
**For further
information**





Contacts

Enquiries on declared weeds should first be referred to your relevant local government or shire council. Obtain weed information sheets from state and territory government agencies and from their web sites.

Table 3: State, territory and general contacts

Organisation/department	Contact details
Queensland	
Department of Natural Resources, Mines and Energy	Tel: 1800 803 788 Web site: www.nrme.qld.gov.au
Northern Territory	
Department of Business, Industry and Resources Development	Web site: www.dbird.nt.gov.au
Western Australia	
Department of Agriculture	Email: enquiries@agric.wa.gov.au Web site: www.agric.wa.gov.au
New South Wales	
Department of Agriculture Web site	www.agric.nsw.gov.au
Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Natural Resources	Web site: www.dipnr.nsw.gov.au
General	
CSIRO	Tel: 1300 363 400
Weeds Australia	Web site: www.weeds.org.au
Weeds CRC	Tel: 08 8303 6590 Email: crcweeds@adelaide.edu.au Web site: www.weeds.crc.org.au





Further Information

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Declaration details in Australia

The following information on the declaration details of *Cryptostegia* spp. in Australian states and territories has been extracted from the respective state government web sites. For further information, please refer to the relevant web site. See p. 70.

ACT

Not declared.

New South Wales

Not declared.

Northern Territory

Cryptostegia grandiflora declared Class C:
Not to be introduced to the Territory.

Queensland

C. grandiflora declared Class 2:
Ban on sale, introduction and use;
control is required.

C. madagascariensis declared Class 3:
Ban on sale and introduction.

South Australia

C. grandiflora proclaimed as Class 11 Weed of National Significance:

Sale is prohibited; control not required.

Tasmania

Not declared.

Victoria

Not declared.

Western Australia

C. grandiflora and *C. madagascariensis* declared P1 for whole of the state:

Prohibits trade, sale or movement.

and declared P2 for whole of the state:

Eradication of existing and new infestations.

