



GOVERNMENT OF  
WESTERN AUSTRALIA

## CLEARING PERMIT

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

### PERMIT DETAILS

Purpose Permit Number: 2236 / 1  
File Number: A1910/200701  
Duration of Permit: From 08 March 2008 to 30 September 2011

### PERMIT HOLDER

Argyle Diamonds Ltd

### LAND ON WHICH CLEARING IS TO BE DONE

Mining Lease 80/114  
Miscellaneous Licence 80/1

### PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE CLEARING MAY BE DONE

1. Clearing for the purpose of Mineral Production.

### CONDITIONS

1. The Permit Holder must not clear more than 5.8 hectares of native vegetation. All clearing must be within the area shaded yellow on attached Plan 2236/1.
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;
  - iii) the dates on which the area was cleared;
  - iv) the area rehabilitated in hectares;
  - v) the method of clearing; and
  - vi) the purpose of clearing.
3. When undertaking any clearing, revegetation and rehabilitation, or other activity pursuant to this Permit the Permit Holder must take the following steps to minimise the risk of the introduction and spread of weeds:
  - i) clean earth-moving machinery of soil and vegetation prior to entering and leaving the area to be cleared;
  - ii) ensure that no weed-affected road building materials, mulch, fill or other material is brought into the area to be cleared; and
  - iii) restrict the movement of machines and other vehicles to the limits of the areas to be cleared.
4. The Permit Holder shall control the species *Jatropha gossypifolia* by destroying and preventing seed set of plants within 50 metres of roads and the high water mark on waterways within the area shaded yellow on attached Plan 2236/1;
  - i) control of *Jatropha gossypifolia* must be done prior to seed set each year for the life of this permit.
5. The Permit Holder shall stockpile all topsoil and native vegetation cleared under this permit for use in rehabilitation.

6. The Permit Holder shall provide a report to the Director, Environment Division, Department of Industry and Resources by 30 September each year for the life of this permit, demonstrating adherence to all conditions of this permit, and setting out the records required under Condition 2 of this permit in relation to clearing carried out between 1 July and 30 June of the previous financial year.



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Officer with delegated authority under Section 20  
of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

7 February 2008