



# Extract from Schedule of Native Title Applications

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**Application Reference:** Federal Court number: QUD157/2011  
NNTT number: QC2011/002

**Application Name:** Larry Woosup & Ors on behalf of the Northern Cape York Group #1 v State of Queensland & Ors (Northern Cape York Group #1)

**Application Type:** Claimant

**Application filed with:** Federal Court of Australia

**Date application filed:** 30/06/2011

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**Current status:** Full Approved Determination - 02/04/2015

**Registration information:** Please refer to the Register of Native Title Claims/National Native Title Register (as appropriate) for registered details of this application.

**Date claim entered on Register of Native Title Claims:** 01/03/2012

**Registration decision status:** Accepted for registration

**Registration history:** Registered from 1/03/2012 to 2/04/2015,

**Date claim / part of claim determined:** 02/04/2015

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## Additional Information

On 30 October 2014 a determination of native title was made by the Federal Court: Woosup on behalf of the Northern Cape York Group #1 v State of Queensland [2014] FCA 1148. The determination is conditional on the registration of three agreements on the Register of Indigenous Land Use Agreements and will only come into effect when all the agreements are registered. The determination will then be entered on the National Native Title Register and this application will be removed from the Register of Native Title Claims.

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## Persons claiming to hold native title:

The native title group is made up of all persons descended by birth or adoption from the following apical ancestors:

Peter (Pahding) Pablo;

Wymarra (Wymarra Outaiakindi);

Mathew (Charlie) Gelapa;

Annie Blanco;

Ela / Illa (father of Tommy Dodd, Polly Polly, and Tommy Somerset);

Woonduinagrun and Tariba (parents of Tom Redhead);

Charlotte Ware;

Queen Baki and Chief Tchiako/ Tchiaku/ Chiaku;

Jipsit and Dolly;

Mary McDonnell and Jake Snake;

Ourinda and Emara McDonnell Charcoal (grandparents of Willy and Louisa Charcoal);

Ralph Coconut;

Charlie Nataki;

William McDonnell;

Charlie Otomo McDonnell and his wife, Agemo (parents of Charlie Woolhead (Pascoe));

Wondorognu Alligator McDonnell and Mary Brown;

Wargo (father of Kitty McDonnell, Jacko and Frank Doyle);

Clara and Jimmy McDonnell;

Epidin and Eteman (parents of Doris Harry);

Kaio'

Sambo Wooleye (father of Simon and Sarah Peter);

Woobumu and Inmare;

Bullock (father of Mamoose Pitt, husband of Rosie/Lena Braidley);

Charley Mamoose (father of Silas, Larry, Johnny and Harry Mamoose);

Charly Seven River;

Toby Seven River (father of Jack Toby);

Asai Charlie;

Sam and Nellie (parents of George Stephen);

Mammus/Mamoos/Mark/Mamoose plus his siblings Peter and Elizabeth;

Charlie Maganu (husband of Sarah McDonnell);

Polly (wife of Wautaba Charlie Ropeyarn)

## Native title rights and interests claimed:

A description of the native title rights and interests in relation to the balance of the Claim Area are as follows:

1. In relation to the exclusive areas, the native title rights and interests that are possessed under their traditional laws and customs are, subject to the traditional laws and customs that govern the exercise of the native title rights and interests by the native title holders, possession, occupation, use and enjoyment to the exclusion of all others.

2. In relation to the non-exclusive areas, the native title rights and interests of the native title holders that are possessed under their traditional laws and customs are, subject to the traditional laws and customs that govern the exercise of the native title rights and interests by the native title holders, non-exclusive rights to use and enjoy those areas being:

- a) the right to travel over, to move about, and to have access to those areas;
- b) the right to hunt and to fish on the land and waters of those areas;
- c) the right to gather and to use the natural resources of those areas such as food, medicinal plants, timber, stone and resin;
- d) the right to take and to use the natural water on those areas;
- e) the right to live, to camp and for that purpose to erect shelters and other structures on those areas;
- f) the right to light fires on those areas for domestic purposes, but not for the clearance of vegetation;
- g) the right to conduct and to participate in the following activities on those areas:
  - i. cultural activities;
  - ii. cultural practices relating to birth and death, including burial rites;
  - iii. ceremonies;
  - iv. meetings, and
  - v. teaching the physical and spiritual attributes of sites and places on those areas that are of significance under their traditional laws and customs.
- h) the right to maintain and to protect sites and places on those areas that are of significance under their traditional

laws and customs;

i) the right to share or exchange subsistence and other traditional resources obtained on or from those areas;

j) the right to be accompanied on to those areas by persons who, though not native title holders, are:

i. people required by traditional law and custom for the performance of ceremonies or cultural activities on the areas;

ii. people who have rights in relation to the areas according to the traditional laws and customs acknowledged by the native title claim group members; and

iii. people required by the native title holders to assist in, observe, or record traditional activities on the areas;

k) the right to conduct activities necessary to give effect to the rights referred to in (a) to (k) hereof.

These native title rights and interests do not confer on the native title holder's possession, occupation, use and enjoyment of the non-exclusive areas, to the exclusion of all others.

The native title rights and interests are subject to and exercisable in accordance with the valid laws of Queensland and the Commonwealth of Australia.

**Application Area:**

**State/Territory:** Queensland

**Brief Location:** North West Cape York

**Primary RATSIB Area:** Cape York Region

**Approximate size:** 6919.6660 sq km

(Note: There may be areas within the external boundary of the application that are not claimed.)

**Does Area Include Sea:** No

**Area covered by the claim (as detailed in the application):**

See Attachments B and B1

- Attachments:**
1. Description of External Boundary Attachment B1 of the Application, 2 pages - A4, 29/07/2014
  2. Identification of Boundaries Attachment B of the Application, 1 page - A4, 29/07/2014
  3. Map of the Claim Area Attachment C of the Application, 1 page - A4, 29/07/2014

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