

11 January 2019

Department of Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety Resource and Environmental Compliance Division Mineral House 100 Plain St EAST PERTH WA 6004

Dear Sir/Madam

## NATIVE VEGETATION CLEARING PERMIT APPLICATION

Sinosteel Midwest Corporation Ltd (SMC) is seeking approval to clear 1.02 ha of native vegetation for the purpose of mining (iron ore) exploration.

A Programme of Works (Registration ID: 74355) was approved by DMIRS on 11 July 2018.

Clearing and rehabilitation will be managed in accordance with SMC's Environmental Management Plan (Exploration), June 2017.

The following documents are attached in support of the application to clear native vegetation:

- 1. Application for a clearing permit (purpose permit) Form C2;
- 2. Flora survey report (Maia Environmental Consultancy, October 2018);
- 3. IBSA data package; and
- 4. SMC's Environmental Management Plan (Exploration), June 2017.

Should you require any further information, please contact Wayne Ennor on 9429 4834 or by email: wennor@smcl.com.au.

Yours sincerely

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