Schedule Environment

DIGITAL ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM

National Partnership for streamlined agreements

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| **Table 1: Formalities and operation of schedule** |
| Parties | CommonwealthNew South Wales  |
| Duration | This Schedule is expected to expire on 30 June 2022. |
| Purpose | This Schedule will support activities to establish biodiversity data repository systems, interoperability and/or exchange between the Commonwealth and New South Wales.A key focus will be the implementation of a proof of concept that demonstrates the seamless flow of assessment data from the field capture device through the NSW node of the Biodiversity Data Repository and BioNet, to the National Biodiversity Data Repository (BDR).The proof of concept will include:* Use of an industry developed field survey app that has been designed to capture raw ecological survey data using the Biodiversity Assessment Method (BAM)
* Design and installation of NSW Biodiversity Data Repository and associated data transfer processes
* Ultimately the delivery of raw ecological data to the National BDR via BioNet Web Services.
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| Estimated financial contributions | The Commonwealth will provide an estimated total financial contribution to the State of $300,000 in respect of this Schedule.

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| **Table 1****($ ,000)** | **2020-21** | **2021-22** | **Total** |
| **Estimated total budget** | **30** | **270** | **300** |
| Less estimated National Partnership Payments  | 30 | 270 | 300 |
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| Additional terms  | Nil |

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| **Table 2: Performance requirements, reporting and payment summary** |
| **Output** | **Performance milestones** | **Report due** | **Payment** |
| Proof of Concept: NSW Biodiversity data repository and seamless data supply to National Biodiversity Data Repository (BDR) | Completed project plan endorsed by the Digital Environmental Assessments Program Board  | 30/04/2021 | $30,000 |
| High level Design of NSW Biodiversity Data Repository | 15/08/2021 | $200,000 |
| Demonstrated delivery of ecological data to National BDR via the agreed data supply pipeline (including NSW BDR), to agreed standards | 30/04/2022 | $70,000 |

The Parties have confirmed their commitment to this schedule as follows:

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| Signed for and on behalf of the Commonwealth of Australia by The Honourable Sussan Ley MPMinister for the Environment[Day] [Month] [Year] |  | Signed for and on behalf of the State of New South Wales by The Honourable Matthew Kean MPMinister for Energy and Environment[Day] [Month] [Year] |