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Introduction

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5 Preferred option for decision by the EPA

Assess - Public environmental review

6 What are the reasons for your preferred option for decision of the EPA?

Reasons:

- 1. The high level of public interest.
- 2. The increased human impact on the Ningaloo Marine Park
- 3. The incompleteness of environmental baseline in the area.
- 4. The sensitivity of the Cape Range environment to disturbance.
- 5. The presence of Priority Flora in the development envelope and a 5 km buffer around the development buffer.
- 6. The cumulative impact of development on the local and regional environment.
- 7. The need for greater management resources as a consequence of the expansion of the tourism industry in the Exmouth region.
- 8. The development corridor that will result through access to the area provided by a new road.

By checking this box you are consenting to your comments being used to inform the EPA's decision on whether to assess this proposal and, if so, the level of assessment, and understand that your comments and / or any part of your submission may be made public. If you wish your comments and / or any part of your submission (i.e. name and contact details) to be treated as confidential, please make a specific request in your submission. It is important to note that a request for confidentiality does not make your submission automatically exempt from disclosure. While the department will use its best endeavours to comply with your request, your submission (or part thereof) may still be disclosed if required under the Freedom of Information Act 1992, for procedural fairness purposes or under any other applicable law.:

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