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The Cheque’s in the Mail for Tiger Brennan

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Labor is promising to fund the Tiger Brennan Drive $103 million upgrade by paying for it with a “$70 million Julia Gillard cheque-in-the-mail”, Country Liberals Leader Terry Mills said today.

“This deceitful and desperate Labor government is promising that Prime Minister Julia Gillard will give Territorians $70 million towards finishing off this road project,” Mr Mills said.

“It is the ultimate insult to ask Territorians to believe this spin just three weeks out from an election.

“The NT Labor Party is so ashamed of its brand name that it is refusing to use it in advertising material. And yet the Chief Minister would have us believe that the Gillard/Greens Federal Government will provide that money!”

Mr Mills said Territorians could not possibly believe the Prime Minister would honour this promise.

“This is the same Prime Minister who promised there would be no carbon tax,” he said.
“Like NT Labor, all she is concerned about is political survival. Gillard has no plan; no ethics; and no future.”

Mr Mills said Tiger Brennan would be upgraded by a Country Liberals government.

“It will be properly and honestly costed.

“This is the sort of political spin you get when you have minority governments. Can you imagine the result of imposing another four years of a hung parliament onto the Territory?”

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