

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
Question Without Notice

Tuesday, 20 August 2019

C879. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Lands

I refer to the 221 hectare area of land, known as 'Site L', ceded to the Murujuga Aboriginal Corporation (MAC) on Thursday 25th July 2019 and the statement "The recent transfer of additional land in freehold tenure to the Murujuga Aboriginal Corporation (MAC) is the result of a separate commitment by the Premier to MAC dated February 2019" and I ask:

1. Will the freehold tenure of the land have the same status as freehold title to the Burrup Non-Industrial Land in accordance with the relevant clauses contained within the Burrup and Maitland Industrial Estates Agreement?
2. If no why not?
3. If yes how?

Answer

1. Yes
2. Not applicable
3. Consistent with the existing Murujuga National Park, as per the BMIEA, Site L is:
 - a. Freehold title to the exclusive benefit of MAC; and
 - b. The subject of a Restrictive Covenant in Gross, which precludes any industrial activity or uses on the land.


MINISTER FOR LANDS