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## DECISION NOTIFICATION

Clearance Application – 2020/2027/822

Dear David

I refer to your application to the Native Vegetation Council for the clearance of 216 scattered trees for the purpose of establishing a centre pivot irrigator, located at Lake Hawdon Road, Bray (H440200 S56 CT5570/283, H440200 S59 CT5570/283, H440200 S78 CT5570/283, H440200 S136 CT5930/440, H440200 S137 CT5930/440, H440200 S163 CT5570/283 and D118627 A10 CT6208/875) in the Hundred of Bray. The Native Vegetation Council (NVC) would like to thank you for attending their meeting (via a virtual platform) held on 2 September 2020.

At the meeting NVC considered your application in conjunction with reports from Peter Tucker of Mister Tucker's Business, the Native Vegetation Branch and comments from the Limestone Coast Landscape Board. The NVC appreciated the supporting information presented at the meeting.

The Council gave extensive consideration to your proposal with the intent to help facilitate your desired outcome, however the clearance was considered seriously at variance with the principles of clearance, specifically principle 1(b) (*wildlife habitat*) and the NVC weren't satisfied that the requirements of Section 29(4) of the Native Vegetation Act had been met. Therefore the NVC have refused consent to your application.

If you have any questions regarding your application please do not hesitate to contact Peter Farmer on the above number.

Yours sincerely,

Adam Schutz  
**Delegate**  
**Native Vegetation Council**

