

Ref: 2008/4057

Mr Bradley Cartwright Senior Environmental Advisor Downstream Operations GLNG Operations Pty Ltd Level 1, 93 Goondoon Street, GLADSTONE QLD 4680

Dear Mr Cartwright

SANTOS GLNG LNG FACILITY (EPBC 2008/4057) Approval of Operations Environmental Management Plan

Thank you for submitting the Santos GLNG Operational Environmental Management Plan to Address Matters of National Environmental Significance for the LNG Facility and Marine Facilities – 3310-GLNG-5-1.3-0002 to this department for approval on 19 August 2015.

The above plan has been reviewed by officers of the department and has been found to meet the requirements of conditions 24 (i), 26 and 27 of EPBC Approval 2008/4057.

Condition 24 (i) of EPBC Approval 2008/4057 requires Santos GLNG to submit a rehabilitation plan for land disturbed during construction of all infrastructure (including associated accommodation and recreation activities) on Curtis Island. I note that Santos GLNG has submitted further detail on its rehabilitation program as a component of the Operational Environmental Management Plan which is required under conditions 26 - 28 of EPBC Approval 2008/4057.

On this basis and as delegate of the Minister for the Environment I have decided to approve the above plan for the operational phase of the LNG Facility and Marine Facilities projects. In accordance with EPBC Approval 2008/4057 condition 70, the plan must be published on your website within 30 business days of approval.

In accordance with EPBC Approval 2008/4057 condition 28, the approved plan must be implemented. Under EPBC Approval 2008/4057 conditions 45 to 48, if Santos GLNG wants to act other than in accordance with the approved plan, Santos GLNG must submit a revised plan for approval. Until the Minister (or his delegate) has approved a revised plan, Santos GLNG must continue to implement the original plan.

Should you require any further information please contact Mr Peter Blackwell, Assistant Director, Post Approvals Section, on 02 6274 1470 or by email: peter.blackwell@environment.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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