



## Application for an amendment to a clearing permit

Environmental Protection Act 1986 s 51M

### FORM C4

Clearing of native vegetation is prohibited in Western Australia except where a clearing permit has been granted or an exemption applies. A person who causes or allows unauthorised clearing commits an offence.

Date stamp

#### Part 1 Assessment under the assessment bilateral agreement

If the amendment to a clearing permit will or is likely to impact on a matter of national environmental significance identified under the Commonwealth of Australia's *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act) it must initially be referred to the Commonwealth of Australia prior to submitting this amendment application form.

Further information is located in Annex C7 and *A guide to native vegetation clearing processes under the Assessment bilateral agreement* available at [www.dwer.wa.gov.au](http://www.dwer.wa.gov.au).

Was your clearing permit application previously assessed in accordance with, or under, an EPBC Act Accredited Process such as the assessment bilateral agreement?

☐ Yes ☒ No Proceed to Part 2

Has the amendment been referred to the Commonwealth of Australia under the EPBC Act?

☐ Yes EPBC Number

☐ No It cannot be assessed under an Accredited Process until it has been referred to the Commonwealth. Proceed to Part 2.

Has a decision been made under the EPBC Act as to whether the proposed amendment is a controlled action?

☐ Yes ☐ No Proceed to Part 2

Is the amendment a controlled action under the EPBC Act?

☐ No Proceed to Part 2

☐ Yes Complete and attach the requirements of Annex C7 to this completed form

List the controlling provisions identified in the notification of the controlled action decision

☐ Annex C7 is completed and the required supporting documentation is attached.

#### Part 2 Clearing permit details

Amendments can only be made to active clearing permits.

FILE REFERENCE

Permit number

CPS 6878/2

Permit holder's name as it appears on the permit

Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley

#### Part 3 Contact/Applicant details

A person with whom the Department of Water and Environmental Regulation or Department of Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety should liaise concerning the amendment application.

\*If applying as a company or incorporated body, please supply the registered business office address.



## Part 4 Declaration and signature

For your application to be accepted, it must be signed either on behalf of the company or as an individual.

By signing this form you are declaring that the statements on this form are true and correct.

The Department in accepting this form accepts you are a person duly authorised to sign for and on behalf of the body corporate in applying for and in holding a permit.

Knowingly providing false or misleading information is an offence under section 112 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* and may incur a penalty of up to \$50,000.

## Part 5 Proposed changes

Additional information to support the assessment of your application to amend may be attached.

Please ensure you have included the following as part of your application:

- a photocopy of the granted clearing permit, with proposed changes highlighted,

and

- payment.

If you are applying on behalf of the permit holder, please attach your agent's authority duly authorising you to act on behalf of the permit holder.

Please tick below the proposed change(s) to your clearing permit:



extend the duration of the permit



vary a permit condition, such as a due date



amend the size of the area permitted to be cleared, or remove a land parcel listed on the permit

or



other.

Provide details of proposed changes:

The Shire applied for CPS 6878-2 to clear a 13.35ha area adjacent to the Kununurra Waste Management facility. The intent of the permit is to clear land and excavate suitable clean-fill material, for landfill operations and final capping material.

However, the quantities of clean-fill material required from block Lot 567 on Deposited Plan 404515, exceeds the storage capacity of the Kununurra Waste Management Facility.

Therefore, an extension is sought to extend the permit timeframe to allow the Shire clear, and excavate an appropriate area, based on operational requirements, until the current landfill facility has reached capacity.

The current facility is expected to reach its maximum capacity and require final capping and closure in 2023/24.

The Shire is seeking to extend the duration of CPS6878-2 until 31 December 2024.

## Land Details