## DIGITAL ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM

## NATIONAL PARTNERSHIP FOR STREAMLINED AGREEMENTS

Parties	Commonwealth New 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:			
	<ul> <li>Use of an industry developed field survey app that has been designed to capture raw ecological survey data using the Biodiversity Assessment Method (BAM)</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>Design and installation of NSW Biodiversity Data Repository and associated data transfer processes</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>Ultimately the delivery of raw ecological data to the National BDR via BioNet Web Services.</li> </ul>			

Estimated financial contributions	The Commonwealth will provide an estimated total financial contribution to the State of \$300,000 in respect of this Schedule.				
	Table 1 (\$ ,000)	2020-21	2021-22	Total	
	Estimated total budget	30	270	300	
	Less estimated National Partnership Payments	30	270	300	
Additional terms	Nil				

Output	Performance milestones	Report due	Payment
Proof of Concept: NSW Biodiversity data repository and seamless data supply to National Biodiversity Data	Completed project plan endorsed by the Digital Environmental Assessments Program Board	30/04/2021	\$30,000
Repository (BDR)	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	30/06/2022	70,000

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

Signed for and on behalf of the Commonwealth of Austral<u>i</u>a by

The Honourable Sussan Ley MP

Minister for the Environment

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13 / 5 / 2021

**Signed** for and on behalf of the State of New South Wales by

The Honourable Matt Kean MP Minister for Energy and Environment

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