

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

Application to amend a clearing permit

Environmental Protection Act 1986, section 51KA

FORM C4

The clearing of native vegetation is prohibited in Western Australia unless a clearing permit has been granted for the clearing or where a permit is not required (either due to a referral determination that one is not needed or because an exemption applies). A person who causes or allows unauthorised clearing commits an offence.

For further information on the stages of assessment for clearing permit applications (including amendments to existing permits), see the <u>Procedure: Native vegetation clearing permits</u> on DWER's website.

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<u>ng</u>	Date stamp

Tart 1. Assessment Material agreement						
If the amendment of a clearing permit will or is likely to impact on	Do you want your proposed clearing action assessed in accordance with, or under, an EPBC Act Accredited Process such as the assessment bilateral agreement?					
a matter of national environmental significance identified under the		Yes EPBC number:				
Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act	\boxtimes	No Proceed to Pa	rt 2			
1999 (Cth) (EPBC Act) the original application must have been assessed in accordance with the	List the decis		s identified in the notification of the controlled	action		
bilateral assessment, and a variation under the EPBC Act is required prior to submitting this amendment application form.						
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.						
Further information is located in 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.		Form Annex C7 is cor	mplete and the required supporting informatio	n is attached.		
Part 2: Clearing permit details						
Amendments can only be made to active clearing permits. Applications must be made more		nit number for existing ing permit	CPS 8854-2			
than 90 working days prior to the existing permit expiring to ensure there is adequate time to assess the amendment.	Permit holder's name (as it appears on the existing clearing permit)		Carnegie Gold Pty Ltd			
FILE REFERENCE	Perm	it expiry date:	10 July 2025			
	Mark this box if there are less than 90 working days until the expiry of the existing permit.					

Part 3: Applicant	Part 3: Applicant									
Applicant details										
To apply for an amendment to a permit you must be the current	Are you ap one only.	plying as an	individu	al, a co	ompany o	or inco	rporate	d body	? Enter deta	ails for
holder of the existing permit. Include Australian Company	An	Title	Mr		Mrs		Ms		Other:	
Number (ACN) if the proposed permit holder is a body corporate	individual	Name/s								
or other entity formed at law.	OR									
	other entity	A body corporate or other entity formed at aw (include ACN) Carnegie Gold Pty Ltd ACN 117116097								
Applicant contact details										
If applying as a company or incorporated body, please also	Provide co	ntact details	for the a	above i	ndividual	l or bo	dy corp	orate.		
supply the registered business office address.	Contact pe position, if			drew C Develo	zerw pment C	Officer				
DWER and DMIRS prefer to send all correspondence via email. We request that you consent to receiving all correspondence relating to instruments and notices under Part V of the EP Act ("Part V documents") via email by indicating your consent in this section of the application form. Where 'yes' is selected, all correspondence from DWER or DMIRS (as applicable) will be	Company r (if applicab		OraBa	anda M	ining Lin	nited				
	Postal / bus	siness	Level 2, 1 Hood Street Subiaco WA 6008							
	Phone (fixe	ed line):	(08)	36545	48	Pho	ne (mo	bile):	0429314610	
sent to you via email, to the email address provided in this section. Where 'no' has been selected, Part V documents will be posted	Email addr	nail address andrew.czerw@orabandamining.com.au								
to you in hard copy to the postal/business address you have provided in this section. Other	I consent to all written correspondence between myself (the applicant) and DWER/DMIRS (as applicable), regarding the							No		
general correspondence may still be sent to you via email.	premises which is the subject of this application, being exclusively via email, using the email address I have provided above.					\boxtimes				
Contact details for enquiries										
If different from the applicant's	Where con	tact details d	liffer to t	hose o	f the app	olicant,	compl	ete the	below secti	on:
contact details, enter the contact details of a person with whom DWER or DMIRS should liaise	Contact pe		Leanr	ne Jam	es – Env	rironme	ental C	onsulta	ınt	
with concerning this clearing application.	Company r									
	Postal / bus	siness	C/O Level 2, 1 Hood St Subiaco WA 6008							
	Phone (fixe	ed line)				Phone	e (mobi	le)	042856620	4
Email address Leanne.james@orabandamining.com.au										

