

Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995 No 101

Notice of Final Determination and Amendment of Schedules 1 and 2 to Act

The Scientific Committee established under the *Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995* has, in pursuance of Division 3 of Part 2 of that Act, made a final determination:

- (a) to insert the following species of animal in Part 1 (Endangered species) of Schedule 1 to that Act, and
- (b) as a consequence, to omit reference to that species of animal from Schedule 2 (Vulnerable species) to that Act,

and, accordingly, those Schedules are amended as set out in Annexure "A" to this Notice:

Animals

Vertebrates

Reptiles

Cheloniidae

*Caretta caretta (Linnaeus, 1758) Loggerhead Turtle

The final determination to insert this species in Part 1 of Schedule 1 has been made because the Scientific Committee is of the opinion that the species is likely to become extinct in nature in New South Wales unless the circumstances and factors threatening its survival or evolutionary development cease to operate.

Copies of the final determination may be inspected at:

The National Parks Centre

102 George St

The Rocks

Sydney

and at all Area Offices and Visitor Centres of the National Parks and Wildlife Service during business hours.

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Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995 No 101—Final Determination

Signed at Sydney, this 25th day of September 2001.

Dr Chris Dickman

Chairperson Scientific Committee

Annexure "A"

Schedule 1 to the *Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995* is amended by inserting in Part 1 in alphabetical order under the heading "Animals" and the subheadings "Vertebrates" and "Reptiles", the matter:

Cheloniidae

*Caretta caretta (Linnaeus, 1758) Loggerhead Turtle

Schedule 2 to the *Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995* is amended by omitting the following matter from under the heading "Animals" and the subheadings "Vertebrates", "Reptiles" and "Cheloniidae":

Caretta caretta (Linnaeus, 1758) Loggerhead Turtle