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## **Cape York Region Package progress seals road between Yarraden and Three Sisters**

- The sealing of the road from Yarraden to Three Sisters is complete, as part of the Cape York Region Package Stage 2 works.
- The project upgraded a critical section of the Peninsula Developmental Road (PDR) sealing another 2.6 kilometres of the road.
- Cape York Region Package Stage 2 is delivering significant social, economic and environmental benefits to the communities of Cape York.

The sealing of a critical section of the Peninsula Developmental Road from Yarraden to Three Sisters (Part A, portion 1) has been completed.

This upgrade is a part of the Cape York Region Package (CYRP) Stage 2, which is a \$323.13 million program of works to upgrade critical infrastructure on Cape York Peninsula, including sealing priority sections of the Peninsula Developmental Road and priority community access roads.

The project resulted in the sealing of a further 2.6 kilometres of the Peninsula Developmental Road, bringing the total length of seal on the road to 336 kilometres.

In addition, CYRP Stage 1 and Stage 2 have delivered significant social, economic and environmental benefits to the communities of Cape York.

Key outcomes of Stage 1 and 2 include:

- 257,916 hours of Indigenous and non-Indigenous training and upskilling
- \$90.8 million expended with Indigenous businesses
- \$164.5 million expended with local Cape York industry participation

The project is jointly funded by the Australian and Queensland governments on an 80:20 basis. To date, CYRP Stage 1 and Stage 2 have delivered 80 pave and seal projects and two bridges on Cape York Peninsula valued at \$599.13 million.

The Yarraden to Three Sisters (Part A, portion 1) works were undertaken by HEH Civil Pty Ltd.

The Department of Transport and Main Roads would like to thank the local community for their patience, while these upgrades were underway.

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