



Department of Water and Environmental Regulation – Department of Mines,
Industry Regulation and Safety

Application for a clearing permit (area permit)

Environmental Protection Act 1986, section 51E

FORM C1

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.

CPS No.
Date stamp

Part 1: Assessment bilateral agreement	
<p>The native vegetation clearing processes under Part V of the <i>Environmental Protection Act 1986 (WA) (EP Act)</i> have been accredited by the Commonwealth of Australia under the <i>Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (Cth) (EPBC Act)</i> and can be assessed under an assessment bilateral agreement.</p> <p>To be assessed in this manner, the proposed clearing action must be referred to the Commonwealth under the EPBC Act and deemed a 'controlled action' prior to submitting this application form.</p> <p>For further information see <i>Annex C7</i> and <i>A guide to native vegetation clearing processes under the assessment bilateral agreement</i> available at www.der.wa.gov.au/our-work/clearing-permits.</p>	<p>Do you want your proposed clearing action assessed in accordance with, or under, an EPBC Act Accredited Process such as the assessment bilateral agreement?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes EPBC Number</p>
	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Proceed to Part 2</p>
	<p>List the controlling provisions identified in the notification of the controlled action decision.</p>
	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Annex C7 is complete and the required supporting information is attached.</p>

Part 2: Land details	
<p>The location of the land where clearing is proposed must be accurately described.</p>	<p>Land description: volume and folio number, lot or location number(s), Crown lease or reserve number, pastoral lease number or mining tenement number of all properties.</p> <p>Lot 820 on Plan 404596 Volume 2913 Folio 972</p>
<p>FILE REFERENCE</p>	<p>Street address Murdoch University, 90 South Street, Murdoch</p>
	<p>Local government area City of Melville</p>
	<p>Land zoning, e.g. rural, residential, industrial Public Purposes - University</p>

Part 4: Proposed clearing	
<p>An aerial photograph or map with a north arrow must be attached, clearly marking the area proposed to be cleared</p> <p><i>or</i></p> <p>if you have the facilities, a digital map on a suitable portable digital storage device of the area to clear as an ESRI shapefile with the following properties:</p> <p>Geometry type: Polygon shape Coordinate system: GDA 1994 (Geographic latitude/longitude) Datum: GDA 1994 (Geocentric Datum of Australia 1994).</p> <p>An ERSI shapefile must be provided if the application requires an assessment under an EPBC Act Accredited process</p>	<p>Total area of clearing proposed (hectares)</p> <p>0.4 ha of intact vegetation</p>
	<p>and/or</p>
	<p>number of individual trees to be removed</p> <p>And several scattered trees (up to 15)</p>
	<p>Proposed method of clearing</p> <p>Mechanical</p>
	<p>Period within which clearing is proposed to be undertaken, e.g. May 2018 – June 2018</p> <p>from May 2018 to February 2019</p>
	<p>Purpose of clearing</p> <p>Development of research facility</p>
	<p>Final land use:</p> <p>Tertiary education- agricultural chemical research.</p>