



## Notification of variation of proposal to take an action

### Cape Flattery Silica Sands Project, Queensland (EPBC 2022/09376)

This decision to accept a variation to the proposal to take an action is made under section 156B of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act).

### Variation to proposal to take an action

<b>Person proposing to take the action</b>	Cape Flattery Silica Pty Ltd ABN: 52 138 608 894
<b>Original proposed action</b>	The proposed action is to construct and operate the Cape Flattery Silica Sands Project (CFSSP) in Cape Flattery, Far North Queensland, involving mining and processing of silica sand on a greenfield site, construction and operation of a jetty and machine offloading facility and transfer of the product via the jetty and swing basin to bulk carriers for export overseas (see EPBC Act referral 2022/09376).
<b>Varied proposed action</b>	The proposed action is to construct and operate the Cape Flattery Silica Sands Project (CFSSP) in Cape Flattery, Far North Queensland, involving mining (up to 4 million tonnes per annum) and processing of silica sand on a greenfield site, construction and operation of a jetty and machine offloading facility and transfer of the product via the jetty and swing basin to bulk carriers for export overseas (see EPBC Act referral 2022/09376 and the variation request dated 24 November 2023).
<b>Person authorised to make this decision</b>	
<b>Name and position</b>	Helen Reid Director Environment Assessments Queensland Branch
<b>Signature</b>	
<b>Date of decision</b>	18 December 2023