

TO:

Meaghan Scanlon
Minister of Environment

Stirling Hinchliffe
Minister for Tourism

Anna Palaszczuk
Premier of Qld.

Dear Ministers

I deplore your Government's plans to allow private leases and development of commercial accommodation in Cooloola National Park.

The sites proposed for development demonstrate disregard for Cooloola's ecological and aesthetic values, and a disregard for the public interest generally.

The wild areas within our National Parks are highly valued by Queenslanders.
They belong to all of us.
These unique and irreplaceable eco-systems must be securely protected.

I strongly request that you:

- *Stop the program of private and commercial development inside National Parks.*
- *Reinstate the Nature Conservation Act to its form prior to amendments by the Newman Government that enable commercial leasing and development in our National Parks of the type proposed for Cooloola.*

This action was promised by the ALP ahead of being elected in 2015.
This promise should be upheld.

HANDS OFF COOLOOLA!
Protect Our Parks & keep Cooloola cool