

# The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2019 (Amendment No 32)

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The following local environmental plan is made by the local plan-making authority under the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*.

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#### 1 Name of plan

This plan is The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2019 (Amendment No 32).

#### 2 Commencement

This plan commences on the day on which it is published on the NSW legislation website.

#### 3 Land to which plan applies

This plan applies to land to which The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2019 applies.

### Schedule 1 Amendment of The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2019

#### [1] Land Use Table

Omit "Cellar door premises;" from Zone RU6, item 3.

Insert "Farm gate premises;" in appropriate order.

#### [2] Clause 5.24

Omit the clause. Insert instead-

#### 5.24 Farm stay accommodation

- (1) The objectives of this clause are as follows—
  - (a) to diversify the uses of agricultural land without adversely impacting the principal use of the land for primary production,
  - (b) to balance the impact of tourism and related commercial uses with the use of land for primary production, the environment, scenic values, infrastructure and adjoining land uses,
  - (c) to ensure that development does not have an adverse impact on the rural character of the locality.
- (2) Development consent must not be granted to development for the purposes of farm stay accommodation on a landholding unless the consent authority is satisfied all buildings or manufactured homes used to accommodate guests on the landholding will be—
  - (a) on the same lot as an existing lawful dwelling house, or
  - (b) on a lot of a size not less than the minimum lot size for a dwelling house to be permitted on the lot under an environmental planning instrument applying to the land.
- (3) Subclause (2) does not apply if the development is a change of use of an existing dwelling to farm stay accommodation.
- (4) Development consent must not be granted to development for the purposes of farm stay accommodation on land unless the consent authority has considered—
  - (a) whether the development will result in noise or pollution that will have a significant adverse impact on the following on or near the land—
    - (i) residential accommodation,
    - (ii) primary production operations,
    - (iii) other land uses, and
  - (b) whether the development will have a significant adverse impact on the following on or near the land—
    - (i) the visual amenity or heritage or scenic values,
    - (ii) native or significant flora or fauna,
    - (iii) water quality,
    - (iv) traffic,
    - (v) the safety of persons, and
  - (c) whether the development is on bush fire prone land or flood prone land, and
  - (d) the suitability of the land for the development, and

(e) the compatibility of the development with nearby land uses.

#### [3] Clause 5.25

Omit the clause. Insert instead-

#### 5.25 Farm gate premises

- (1) The objectives of this clause are as follows—
  - (a) to allow for tourism and related commercial uses on land used principally for primary production at a scale that does not adversely affect the principal use of the land for primary production,
  - (b) to balance the impact of tourism and related commercial uses with the use of land for primary production, the environment, scenic values, infrastructure and adjoining land uses.
- (2) Development consent must not be granted to development for the purposes of farm gate premises on land unless the consent authority has considered—
  - (a) whether the development will result in noise or pollution that will have a significant adverse impact on the following on or near the land—
    - (i) residential accommodation,
    - (ii) primary production operations,
    - (iii) other land uses, and
  - (b) whether the development will have a significant adverse impact on the following on or near the land—
    - (i) the visual amenity or heritage or scenic values,
    - (ii) native or significant flora or fauna,
    - (iii) water quality,
    - (iv) traffic,
    - (v) the safety of persons, and
  - (c) whether the development is on bush fire prone land or flood prone land, and
  - (d) the suitability of the land for the proposed development, and
  - (e) the compatibility of the development with nearby land uses.