Explanatory note

This explanatory note relates to this Bill as introduced into Parliament.

Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to revoke the reservation of certain land at Broken Head, which is currently reserved as part of Broken Head Nature Reserve. The revocation relates to 981 square metres of land and is required to enable implementation of an indigenous land use agreement with the Bundjalung People of Byron Bay.

Outline of provisions

Clause 1 sets out the name (also called the short title) of the proposed Act.

Clause 2 provides for the commencement of the proposed Act on the date of assent to the proposed Act.

Clause 3 revokes the reservation of part of Broken Head Nature Reserve under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974.

Clause 4 provides for the land to vest in the Minister administering Part 11 of the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974.

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Clause 5 ensures that the proposed Act does not operate to extinguish native title rights and interests existing in relation to the land immediately before its vesting under the proposed Act.