

Tamarindus indica — Tamarind

Scientific Name:

Tamarindus indica

Common Name:

Tamarind

Register Number:

87

Location of Tree:

Corner of Lindsay Street and Cavenagh Street, Darwin NT

GPS:

-12.45916, 130.84019

Categories of Significance:

Aesthetic

Historical

Unique Location

Year Listed:

1988



The Tamarind is a naturalised species, probably introduced to the NT by Macassan traders during the 17th to the 18th Century, now established along the northern coastline. Also found in the Daly River area. Young leaves, flowers and immature pods are edible. The timber is valued for fuel and furniture.



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