

# Northern Territory Airports

NAIF Loan: Up to \$150m. Investment Decision: January 2019.



## About the Project

NAIF is funding a range of infrastructure at Darwin, Alice Springs and Tennant Creek airports including:

- A freight, cold storage and an export/ import hub at Darwin International Airport.
- Solar arrays at Darwin, Alice Springs and Tennant Creek airports servicing local communities and the airports.
- The resurfacing of Alice Springs airport runway, taxiways and apron and installation of new runway lighting.

## Economic Impact

Independent analysis forecasts that the infrastructure funded by NAIF will support up to 980 jobs in the construction phase, 500 indirect jobs through the supply chain and over 142 new ongoing operational positions.

## Indigenous Engagement

- Indigenous employment target of 10%.
- Development of a Procurement Plan with a focus on Indigenous employment and training opportunities. For each capital project a Project Management Team will oversee procurement activities, workforce commitments and broader partnerships with specialist Indigenous engagement experts and employment service providers.
- Key Indigenous stakeholders have been identified for ongoing engagement, including the proponent looking to partner with the Larrakia Development Corporation for the delivery of cultural awareness training and the exploration of other opportunities.

### Project:

Upgrades of airport infrastructure

### Location:

Darwin, Alice Springs and Tennant Creek, Northern Territory

### Sector:

Transport

### Total Project Value:

\$300m

### Economic Impact:

Up to \$127m over 20 years

### Jobs:

980 construction jobs, 142 operational jobs, 500 indirect/supply chain jobs

“This investment will grow our capacity to attract bigger planes to carry more tourists and more of our region’s iconic products such as mud crabs, barramundi, mangoes and melons to the world”

Ian Kew, Northern Territory Airports CEO

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