

Final Determination

under the

Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016

The Scientific Committee established under the *Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016* has made a final determination under the Act, Part 4, Division 3 to list a species as an endangered species and, as a consequence, omit a reference to the species as a vulnerable species.

Accordingly, the Act, Schedule 1 is amended as follows—

(a) Part 2, Division 1 is amended by inserting in appropriate order under the heading **Mammals**—

Vespertilionidae

* Chalinolobus dwyeri Ryan, 1966

- Large-eared Pied Bat
- (b) Part 3, Division 1 is amended by omitting from the matter relating to Vespertilionidae—
- * Chalinolobus dwyeri Ryan, 1966

Large-eared Pied Bat

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

Dated 26 July 2024.

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Chairperson of the Scientific Committee

Copies of final determination and reasons

Copies of the final determination and the reasons for it are available to members of the public, free of charge, as follows—

- (a) on the internet at www.environment.nsw.gov.au,
- (b) by contacting the NSW Threatened Species Scientific Committee—
 - (i) by post to Locked Bag 5022, Parramatta NSW 2124, or
 - (ii) by telephone on (02) 9585 6940, or
 - (iii) by email to scientific.committee@environment.nsw.gov.au.