

Contract extensions

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Hi all

As you know, we're currently working on a budget bid seeking longer-term funding (at least 5 year) for all work relating to fixing the BOS, where the work is facing a 30 June 2025 funding cliff. This includes everything being undertaken by our branch. We've been asked to progress our budget bid by the MO and it's consistent with election commitments and commitments made in the NSW Plan for Nature.

In the meantime, while we continue to prepare our budget bid for consideration by government, we're extending staff whose roles are covered by the bid and whose contracts currently end on 30 June 2025 for another 3 months – to **30 September 2025**. This is in recognition of the essential work being undertaken across our branch (and elsewhere on the BOS) that is critical to delivering on the government's commitments, and the need for us to retain the expertise we have collectively built while we seek the longer term funding.

Other staff across BCS facing similar funding cliffs whose roles are the subject of funding bids this budget are similarly being extended for 3 months. We will provide regular updates on the status of the budget bids so that you are well informed of progress over the coming months.

Our extensions will be coordinated at the divisional level but with some assistance from branches as required. For anyone seconded from another area of government, we'll seek approval at ED level for your continued extension.

If you have any questions about this, about your specific circumstances, or would just like to talk it over with someone, please feel free to reach out directly to me, or you can discuss with your manager.

Thanks

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I acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land and pay respects to Elders past and present. I also acknowledge all the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander staff working with NSW Government at this time.

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