

practices. Coastal management districts are also referenced under the Sustainable Planning Regulation 2009 to trigger assessable development and the referral of certain development applications to the Department of Environment and Resource Management.

The coastal management districts under the Coastal Act are proposed to be changed by abolishing existing coastal management districts and declaring new coastal management districts under section 54 (proposal).

Before the Minister for Environment declares the new coastal management districts, submissions on the proposal are invited. **The closing date for written submissions is 5pm on Friday 23 December 2011.**

Further information is available here: [http://www.derm.qld.gov.au/environmental\\_management/coast\\_and\\_oceans/coastal\\_management/district-maps.php](http://www.derm.qld.gov.au/environmental_management/coast_and_oceans/coastal_management/district-maps.php)

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## Native Title in the News

### National

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#### Land rights news

Australia's longest running Indigenous newspaper is undergoing a major overhaul with the Northern Land Council (NLC) set to publish its first *Land*