

# Landholder Notification Form

## Land Management (Native Vegetation) Code 2018



### Part 5 Equity, Division 1 Removing native vegetation from paddock tree areas

#### Event Number:

Use this form to notify Local Land Services (LLS) that you intend to clear vegetation under the Land Management (Native Vegetation) Code 2018. This notification form must be fully completed to be valid. Contact LLS if you would like assistance to complete this form. There are some words or terms highlighted in bold that are explained on the LLS website, and you can seek further assistance from LLS staff. The completed form must be submitted by email to [lm.notifications@lls.nsw.gov.au](mailto:lm.notifications@lls.nsw.gov.au) or your Local Land Services – Land Management Officer

DETAILS OF PERSON/S NOTIFYING							
Name							
Mailing Address							
Best Phone Contact No				Email			
Your Role (please tick)	Landholder	<input type="checkbox"/>	Manager	<input type="checkbox"/>	Consultant	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (specify)
Who will undertake the clearing? (Name of person/s)							

DETAILS OF LANDHOLDING (where intended clearing will occur)						
Landholding Name						
Total area of landholding (in hectares)	hectares					
Landholding Address						
	Suburb		State		Postcode	
Local Government Area						
LLS Region						
Land owner(s) as listed on title						
Other land owner/s (i.e., the Crown if Crown Land or Western Lands Lease)						
Are all parcels worked as a single property?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/> (please discuss with your local LLS officer prior to submission)				
Are all parcels <b>contiguous</b> ?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/> (please discuss with your local LLS officer prior to submission)				

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Are you in the <b>coastal zone</b> ?	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> (please discuss with your local LLS officer as they must be satisfied that the primary use of the land is for agricultural activities – you must attach evidence or obtain a voluntary code compliant certificate.
Please list the percentage of the total area of the landholding to which Part 5A of the <i>Local Land Services Act 2013</i> applies that is “ <b>Category 2 – regulated land</b> ” (This must be obtained from Local Land Services)		
Please list the maximum number of <b>paddock tree areas</b> that may be cleared within 12 months of the date of notification – the number cannot exceed 1 per 50ha of landholding (figure to be obtained from Local Land Services)		
How many paddock tree areas do you intend to clear under this notification?		
What is the size of the intended area of clearing? (in hectares)		
Date/s of intended clearing (the first date of intended clearing must be at least 2 weeks from the date of notification)		/ / / /
Have you attached a map? (you will need your local LLS officer to supply you with this information)		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Please list all Lots/DP's of the landholding and indicate which lots the intended clearing will be on (attach an additional sheet to this form if required)		Intended clearing:

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All statements must be true and initialled as correct for the Notification to be valid

CONDITIONS THAT MUST BE MET UNDER THE CODE	Initial if the statement is correct
My Landholding is not a <b>small holding</b> (as defined by the <i>Local Land Services Act 2013</i> ).	
The land I am intending to clear is not <b>Category 2 – sensitive regulated land</b> .	
The land I am intending to clear is not entirely or partly on <b>Category 2 – vulnerable regulated land</b> or within the <b>buffer distance</b> from a <b>water body</b> .	
All areas to be cleared meet the definition of <b>paddock tree areas</b> . (see definitions)	
The land I am intending to clear does not contain native vegetation that was grown or <b>preserved</b> with public funds (other than funds for forestry purposes) where the obligations attached to the receipt of that funding are ongoing.	
The land I am intending to clear is not subject to a private native forestry plan.	
The land I am intending to clear does not contain Crown land within the meaning of the <i>Crown Lands Act 1989</i> and is reserved or dedicated for the purposes of a travelling stock reserve within the meaning of the <i>Local Land Services Act 2013</i> if located in the <b>Coastal</b> or <b>Central Zone</b> .	
The land I am intending to clear is not already a <b>treatment area</b> under any other Division of the Land Management (Native Vegetation) Code 2018 (that is, there is not already a notification or certificate in place over the land).	
The land I am intending to clear is not for forestry operations within the meaning of Section 3 of the <i>Forestry Act 2012</i> . (This does not prevent the sale of timber from native vegetation <b>lawfully cleared</b> in accordance with the Code).	
The landholding this notification relates to has more than 10% <b>Category 2 – regulated land</b> on it, and the clearing I am intending to undertake will not reduce it to below 10%.	
The land I am intending to clear does not contain native vegetation that forms part of a critically endangered ecological community.	
I understand that I (or my <b>agent</b> ) can't clear if a critically endangered species (plant or animal) is present.	
I understand that I (or my <b>agent</b> ) can't clear vegetation if it is likely to harm an animal that is a <b>threatened species</b> , and I (or my <b>agent</b> ) knew that the clearing was likely to harm the animal.	
I have obtained <b>written consent</b> from all the owners of the landholding on which I am intending to clear.	
To the best of my knowledge, there are no <b>remediation orders</b> or current <b>compliance investigations</b> on this landholding.	
The intended clearing will be carried out in accordance with the <i>Local Land Services Act 2013</i> , the <i>Local Land Services Regulation 2014</i> and the Land Management (Native Vegetation) Code 2018.	

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### Declaration and Signature

*I declare the information provided in this notification is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if the information is not correct or complete it is not a valid notification and clearing cannot be carried out.*

Signature:

Date:

Print Name:

### Privacy Information

The personal information you provide on this form is subject to the *Privacy & Personal Information Protection Act 1998*.

It is being collected by NSW Local Land Services and will be used for purposes related to processing your notification to manage native vegetation in accordance with the Land Management (Native Vegetation) Code 2018.

Local Land Services will not disclose your personal information to anybody else unless authorised by law.

The provision of this information is necessary to process a valid notification under the Land Management (Native Vegetation) Code 2018.

If you choose not to provide the requested information we may not be able to process your notification as it will be deemed invalid.

You have the right to request access to, and correct details of, your personal information held by the department. Further information regarding privacy can be obtained from the Local Land Services website at: [www.lls.nsw.gov.au/privacy-statement](http://www.lls.nsw.gov.au/privacy-statement)

### Definitions

Note: See the Land Management (Native Vegetation) Code 2018 for more definitions.

**Landholding** – includes several parcels of land (whether held under the same title, different titles or different kinds of titles) that constitute or are worked as a single property and that: (a) are contiguous with one another or are separated only by a road, river, creek or other watercourse, or (b) are certified in writing by Local Land Services to be in the same sub bioregion and within sufficient proximity to one another so as to constitute a single landholding.

**Landholder** – means a person who is the owner of the land or who, whether by reason of ownership or otherwise, is in lawful occupation or possession, or has lawful management or control of the land.

**Paddock tree area** – means an area of Category 2 – regulated land that is less than 500 square metres and is completely surrounded by Category 1 – exempt land.