Part 4: Proposed amendments								
Additional information to support the assessment of your application to amend may be		te the types of proposed change(s) to your clearing perr int box(es):	mit by :	selecting	g the			
attached.	\boxtimes	Extend the duration of the clearing permit.	he clearing permit.					
Please ensure you have included the following as part of your application:		Vary / add / remove a permit condition relating to a maboundary of the area to be cleared.	itter oth	ner than	the size	e or		
 a photocopy of the granted clearing permit, with proposed changes highlighted, 	\boxtimes	Amend the size of the area permitted to be cleared, or add / remove a land parcel on the clearing permit.						
andpayment of the prescribed fee.		Redescribe the boundary of the area authorised to be cleared [for an area permit only]						
When providing details of the proposed change(s), if any additional clearing is proposed,								
include details of:the proposed method of the		Other.						
clearing;	Provid	de details of the proposed change(s), and the rationale(s	s) for it	/ them.				
• the purpose of the clearing;		rement to extend the Riverina Haul Road from the River	•			ire		
the period within which the clearing is proposed to be undertaken (taking note of the	Managed Davyhurst Mulline Road due to recent Shire approved proposal to run larger payload off road haulage trucks from Riverina Minesite to the Davyhurst Processing Plant.							
published minimum assessment timeframes for DWER / DMIRS, as applicable); and • the final land use.	Discussions held with the Shire of Menzies determined that the larger payload off road haulage trucks are permitted to run on the Davyhurst Mulline Road through a partial road closure however are not permitted on the Evanston Menzies Road. Therefore Ora Banda Mining a proposing to extend the private haul road along the existing approved pipeline access track from Riverina to Lady Gladys Minesite. Additional clearing of 13.07ha will be required along the current pipeline access track to ensure safe running of the larger							
	Due to	naul trucks. Due to the ongoing operations of the Riverina Project OBM are also requesting to extend the duration of the clearing permit for another 5 years.						
For an application to amound the		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	d 4 - b -	al a a u a al	F. dalan			
For an application to amend the size of the area permitted to be cleared, or add a land parcel to	State the nature of the applicant's authority to access the land to be cleared. Evidence of authority can include e.g. a copy of the certificate of title or a letter of authority signed by the landowner or other person with authority to give legal land access permission.							
the clearing permit, you must have the authority of the landowner to access the land	[Attach evidence of authority. Note that a letter of authority must explicitly state the applicant has authority to clear on the land.]							
and undertake the clearing.	Carnegie Gold Pty Ltd is a wholly owned subsidiary of Ora Banda Mining Limited. Carnegie Gold Pty Ltd has authority to access the land as the holder of tenements – M30/256, M30/157, G30/8, G30/9							
Provide additional property details if required – if applying to extend	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.							
the size of the area to be cleared into another land parcel.	M30/256, M30/157, G30/8, G30/9							
avoidance and mitigation for clearing been considered and applied?				Yes		No		
options have been pursued to eliminate, reduce or otherwise	If yes.	, provide details:						
mitigate the need for, and scale of, the proposed clearing of native vegetation.	The mine site(s) are located in the former Riverina Pastoral Station Homestead working paddocks, which are heavily impacted by over a century of mining and pastoral use. Mitigation measure already adopted include: (a) utilisation of existing historically cleared areas and pastoral infrastructure, (b) where feasible, placement of infrastructure in historically degraded mining/pastoral areas, (c) progressive clearing as required for project development stages, (d) placement of proposed haul road in sections of the active Riverina lady Gladys mine water pipeline corridor, (e) recovery							

