

# Notice of an application for determination of native title in the State of New South Wales



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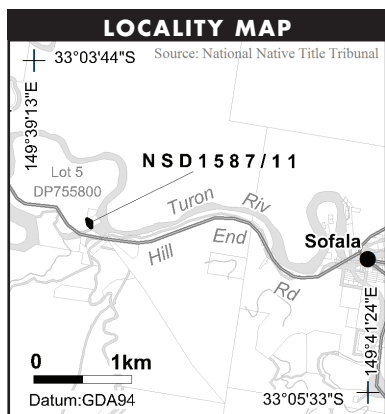
Notification day: 16 November 2011

This application is a 'non-claimant application', an application made by persons who are not claiming native title themselves but, rather, they are seeking a determination that native title does not exist in relation to the area. The applicant has a non-native title interest in the area, set out in their application as described in the notice below.

Under the *Native Title Act 1993* (Cwlth) (the Act) there can be only one determination of native title for a particular area.

**PLEASE NOTE: A person who claims to hold native title rights and interests in the area may wish to file a native title claimant application prior to 15 February 2012.** Unless there is a relevant native title claim (as defined in section 24FE of the Act) over the area on or before **15 February 2012**, the area may be subject to protection under section 24FA and **acts may be done which extinguish or otherwise affect native title.** The Tribunal may be able to assist people wishing to make a relevant native title claim.

A person who claims native title rights and interests may also seek to become a party to the non-claimant application in order for those rights and interests to be taken into account in the Federal Court's determination. Other than filing a native title claim in response to this non-claimant application, this may represent the only opportunity to have those rights and interests in relation to the area considered. Any person who wants to become a party to this non-claimant application must write to the **Registrar of the Federal Court, Level 17, Law Courts Building, Queens Square, Sydney NSW 2000**, on or before **15 February 2012**. After **15 February 2012**, the Federal Court's permission to become a party is required.



**Applicant's name:** Warren William Hill

**Federal Court File No:** NSD1587/11

**Non-native title interest\*:** Licence 484186 for the occupation of the land in relation to a pipeline, a tank for access and in relation to encroachments located on the land.

**Order sought by Applicant:** The applicant seeks a determination of no native title.

**Description:** The area subject to this application covers about 1260 square metres over part of Lot 5 DP755800 and is located approximately 2.7 kilometres west of Sofala as shown on the locality diagram.

The application falls within the Local Government Authority of Bathurst Regional Council.

[\*The applicant has indicated that if the non-claimant application is unopposed by a native title claimant application they intend to seek the protection of section 24FA of the Act to validly undertake the proposed act and then withdraw the non-claimant application.]

Data statement: Non-claimant application boundary compiled by NNTT.

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