



CLEARING PERMIT

Granted under section 51E of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

PERMIT DETAILS

Area Permit Number: 1302 / 1

File Number: 846/06

Duration of Permit: From 2 September 2007 to 2 September 2012

PERMIT HOLDER

Jaerich Pty Ltd trading as International Exporters

LAND ON WHICH CLEARING IS TO BE DONE

LOT 71 ON PLAN 26866

AUTHORISED ACTIVITY

1. Clearing authorised of 36 hectares of native vegetation cross-hatched yellow on attached Plan 1302/1a.

CONDITIONS

1. Fencing

- (a) Prior to commencing clearing, the Permit Holder shall construct a fence enclosing the area outlined in red on attached Plan 1302/1a. The fence shall be constructed and maintained so as to contain stock within the area.
- (b) Prior to commencing clearing, the Permit holder shall construct a fence enclosing the area outlined in red on attached Plan 1302/1b. The fence shall be constructed and maintained so as to be adequate to exclude stock access.
- (c) The Permit Holder shall give the Chief Executive Officer written notice that fencing in accordance with condition 1(a) and condition 1(b) has been completed.

2. Revegetation

- (a) Within 6 months of commencing clearing as authorised under this permit, the Permit Holder must *revegetate* the area cross-hatched green on attached Plan 1302/1b by:
 - (i) Deliberately planting and/or seeding native vegetation that will result in a similar species composition, structure and density of native vegetation to pre-clearing vegetation types in that area; and
 - (ii) Ensuring only local provenance seeds and propagating material from within 10km of the area cleared are used to *revegetate* the area;
- (b) Within one year of undertaking *revegetation* in accordance with condition 2(a), the Permit Holder must:
 - (i) Determine the species composition, structure and density of the area revegetated; and
 - (ii) Where, in the opinion of an environmental specialist, the composition structure and density determined under condition 2(b)(i) will not result in a similar species composition, structure and density to pre-clearing vegetation types in that area the Permit Holder must undertake additional planting or seeding of native vegetation in accordance with the requirements of condition 2(a)(i) and condition 2(a)(ii).

3. Records must be kept

The Permit Holder must maintain the following records for *revegetation* done pursuant to condition 2:

- (i) The commencement date of revegetation;
- (ii) The location of any area revegetated recorded using Geocentric Datum Australia 1994;
- (iii) A description of the revegetation activities undertaken;
- (iv) The size of the area revegetated (in hectares); and
- (v) The species, structure and composition of revegetation measured.

4. Reporting


The Permit Holder must provide to the CEO, on or before 30 June of each year, a written report of records required under condition 3 and activities done by the Permit Holder under this Permit between 1 January and 31 December of the preceding year.

DEFINITIONS

The following meanings are given to terms used in this Permit:

environmental specialist means a person who is engaged by the permit holder for the purpose of providing environmental advice, who holds a tertiary qualification in environmental science or equivalent, and has experience relevant to the type of environmental advice that an environmental specialist is required to provide under this Permit;

revegetation, revegetate, revegetated means the re-establishment of a cover of *native vegetation* in an area such that the species composition, structure and density is similar to *pre-clearing* vegetation types in that area, and can involve regeneration, direct seeding and/or planting.



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