

Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage

Aboriginal Affairs Planning Authority Act 1972

Fact sheet 5: Aboriginal Lands Trust Divestment Steps



Aboriginal Affairs Planning Authority Act 1972

Aboriginal Lands Trust Divestment guide

DECISION MAKING

Any divestment has to balance the interests of traditional owners. Aboriginal communities, Aboriginal leaseholders and other interest holders



WHAT IS DIVESTMENT

Returning land owned or managed by the Aboriginal Lands Trust to the direct control of Aboriginal people



WHAT YOU NEED TO DO

Tell the State vour ideas for using the land

NATIVE TITLE

If the land has a native title

claim or determination. the

claimants or holders is required

consent of the native title

through an indigenous land

use agreement (ILUA)

APPROVALS

Show the State you have strong governance, money and are ready to own and manage the land



GOVERNMENT APPROVALS

- Aboriginal Lands Trust
- Minister for Aboriginal Affairs
- Minister for Lands
- Minister for Mines and Petroleum
- ✓ Local government



OPTIONS FOR DIVESTMENT



what traditional owners. Aboriginal communities and Aboriginal leaseholders think about divestment

before it happens

WHO DOES THE ALT

NEED TO TALK TO?

The ALT needs to know

LAND MUST BE IN A **GOOD CONDITION**

Before divestment, the State inspects the land and cleans it up if the land has rubbish, risks or contamination

WHAT TO **THINK ABOUT BEFORE** DIVESTMENT





What you

can do on

the land

Attracting

funding *Ì*

investment

Costs of

owning land

Your

ideas

for owning

and

managing

the land

Owning

land for

how long?

opportunities