire Council to enable a Manager's Residence, staff accommodation and an additional bungalow to be constructed. Council approved the application with conditions. One such condition was that the applicant refers the application to the Commonwealth Department of Environment. It was concluded that there was no likelihood of significant impacts.

Regards,

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*Apologies for the late notice, as the administrator was on leave so review of the EPBC Act referrals was delayed.

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