



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

## Application for a clearing permit (purpose permit)

*Environmental Protection Act 1986, section 51E*

### FORM C2

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.
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Part 1: Assessment bilateral agreement	
<p>The native vegetation clearing processes under Part V of the <i>Environmental Protection Act 1986 (WA)</i> (EP Act) have been accredited by the Commonwealth of Australia under the <i>Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (Cth)</i> (EPBC Act) 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>Form Annex C7</i> and <i>A guide to native vegetation clearing processes under the assessment bilateral agreement</i> available at <a href="http://www.der.wa.gov.au/our-work/clearing-permits">www.der.wa.gov.au/our-work/clearing-permits</a>.</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?
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes EPBC Number:
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Proceed to Part 2
	List the controlling provisions identified in the notification of the controlled action decision.
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Form Annex C7</i> 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.  M45/1276 L45/503
FILE REFERENCE	Street address
	Local government area Town of Port Hedland

Part 3: Applicant details																					
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<p>If granted, the applicant will be considered the holder of the permit.</p> <p>Include the Australian Company Number (ACN) if the proposed permit holder is a body corporate or other entity formed at law.</p>	<p>Are you applying as an individual, a company or an incorporated body? Enter details for one only.</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 10%;">An individual</td> <td style="width: 15%;">Title</td> <td style="width: 10%;">Mr</td> <td style="width: 5%;"><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td style="width: 10%;">Mrs</td> <td style="width: 5%;"><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td style="width: 10%;">Ms</td> <td style="width: 5%;"><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td style="width: 30%;">Other:</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>Name(s)</td> <td colspan="7"></td> </tr> </table> <p><b>OR</b></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 40%;">A body corporate or other entity formed at law (include ACN)</td> <td>Spinifex Crushing and Screening Services (135324551)</td> </tr> </table> <p>"I am..." (mark applicable box or boxes)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> the owner of the land.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> acting on behalf of the owner and have attached an agent's authority, expressly authorising me to act on behalf of the landowner. <i>[Attach a copy of the authorisation]</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> likely to become the owner of the land. <i>[Attach evidence of the pending transfer of ownership, contract of sale ('offer and acceptance') or letter from current landowner.]</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> the person doing the clearing.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> the person on whose behalf the clearing is being done.</p>	An individual	Title	Mr	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mrs	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ms	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:		Name(s)								A body corporate or other entity formed at law (include ACN)	Spinifex Crushing and Screening Services (135324551)
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<p>If applying as a company or incorporated body, please also supply the registered business office address.</p> <p>DWER and DMIRS prefer to send all correspondence electronically via email.</p> <p>We request that you consent to receiving all correspondence relating to instruments and notices under Part V of the EP Act ("Part V documents") electronically via email by indicating your consent in this section of the application form.</p> <p>Where 'yes' is selected, all correspondence from DWER or DMIRS (as applicable) will be sent to you via email, to the email address provided in this section.</p> <p>Where 'no' has been selected, Part V documents will be posted to you in hard copy to the postal/business address you have provided in this section. Other general correspondence may still be sent to you via email.</p>																					



Part 3: Applicant details (continued)	
Authority to access land	
<p>To apply for a permit you must be the landowner, or have the authority of the landowner to access the land and undertake the clearing.</p> <p>Evidence of authority can include, for example, a copy of the certificate of title or a letter of authority from the landowner.</p> <p>Note: the letter of authority must explicitly state the applicant has authority to clear on the land.</p>	<p>State the nature of the applicant's authority to access the land to be cleared. <i>[Attach evidence of authority]</i></p> <p>Mining Lease M45/1276</p> <p>Miscellaneous Lease L45/503</p> <p>Mining Proposal/ Mine Closure Plan REGID 78744</p>
Landowner's ownership of land	
<p>A landowner can be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a person who holds the certificate of title;</li> <li>• a person who is the lessee of Crown land;</li> <li>or</li> <li>• a public authority that is responsible for care of the land.</li> </ul>	<p>The landowner's form of ownership is:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of title <i>[Attach a copy of the certificate and all associated encumbrances with the application – available from Landgate].</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Pastoral lease <i>[Attach a copy of the lease and all associated encumbrances].</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mining lease.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Public authority that has care, control or management of the land.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other form of lease, land tenure or specific arrangement.</p> <p>Please state: <span style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 150px; height: 15px; vertical-align: middle;"></span></p>
Contact details for enquiries	
<p>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.</p>	

Part 4: Proposed clearing	
<p>An aerial photograph and/or map with a north arrow must be attached, clearly marking the area proposed to be cleared</p> <p>or</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 ESRI shapefile must be provided if the application requires an assessment under an EPBC Act accredited process.</p>	<p>Total area of clearing proposed (hectares) 24.5</p>
	<p>and/or</p> <p>number of individual trees to be removed</p>
	<p>Proposed method of clearing:</p> <p>Mechanical</p>
	<p>Purpose of clearing:</p> <p>The proposed clearing across L45/503 is anticipated to be in relation to road maintenance and the installation of supporting infrastructure such as camp facilities. The proposed clearing within M45/1276 will facilitate quarrying, and related resource extraction and use.</p>
	<p>Period within which clearing is proposed to be undertaken, e.g. May 2018 – June 2018</p> <p>from November 2019 to November 2029</p>
	<p>Final land use:</p> <p>Pastoralism</p>
<p>You must provide evidence that avoidance and mitigation options have been pursued to eliminate, reduce or otherwise mitigate the need for, and scale of, the proposed clearing of native vegetation.</p>	<p>Have alternatives that would avoid or minimise the need for clearing been considered and applied? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>
	<p>If yes, provide details:</p> <p>SCS have selected the disused portion of an already cleared access track and a previously disturbed, historically used quarry – however further clearing is required to make the access suitable for use and to continue to extract the resource.</p>
<p>Refer to DWER's <a href="#">Clearing of native vegetation offsets procedure guideline</a> available on the DWER website, and the Environmental Protection Authority's (EPA) <a href="#">WA Environmental Offsets Policy and Guidelines</a> on the EPA website for further information.</p>	<p>Do you want to submit a clearing permit offset proposal with your application? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>
	<p>If yes, provide details, and complete and attach Appendix A of the <i>Clearing of native vegetation offsets procedure guideline</i>.</p>