

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

Part 1: Assessment bilateral agreement

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.

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

CPS No.	
Date stamp	

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	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 Numb	er:		
Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act	No Proceed to Part 2					
1999 (Cth) (EPBC Act) and can be assessed under an assessment bilateral agreement.	List the controlling provisions identified in the notification of the controlled action decision.					
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.		Form	Annex C7 is c	omplete 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. M77/224; M77/424; M77/408; M77/721; M77/352; M77/186; L77/281					
FILE REFERENCE	Street	addres	S	Level 3, 66 Kings Park Road, west Perth WA 6872		
	Local	aoverni	ment area	Shire of Yilgarn		

Part 3: Applicant details									
Applicant details									
If granted, the applicant will be considered the holder of the permit. Include the Australian Company Number (ACN) if the proposed	Are you applying as an individual, a company or an incorporated body? Enter details for one only.								
	An individual								
permit holder is a body corporate	Name(s)								
or other entity formed at law.	A body corporate or other entity formed at law (include ACN) Tianye SXO Gold Mining Pty Ltd ACN: 161 566 490								
	"I am" (mark applicable box or boxes)								
	★ the owner of the land.								
	acting on behalf of the owner and have attached an agent's authority, expressly authorising me to act on behalf of the landowner. [Attach a copy of the authorisation (see "Authority to access land", below)]								
	likely to become the owner of the land. [Attach evidence of the pending transfer of ownership, contract of sale ('offer and acceptance') or letter from current landowner.]								
	the person doing the clearing.								
	the person on whose behalf the clearing is being done.								
Applicant contact details									
If applying as a company or incorporated body, please also supply the registered business office address.	Provide contact details for the above individual or body corporate. Contact person (and position, if applicable)								
DWER and DMIRS prefer to send all correspondence electronically 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") electronically 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 sent to you via email, to the email address provided in this section. 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.	Company name (if applicable)								
	Postal / business address								
	Phone (fixed line)								
	Email address								
	I consent to all written correspondence between myself (the applicant) and DWER/DMIRS (as applicable), regarding the								
	subject of this application, being exclusively via email, using the email address I have provided above.								

Part 3: Applicant details (continu	ued)
Authority to access land	
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. Evidence of authority can include, for example, a copy of the certificate of title or a letter of authority signed by the landowner or other person with authority to give land access permission.	State the nature of the applicant's authority to access the land to be cleared. [Attach evidence of authority. Note that a letter of authority must explicitly state that the applicant has authority to clear on the land and must be signed by a person with authority to give land access permission.] Tianye SXO Gold Mining Pty Ltd is the owner of Mining Leases: M77/224; M77/424; M77/408; M77/721; M77/352; M77/186; L77/281
Landowner's ownership of land	
 A landowner can be: 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. 	The landowner's form of ownership is: 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.	Where contact details differ to those of the applicant, complete the below section: Contact person (and position, if applicable) Company name (if applicable) Postal / business address Phone (fixed line)
	Email address

Part 4: Proposed clearing									
An aerial photograph and/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	Total area of clearing proposed (hectares) 66 hectares (out of 181 hectares)								
	and/or								
	number of individual trees to be removed								
	Proposed method of clearing: Mechanical clearing, in accordance with attached application form								
	Purpose of clearing:								
shape	Mineral production, in accordance with attached application form								
Coordinate system: GDA 1994 (Geographic latitude/longitude)	Period within which clearing (taking note of the published	is proposed to be u d assessment timefra	ndertaken, e ames for DW	.g. May ER / D	2020 to MIRS, a	o June s appli	2020 cable)		
Datum: GDA 1994	From September 2020	to	March 202	1					
(Geocentric Datum of Australia 1994).	Final land use:								
An ESRI shapefile must be provided if the application requires an assessment under an EPBC Act accredited process.	Unallocated Crown Land								
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.	Have alternatives that woul for clearing been considere		the need		Yes		No		
	If yes, provide details:								
	Clearing required to access ore, site layout has been optimised and previously disturbed ground used where possible.								
Refer to DWER's Clearing of native vegetation offsets	Do you want to submit a clewith your application?	earing permit offset p	proposal		Yes		No		
procedure quideline available on the DWER website, and the Environmental Protection Authority's (EPA) WA Environmental Offsets Policy and Guidelines on the EPA website for further information.	If yes, provide details, and vegetation offsets procedure		Appendix A	of the (Clearing	of nati	ve		