Department of Water and Environmental Regulation (DWER)
Department of Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety (DMIRS)

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.

GOVERNMENT OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

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Part 1: Assessment bilateral agreement

The native vegetation clearing processes under Part V of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (WA) (EP Act) have been accredited by the Commonwealth of Australia under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (Cth) (EPBC Act) and can be assessed under an assessment bilateral agreement. 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. For further information see *Form Annex C7* and *A guide to native vegetation clearing processes under the assessment bilateral agreement* available at **www.der.wa.gov.au/our-work/clearing-permits**.	Do you want your proposed clearing action assessed in accordance with, or under, an EPBC Act Accredited Process such as the assessment bilateral agreement?
	☐ Yes EPBC Number
	☒ No Proceed to Part 2
	List the controlling provisions identified in the notification of the controlled action decision.
	☐ *Form Annex C7* is complete and the required supporting information is attached.

Part 2: Land details

The location of the land where clearing is proposed must be accurately described.	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.	
FILE REFERENCE	Street address	Riverside Road, Kalgan; between Lesueur Road and Myola Road
	Local government area	City of Albany
	Land zoning, e.g. rural, residential, industrial	Road reserve

Part 3: Applicant details

Ownership of land

A landowner can be:	Form of ownership:
• a person who holds the certificate of title; • a person who is the lessee of Crown land; or • a public authority that is responsible for care of the land.	☐ Certificate of title. *[Attach a copy of the certificate and all associated encumbrances with the application – available from Landgate]* ☐ Pastoral lease. *[Attach a copy of the lease and all associated encumbrances]* ☐ Mining lease. ☒ Public authority that has care, control, or management of the land. ☐ Other form of lease, land tenure, or specific arrangement. Please state:

Contact details for enquiries

If different from the applicant's contact details, enter the contact details of a person with whom DWER or DMIRS should liaise with concerning this clearing application.	

Part 4: Proposed clearing

An aerial photograph or map with a north arrow must be attached, clearly marking the area proposed to be cleared or 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: Geometry type: Polygon shape Coordinate system: GDA 1994 (Geographic latitude/longitude) Datum: GDA 1994 (Geocentric Datum of Australia 1994). An ESRI shapefile must be provided if the application requires an assessment under an EPBC Act accredited process.	Total **area** of clearing proposed (hectares)	0.19	
	and/or		
	number of individual **trees** to be removed	Approx. 12 trees of varying sizes	
	Proposed method of clearing		
	Large trees are to be cut down or pushed over by bulldozer. Trees are then to be cut up and chipped/mulched. Out hanging branches are to be removed using a side arm mulcher.		
	Period within which clearing is proposed to be undertaken, e.g. May 2018 – June 2018		
	From	October 2019	to	May 2020
	Purpose of clearing		
	To accommodate road widening and realignment, roadside open swale drain and earthworks.		
	Final land use:		
	Road reserve		