

Independent Northern Territory Acting Treaty Commissioner

Expression of Interest

Nominations close on Friday 5 November 2021

*Applications are open to people 18 years of age and over

Name of person nominating: _____

Title & Organisation: _____

Community: _____ Date: _____

Language/Clan group: _____

Contact Information

Landline: _____ Mobile: _____ Email: _____

Postal address/CMB: _____

The Acting Treaty Commissioner must be an Aboriginal person with strong connections to the Northern Territory. Please explain how you meet this criteria:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please list **two individuals or organisations** that support your nomination. Your referees need to be a person or organisation with significant experience in Aboriginal Affairs.

1. Name: _____

Title & Organisation: _____

Landline: _____ Mobile: _____ Email: _____

2. Name: _____

Title & Organisation: _____

Landline: _____ Mobile: _____ Email: _____

** The successful applicant will require a police check.*

The role and responsibilities of the Acting Treaty Commissioner are listed below.

Terms of Reference can be found on the Northern Territory Treaty Commission website: **treatynt.com.au**

The Acting Treaty Commissioner will provide advice on:

- a) Interest in a Treaty in the Northern Territory
- b) What a Northern Territory Treaty will seek to achieve
- c) Whether there should be one or multiple treaties
- d) The best model for a Treaty in the Northern Territory
- e) What outcomes are possible under a Treaty for Aboriginal people
- f) What the best process is for negotiating a Treaty
- g) The potential contents of any Treaty in the Northern Territory.

Responsibilities

The Acting Treaty Commissioner is responsible for:

- a) Developing a suitable framework to further Treaty negotiations with the Northern Territory Government
- b) Recommending the best form of Aboriginal representation in any future Treaty negotiations
- c) Ensuring that non-Aboriginal Territorians are informed of the process.
- d) Delivering the final report to the Minister.

Please provide your completed nomination form with a cover letter outlining your ability and relevant experience, no more than 2 pages and a current curriculum vitae.

Submission of nomination form

Completed nomination form can be emailed to:

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