

# Western Australia

## PROJECT AGREEMENT FOR SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY REFORM

### PART 1 – PRELIMINARIES

1. This Schedule has been developed in accordance with clause 10 of the Agreement.
2. This Schedule will commence as soon as it is agreed between the Commonwealth and Western Australia and expire on 30 June 2021 or on completion of agreed projects, including final performance reporting and processing of final payments against milestones.

### PART 2 – FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

3. The Commonwealth will provide an estimated financial contribution to Western Australia of up to \$20.5 million in respect of this Schedule. All payments are exclusive of GST.

**Table 1: Estimated financial contributions**

(\$ million)	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Total
<b>Estimated total budget</b>	10.7	9.8	0.0	20.5
Less estimated National Partnership payment	10.7	9.8	0.0	20.5
Balance of non-Commonwealth contributions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

### PART 3 – PROJECT MILESTONES, REPORTING AND PAYMENTS

4. Western Australia will deliver the following projects.
  - (a) *Project 1 – Reducing compliance burden for plumbers.* Enable plumbers to submit Notice of Intention and Certificates of Compliance forms for major plumbing works online and remove requirements for plumbers to submit compliance notifications for minor plumbing work. Estimated financial contributions to Project 4 are as follows:

(\$ million)	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Total
<b>Estimated total budget</b>	10.7	0.0	0.0	10.7
Less estimated National Partnership payment	10.7	0.0	0.0	10.7
Balance of non-Commonwealth contributions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

- (b) *Project 2 – Making it easier for businesses to apply for a liquor licence.* Enable liquor licences applications to be processed online. Estimated financial contributions to Project 5 are as follows:

(\$ million)	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Total
<b>Estimated total budget</b>	0.0	9.3	0.0	9.3
Less estimated National Partnership payment	0.0	9.3	0.0	9.3
Balance of non-Commonwealth contributions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

- (c) Project 3 – *Reducing compliance burden for eco and nature-based tourism businesses.*  
Establish electronic methods for payment of national park visitor fees as alternatives to the current paper-based system. Estimated financial contributions to Project 6 are as follows:

(\$ million)	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Total
<b>Estimated total budget</b>	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.5
Less estimated National Partnership payment	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.5
Balance of non-Commonwealth contributions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

5. Table 2 summarises the milestones for the projects, their relationship to the outputs, expected completion dates, relevant reporting dates and expected payments to be made.

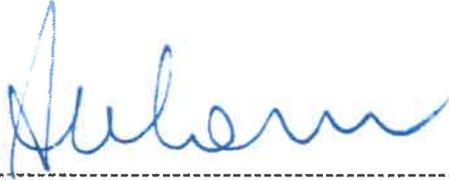
**Table 2: Milestones, reporting and payment summary**

2018-19			
Output	Milestones	Report due	Payment
Project 1 – <i>Reducing compliance burden for plumbers</i>	Completion of project in accordance with the project proposal, including: removal of the requirement to lodge compliance certificates for minor plumbing work, and launch of online platform for electronic submission of Certificates of Compliance and Notices of Intention for major plumbing works.	April 2019	\$10.7 million
2019-20			
Output	Milestones	Report due	Payment
Project 2 – <i>Making it easier for businesses to apply for a liquor licence</i>	Completion of project in accordance with the project proposal, including: launch of an online platform for liquor licence applications, and the update of relevant Information Bulletins & Lodgement Guides.	July 2019	\$9.3 million
Project 3 – <i>Reducing compliance burden for eco and nature-based tourism businesses</i>	Completion of project in accordance with the project proposal, including: demonstration that an electronic system for payment of visitor entry fees to national parks is available	August 2019	\$0.5 million

## PART 4: SIGN OFF

6. The Parties have confirmed their commitment to this agreement as follows:

**Signed for and on behalf of the Commonwealth of Australia by**

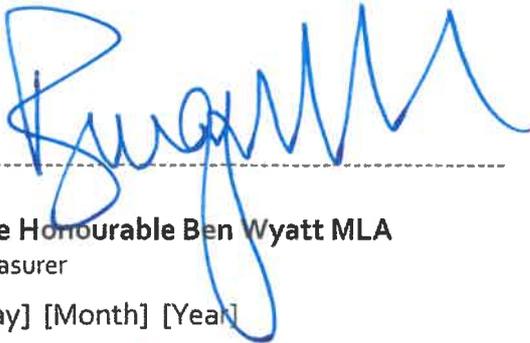


**The Honourable Scott Morrison MP**  
Treasurer

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**Signed for and on behalf of Western Australia by**



**The Honourable Ben Wyatt MLA**  
Treasurer

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