

PRIME MINISTER

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I have today received the final report produced by the Resource Assessment Commission on the Kakadu Conservation Zone.

The Government will now study the report closely, with a view to making a decision on this issue by early June.

The report will be tabled and publicly released as soon as multiple copies are available. This is likely to be early next week.

The Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Mr Tickner, has received an Aboriginal Heritage report on the Kakadu Conservation Zone by Mr Justice Stewart, and the two reports will be considered in tandem by the Government.

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