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Toon Buffet Environment Trust

The Minister for the Environment, the Hon Stephanie Jack MLA, said today that applications have closed for the first grants to be issued to the Norfolk Island community by the Trust established to honour the memory of the late Ivens (Toon) Buffett.

“I have been advised that six applications have been received”, Mrs Jack said. “These will be collated and presented to the advisory panel for assessment. The panel includes representatives of the community and the Commonwealth, and will meet to consider the applications before the end of March, following which it will recommend to the Board of the Trust which applications should be funded”.

Mrs Jack said that she expected that successful applicants would be notified some time in April. She again thanked the Commonwealth for its cooperation in establishing the Ivens F (Toon) Buffett Environmental Trust with funding made available from the proceeds of the transfer or conversion of Commonwealth crown leasehold land to freehold.

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Minister for the Environment

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