



CLEARING PERMIT

Granted under section 51E of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

PERMIT DETAILS

Purpose Permit Number: 835/2

File Number: A1449/200501

Duration of Permit: From 27 July 2007 to 31 July 2011

PERMIT HOLDER

Straits Salt Pty Ltd

LAND ON WHICH CLEARING IS TO BE DONE

Exploration Licences: E08/1397, E08/1398, E08/1399, E08/1400

AUTHORISED ACTIVITY

1. Clearing of up to 2.1 hectares for the purposes of geotechnical investigations, within the areas marked on attached Plans 835/2a and 835/2b.

CONDITIONS

1. The Permit Holder shall not clear any Mangrove species (*Avicennia marina*, *Rhizophora stylosa*, *Ceriops tagal*, *Bruguiera exaristata*).
2. The Permit Holder shall only access Mangrove habitat by helicopter, on foot, or by barge or small boat.
3. The Permit Holder shall ensure that all vehicles, tools and machinery are cleaned of all soil and plant material when entering the Clearing Permit Areas (as shown on the attached Plans 835/2a and 835/2b).
4. The Permit Holder shall retain all vegetative material and topsoil removed by clearing in accordance with this Permit and shall, immediately following completion of the geotechnical investigations, use the material to backfill all boreholes and test-pits.

A handwritten signature in purple ink, appearing to read "Kim Anderson", written over a horizontal line.

Kim Anderson
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DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY AND RESOURCES

27 July 2007