Part 4: Proposed amendments									
	and stockpiling of vegetation trash for habitat establishment and progressive rehabilitation of mining disturbed areas.								
Refer to DWER's <u>Clearing of</u> <u>native vegetation offsets</u> <u>procedure guideline</u> available	Do you want to subm with your application?		ring permit offset proposal		Yes	\boxtimes	No		
on the DWER website, and the EPA's <u>WA Environmental</u>	If yes, provide details, and complete and attach Appendix A of the <i>Clearing of native</i> vegetation offsets procedure guideline.								
Offsets Policy and Guidelines on the EPA website for further information.									
Part 5: Other DWER approvals									
Instructions: If your application is to be submitted to DMIRS, complete Section A and then skip to Part 6 of this form. If your application is to be submitted to DWER, complete both Sections A and B.									
Section A: Environmental Impact	Assessment								
Environmental Impact Assessment (Part IV of the EP Act)									
Has this clearing application or any related matter been referred to the Environmental Protection Authority?			Yes – provide details []						
			⊠ No						
Do you intend to refer the proposal to the Environmental Protection Authority? Section 37B(1) of the EP Act defines a 'significant proposal' as "a proposal likely, if implemented, to have a significant effect on the environment". If a decision-making authority (e.g. DWER or DMIRS) considers that the proposal in this application is likely to constitute a 'significant proposal', they are required under section 38(5) of the EP Act to refer the proposal to the EPA for assessment under Part IV, if such a referral has not already been made.			Yes – intend to refer (proposal is a 'significant proposal')						
			Yes – intend to refer (proposal will require a section 45C amendment to the current Ministerial Statement) MS []						
			No – a current valid Ministerial Statement applies: MS []						
If a relevant Ministerial Statement alread the MS number in the space provided.	dy exists, please provide	\boxtimes	No – not a 'significant proposal'						
Section B: Other approvals									
Pre-application scoping									
Have you had any pre-application scoping meetings with DWER reg			No						
applications?			Yes – provide details: [
Works approval / Licence / Regis	tration (Part V Division	n 3 of t	he EP Act)						
Have you applied or do you interworks approval, licence, registra	tion, or an		Yes – application reference (if	known): []			
amendment to any of the above, under Part V Division 3 of the EP Act?			No – a valid works approval a	pplies: []				
It is an offence to perform any action the premises to become a prescribed premischedule 1 of the <i>Environmental Protec</i> unless that action is done in accordance.	ses of a type listed in etion Regulations 1987,		No – a valid licence applies: [I	_9402-2	2023-1]				
licence, or registration. For further guidance, refer to <i>Guideline: Decision making</i> a			No – a valid registration applie	es: []				
Guideline: Industry Regulation Guide to			No – not required						
Water licences and permits (Right		tion Ac	t 1914)						
Have you applied or do you inter	d to apply for:		Yes –application reference (if	known)): []			

Part 5: Other DWER approvals	
a licence or amendment to a licence to take water (surface water or groundwater); or	No – a current valid licence applies: [GWL180490-
a licence or amendment to a licence to construct wells (including bores and soaks); or	D N/A
3. a permit or amendment to a permit to interfere with the bed and banks of a watercourse?	│
For further guidance on water licences and permits under the Rights in Water and Irrigation Act 1914, refer to the <u>Procedure:</u> <u>Water licences and permits</u> .	

