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Permits for the Canning Stock Route (CSR) cancelled immediately

- The WA Government has declared a State of Emergency and a public health emergency as a result of the spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19).
- The WA Government has issued Enforceable Directions to restrict access in and out of remote Aboriginal communities.
- Native Title Holders are exercising their rights in restricting access to Native Title Lands.

Kuju Wangka has disabled the Canning Stock Route permit system for an indefinite period. This will be reviewed on a month by month basis in consultation with stakeholders and Government advice.

Any existing permits are hereby revoked. Permit fees will be refunded for people who have an existing permit and they will receive an email to that effect by 31 March 2020.

We would like to thank everybody for their understanding and for respecting these requests at this difficult time.

Please direct any further queries to <u>enquiries@canningstockroute.net.au</u> .

- https://www.wa.gov.au/government/publications/remote-aboriginalcommunities-directions
- https://twitter.com/KenWyattMP/status/1240884307666685953