

S38 Referrals, S16 and/or S46 Advice

Torosa Subsea Development Proposal

Location: 425 km North of Broome

Ref ID: CMS14397 Date Received: 02-12-2014

Date More 12-01-2015

Information Received:

Referror:

Proponent: **Woodside Energy**

Contact:

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Preliminary

Marine Fauna, Marine Environmental Quality, Benthic Communities and Habitat

Environmental

Factors:

Potential Potential impacts on marine water quality and Scott Reef from large scale loss of

Significant

Effects:

Public

Assess - API A: 0

Comments on

Assess - API B:

Referral

Assess - PER: 0

Information:

Do Not Assess: 0

TOTAL COMMENTS: 0

hydrocarbons.

Explanation of

Decision:

The Torosa Subsea Development is the component of the Browse Floating LNG Development that is within State waters. The EPA considers that the likely environmental effects of the proposal are not so significant as to warrant formal assessment. The EPA also notes that the potential impacts can be mitigated, managed and regulated through other statutory processes. The Browse Floating LNG Development in Commonwealth waters is being formally assessed by the Commonwealth Department of the Environment, which also includes

assessment of the environment of State waters impacted by the proposal.

Officer:

Chris Stanley

Appeals close:

3 March 2015

Determination:

Not Assessed: Public

Advice Given

Procedure:

Chairman's Initial9

Date Signed:

11-2-15