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Legislation Scrutiny Committee Territory Coordinator Bill 2025

Via: LA.Committees@nt.gov.au.

Dear Committee,

I welcome your invitation to provide a submission to the Legislation Scrutiny Committee in relation to the Territory Coordinator Bill 2025.

The Pastoral Land Board (the Board) provided comment on the Draft Bill during the consultation process, identifying further restriction imposed on the powers of the Territory Coordinator than the Board itself, specifically drawing attention to clause 14 of the Draft Bill. The Board recommended the removal or amendment of this clause to enable the Coordinator to effectively exercise the powers, which has subsequently occurred.

The Board met with the Coordinator to discuss the submission, reiterating the Board's intention to work in conjunction with the Coordinator should the need arise.

The Board provides in principle support for the Assembly to pass the Territory Coordinator Bill 2025.

Yours sincerely,

Paul Burke Chairperson