

FINANCIAL YEAR

2024/2025



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Dear Attorney,

Re: Land Tribunal Annual Report 2024-2025

As required by s 245(1) of the Aboriginal Land Act 1991, I present my report on the operations of the Land Tribunal.

Yours sincerely,

Peta Stilgoe OAM Chairperson

a year's overview

CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

My appointment as Chairperson of the Land Tribunal on a part-time basis was approved by the Governor on 25 July 2024 for a period of 12 months. This report covers the period 1 July 2024 to 30 June 2025.

The tribunal received one request for copies of transcripts and documents. Copies were provided to the requestor, excluding any that were restricted.

No claims have been referred to the Tribunal and no action has been taken to resolve its future.

The Land Tribunal's costs for this financial year were \$0.00.

As with previous annual reports, some claims lodged with the Department of Resources have not been referred to the Tribunal.

The Tribunal's files are a valuable record of First Nations Peoples history and culture as well as colonial and post-colonial land use.

I also wish to acknowledge the continued assistance of the Principal Registrar and staff of the Land Court.

Peta Stilgoe OAM

Chairperson

Cover Image: Sweetwater Lake at Rinyirri (Lakefield) National Park Queensland