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**Senator Urquhart asked:**

Regarding AQUIS Great Barrier Reef Resort, can the Department list the number and type of permits the proponents have applied for?

a. Can the Department confirm which of these permits would be assessed and potentially approved by the Queensland Environment Department under the Commonwealth Government's proposed bilateral agreements with the Queensland Government?

**Answer:**

Information relating to permits is outlined in chapter 5 of the draft Environmental Impact Statement (<http://www.dsdip.qld.gov.au/assessments-and-approvals/projects-environmental-impact-statement.html>).

The assessment bilateral and proposed approval bilateral agreements with the Queensland Government relate to regulatory approvals of environmental impact assessment processes under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999*.