Part 6: Surveys for Assessments (IBSA and IMSA)						
Do you wish to submit marine or biodiversity surveys in support of your application?	∀es					
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Biodiversity surveys submitted to support this application must meet the requirements of the EPA's <u>Instructions for the preparation of data packages for the Index of Biodiversity Surveys for Assessments (IBSA)</u> . If these requirements are not met, DWER / DMIRS (as	All biodiversity surveys the have been submitted to the Surveys for Assessment ibsasubmissions.dwer.wa		Yes			
Please provide the IBSA number(s) (or submission number(s) if IBSA number has not yet been issued) in the space provided. Note that a submission number is not confirmation of	Submission number(s) (e.g. IBSASUB- 20200101-12345A6D) Please list all numbers. If	BSASUB-20240507	-C5F6AD	98		
acceptance of a biodiversity survey and is not the same as an IBSA number. IBSA numbers are only issued once a survey has been accepted. Once an IBSA number is	space is inadequate, list on a separate sheet.					
issued, please notify DWER / DMIRS (as applicable). Please note the assessment timeframes for your application will be suspended until the IBSA number(s) is provided to DWER / DMIRS (as applicable).	IBSA number(s) (e.g. IBSA-2020-0123) Please list all numbers. If space is inadequate, list on a separate sheet.	IBSA – 2024-0222				
Marine surveys submitted to support this application must	All marine surveys submitted with this Yes					
meet the requirements of the EPA's <u>Instructions for the preparation of data packages for the Index of Marine Surveys for Assessments (IMSA)</u> . If these requirements are not met, DWER will decline to deal with the application.	application meet the requirements of the EPA's <i>Instructions for the preparation of data</i>			\boxtimes		

Part 7: Records kept under the existing clearing permit's conditions Most clearing permits include one Yes or more conditions requiring that The required records are attached. Xthe permit holder keep certain records relating to the actions Please select the relevant records included with the report. Only records required to be undertaken in accordance with kept by the conditions of the existing clearing permit need to be provided. the clearing permit. DWER / DMIRS (as applicable) The total amount, location(s), and date(s) of clearing done under the permit (or \boxtimes requires that these records are within the past five years). provided to support the assessment of this application. \boxtimes Actions taken to avoid or minimise the impact and extent of clearing. Records provided should cover: • the full period of the permit; Actions taken in relation to flora and/or fauna management. X

Part 7: Records kept under the existing clearing permit's conditions						
orthe past five years (if the		Actions taken to revegetate or rehabilitate the areas cleared under the permit.				
existing permit's duration is greater than five years and it was amended within the past		Records pertaining to any onsite or offsite environmental offsets.				
five years).		Any other relevant records required to be kept by the conditions of the permit.				
		Summarise other records:				

Part 8: Prescribed fee Fees are payable to the: The prescribed fee is to be paid at the time of submitting the application form. Please indicate the clearing permit application fee that you are paying. DWER for all clearing purposes other than mineral For further guidance, refer to DWER's online clearing fees frequently asked questions. and petroleum activities OR **AREA PERMIT DMIRS** for mineral and \$50 to alter the requirements of an area permit, or to OFFICE USE ONLY petroleum clearing activities increase the area covered by an area permit by less under the Mining Act 1978, than one hectare. various Petroleum Acts, or \$100 to increase the area covered by an area State Agreement Acts. permit by between one hectare and 10 hectares. **DWER** will only accept fees \$200 to increase the area covered by an area paid via either: permit by more than 10 hectares. DWER's BPoint system, **PURPOSE PERMIT** accessible online at: www.dwer.wa.gov.au/make-\$200 to alter any requirement of a purpose permit. a-payment, Payment method (mark applicable box): secure EFT payment, or • cheque / money order. (DWER) Secure credit card payment through BPoint See www.dwer.wa.gov.au/make-a-payment Note: Biller Code is '1222355 Clearing Regulation' **DMIRS** will only accept fees paid via secure credit card Receipt number: payment, through the **DMIRS** online payment and application Date of payment: lodgement portal. (DWER) Secure EFT payment See https://dwer.wa.gov.au/make-a-payment_for Do not send cash in the mail. payment details. State the name of the intended permit holder clearly in the EFT payment subject. Date of payment (DWER) Cheque / Money Order Please make cheques or money orders payable to П the "Department of Water and Environmental Regulation". (DMIRS) Secure credit card payment online through the DMIRS online payment and application lodgement portal. Please note: All applications will be paid online and submitted simultaneously. Please save this \times application form, along with any supporting document ready for the submission portal and use the link above to pay and submit your application. A receipt will be issued upon submission only. Please ensure this receipt is saved for your records.

