



CLEARING PERMIT

Granted under section 51E of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

PERMIT DETAILS

Purpose Permit Number: 1868/2
File Number: A0806/200701
Duration of Permit: From 15 September 2007 to 15 September 2014

PERMIT HOLDER

Crescent Gold Limited

LAND ON WHICH CLEARING IS TO BE DONE

Mining Lease 39/138
Mining Lease 39/139
Miscellaneous Licence 39/124

PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE CLEARING MAY BE DONE

1. Clearing for the purpose of mineral production.

CONDITIONS

Authorised Activity

1. The Permit Holder must not clear more than 78 hectares of native vegetation. All clearing must be within the area cross-hatched yellow on attached Plan 1868/2.

Avoid, minimise etc clearing

2. In determining the amount of native vegetation to be cleared authorised under 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 native vegetation to be cleared; and
 - (iii) reduce the impact of clearing on any environmental value.

Erosion control

3. The Permit Holder shall implement appropriate erosion control measures to minimise potential erosion within the area cross-hatched yellow on attached Plan 1868/2 and adjacent areas.

Records to be kept

4. The Permit Holder must maintain the following records for activities done pursuant to this Permit:
- (i) the location where clearing occurred, recorded using a Global Positioning System (GPS) unit set to Geocentric Datum Australia 1994 (GDA94), expressing the geographical coordinates in Eastings and Northings;
 - (ii) the dates that the area was cleared;
 - (iii) the size of the cleared area (in hectares); and
 - (iv) the purpose for which clearing was undertaken.

Reporting

5. (a) The Permit Holder shall provide a report to the Director, Environment Division, Department of Mines and Petroleum by 1 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 4 of this permit in relation to clearing carried out between 1 July and 30 June of the previous financial year.
- (b) Prior to 15 September 2014, the Permit Holder must provide to the Director, Environment Division, Department of Mines and Petroleum a written report of records required under Condition 4 of this Permit where these records have not already been provided under Condition 5 (a) of this Permit.



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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND PETROLEUM
Officer with delegated authority under Section 20
of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

6 August 2009