FACTORS INFLUENCING THE REEF'S VALUES

CHAPTER FIVE

"With more intensive use of the coastal watershed and growing awareness of the cumulative impact on the reef of land-based activities, pressure to manage the region as an integrated ecosystem has already begun to grow. It will continue. Indeed, it does not require great insight to see that land use and water quality will become the central issues in the management of the Great Barrier Reef in the years ahead."

Gary L. Sturgess, 1999
The Great Barrier Reef partnership: a report into the review of the relationships of the Commonwealth and Queensland Governments in respect of the Great Barrier Reef

'an assessment of the factors influencing the current and projected future environmental, economic and social values…' of the Great Barrier Reef Region, Section 54(3)(g) of the *Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act 1975*.