Part 9: Application checklist						
Additional information to assist	Please ensure you	have i	ncluded the following as part of your application:			
in the assessment of your proposed clearing may be	REQUIRED	\boxtimes	Payment of the prescribed fee.			
attached to this application – e.g. reports on salinity, fauna, or flora studies, or other environmental reports conducted for the site. This information may be included in electronic format on a suitable portable digital storage device or posted with your hard copy form.		\boxtimes	An aerial photograph or map with a north arrow clearly identifying the areas of vegetation proposed to be cleared or ESRI shapefile.			
		\boxtimes	A report with the records required to be kept in accordance with the current clearing permit's conditions has been provided in Part 7.			
		\boxtimes	An index of all documentation attached to this application.			
	AS REQUIRED		Copy of the certificate of title or pastoral lease.			
			A copy of the written authorisation permitting the applicant to act on behalf of the current clearing permit holder.			
			Written authority from the landowner to access the land and conduct the clearing.			
			Form Annex C7 – Assessment bilateral agreement if the clearing is also to be assessed under an EPBC Act accredited process.			
			Appendix A of the <i>Clearing of native vegetation offsets</i> procedure guideline if the application includes a proposal for clearing permit offsets.			
		\boxtimes	IBSA number has been provided in Part 6.			
	ADDITIONAL	\boxtimes	Photos of application area			
	SUPPORTING INFORMATION		Marine surveys, submitted in accordance with the requirements of the EPA's <u>Instructions for the preparation of data packages for the Index of Marine Surveys for Assessments (IMSA)</u> .			
Part 10: Commercially sensitive of	or confidential infor	mation	1			
Information submitted as part of this or confidential information, please id you request each item of information DWER and DMIRS will take reason Regulations 2004 (the Clearing Reginformation of a kind listed under re	s application will be neatify the information be kept confidential able steps under Pargulations) to protect of gulation 13 of the Clo	nade po on in Att al. rt 3 of t confide earing l	ublicly available. If you wish to submit commercially sensitive tachment 1, and include a written statement of reasons why the Environmental Protection (Clearing of Native Vegetation) intial material and/or otherwise sensitive information (such as			
documents. You are advised to ensure that all personal information, including signatures, are removed from supporting documents before you submit them to the department. Please note in particular that all submitted information may be the subject of an application for release under the <i>Freedom of Information Act</i> 1992 (WA)						

Information submitted later in the application process may also be made publicly available at the discretion of the relevant department. For any commercially sensitive or confidential information, please follow the same process as described above.

All information which you would propose to be exempt from public disclosure has been separately

placed in a redacted version of the application form and its supporting documentation. Note that this is in addition to the unredacted version(s) provided to DWER / DMIRS (as applicable) for its

assessment. Grounds for claiming exemption in accordance with Schedule 1 to the Freedom of

Information Act 1992 must be specified in Attachment 1 (located at the end of this form).

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N/A

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Attached

Check one of the boxes below to nominate how you will submit your application. Files larger than 50MB cannot be received via email by DWER. The DMIRS online portal can accept 1024MB for each attachment and files larger than 45MB cannot be received via email. Alternatively, email DWER or DMIRS (as applicable) to make other arrangements. If you have any enquiries regarding the provision of relevant information as part of this application, contact either DWER or DMIRS (as applicable), using the details below. (DWER only) A signed, electronic copy of the application form, including all attachments, has been submitted via the applicable email address specified below; OR (DWER only) A signed, electronic copy of the application form has been submitted via the applicable email address specified below, and attachments have been submitted via File Transfer, or electronically by other means as arranged with the relevant department;

(DWER only) A full, signed hard copy has been sent to the applicable postal address specified below.

been saved and uploaded to DMIRS online payment and application lodgement portal.

