



GOVERNMENT OF  
WESTERN AUSTRALIA

## CLEARING PERMIT

*Granted under section 51E of the Environmental Protection Act 1986*

### PERMIT DETAILS

Area Permit Number: 1292 / 2

File Number: A1138/200601

Duration of Permit: From 16 December 2006 to 16 December 2010

### PERMIT HOLDER

Hamersley Iron Pty Ltd

### LAND ON WHICH CLEARING IS TO BE DONE

Mineral Lease 4SA (AML 70/4)

*Iron Ore (Hamersley Range) Agreement Act 1963,*

### AUTHORISED ACTIVITY

1. Clearing of up to 7.6 hectares of native vegetation within the area cross-hatched yellow on attached Plan 1292/2.

### CONDITIONS

#### Guiding Principles

1. In determining the amount of vegetation to be cleared pursuant to this Permit, the Permit Holder must have regard to the following principles, set out in order of preference:
  - (i) avoid the clearing of native vegetation;
  - (ii) minimise the amount of vegetation to be cleared; and
  - (iii) reduce the impact of clearing on any environmental value.

#### Record Keeping

2. The Permit Holder shall record the following for each instance of clearing:
  - (i) the location of where the clearing occurred, expressed as grid coordinates using the Geocentric Datum of Australia 1994 coordinate system;
  - (ii) the size of the area cleared in hectares; the dates on which the area was cleared;
  - (iii) the purpose of clearing; and
  - (iv) the method of clearing.

#### Reporting

3. The Permit Holder shall provide a report to the Director, Environment Division, Department of Industry and Resources by 31 July each year for the life of this permit, demonstrating adherence to all conditions of this permit, and setting out the records required under condition 3 of this permit in relation to clearing carried out between 1 July and 30 June of the previous financial year.

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