(DMIRS only) A signed electronic copy of the application form, payment and any supporting documentation has

Department of Water and Environmental Regulation

Applications to amend clearing permits granted by DWER, or the former Department of Environmental Regulation or former Department of Environment and Conservation, may be submitted via email or post to:

Email: info@dwer.wa.gov.au

OR

Post: Department of Water and Environmental Regulation

Locked Bag 10

Joondalup DC WA 6919

If you have any questions regarding lodgement of your application, please contact DWER via:

Email: info@dwer.wa.gov.au

Phone: 6364 7000

For more information: www.dwer.wa.gov.au

Department of Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety

Applications to amend clearing permits granted by DMIRS, or the former Department of Mines and Petroleum (under delegation), can be lodged online via the DMIRS online payment and application lodgement portal.

If you have any questions regarding lodgement of your application, please contact DMIRS via:

Email: nvab@dmirs.wa.gov.au

Phone: 9222 3535

For more information: www.dmirs.wa.gov.au

Please retain a copy of this form for your records.

Incomplete applications will be declined in accordance with section 51KA(3) of the EP Act.

If there is insufficient space on any part of this form, please continue on a separate sheet of paper and attach to this form

X

Part 12: Declaration and signature

General

I / We declare and acknowledge that:

- the information I / we have provided in this form is true and correct
- I / we have legal authority to sign on behalf of the applicant (where authorisation provided)
- I / we have been authorised to make this form by the owner of the land (as applicable)
- I / we have not altered the requirements and instructions set out in this form
- I / we have provided a valid email address in Part 3 for receipt of correspondence via email from DWER or DMIRS (as applicable) in relation to this form
- successful delivery to my / our server constitutes receipt of correspondence and service of any statutory notices or instruments, and
- giving or causing to be given information that to my knowledge is false or misleading is an offence under section 112 of the EP Act and may incur a penalty of up to \$100,000.

Publication

I / We declare and/or acknowledge:

- this application (including all attachments apart from the sections identified in Attachment 1) is a public document and may be published
- marine surveys provided in accordance with Part 6 will be published and used, for the purposes of the IMSA project, in accordance with your declaration made in the Metadata and Licensing Statement
- all necessary consents for the publication of information have been obtained from third parties
- the specification of the information identified in Attachment 1 constitutes a written request under regulation 11(2) of the Clearing Regulations to not publish that information due to its confidential or otherwise sensitive nature
- subsequent information provided to DWER or DMIRS (as applicable) in relation to this form will be a public document and will be published under regulation 8A of the Clearing Regulations, unless accompanied by a further written request under regulation 11(2) by the referrer or applicant that that information be treated as confidential, and
- in accordance with the requirements of regulations 11 and 12 of the Clearing Regulations, DWER or DMIRS (as applicable) must refrain from publishing bank account details or confidential material (as defined under regulation 11(1) of the Clearing Regulations), and
- DWER or DMIRS (as applicable) may refrain from publishing:
 - o certain otherwise sensitive information identified in Part 12, if satisfied it is desirable to not publish due to the confidential nature of the information, and
 - personal information or certain otherwise sensitive information listed under regulation 13 of the Clearing Regulations.

	Regulations.							
Please in	Please indicate if you are signing as an individual or a company:							
	An individual. If an individual landowner is applying, all landowners must sign this form.							
	A company.	Company name:	Carnegie Gold P	ty Ltd	ACN:	117116097		
\boxtimes	A person expressly authorised or authorised to execute on behalf of a body corporate must sign this form. A company must be a legal entity and provide an ACN. Please note an Australian Business Number is not sufficient.							
	Other entity form	ed at law.	Provide details:					
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Signatu	ıre v Czerw				Date			
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_	Development Officer	•						
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Signatu	ire				Date			
Name								

Position			

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ATTACHMENT 1 – Confidential or Commercially Sensitive Information

Request for	Request for exemption from publication						
		ished, on the grounds of a relevant exemption found in Schedule 1 to the nere, must be specified in this Attachment. Add additional rows as					
NOT FOR PUBLICATION IF GROUNDS FOR EXEMPTION ARE DETERMINED TO BE ACCEPTABLE							
Section of this form:	Grounds for claiming exemption:						
Section of this form:	Grounds for claiming exemption:						
Section of this form:	Grounds for claiming exemption:						
Full Name							
Signature	Date						