

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.

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.

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CPS No.

Part 1: Assessment bilateral agreement

The native vegetation clearing processes under Part V of 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?								
Environmental Protection Act 1986 (WA) (EP Act) have been accredited by the Commonwealth of Australia under the		Yes	EPBC Number:						
Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act	\boxtimes	No	lo 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 <u>'controlled action</u> ' prior to submitting this application form.									
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 comple	te 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.					
	Mining Tenement M74/53 COMMON Reserve R 16091 COMMON Reserve R 16119					
FILE REFERENCE	Street address					
	Local government area	Ravensthorpe Shire				

Part 3: Applicant details												
Applicant details												
If granted, the applicant will be considered the holder of the	Are yo one or		olying as an	individu	al, a co	mpany	or an in	corpora	ited bod	ly? Enter	details for	
permit. Include the Australian Company Number (ACN) if the proposed permit holder is a body corporate or other entity formed at law.	An individual		Title	Mr		Mrs		Ms		Other:		
			Name(s)									
	OR											
	A body corporate or other entity formed at law (include ACN)			Medallion Metals Ltd (609225023)								
	"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.]										
	\boxtimes	the person doing the clearing.										
	the person on whose behalf the clearing is being done.											
Applicant contact details												
If applying as a company or	Provide contact details for the above individual or body corporate.											
incorporated body, please also supply the registered business office address. 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	Contact person (and position, if applicable)											
	Company name (if applicable)											
	Postal / business address											
section of the application form. Where 'yes' is selected, all correspondence from DWER or	Phone (fixed line)			Phone (mobile)								
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	Email address											
	L consent to all written correspondence between myself (the Yes						No					
postal/business address you have	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.											
provided in this section. Other general correspondence may still be sent to you via email.												

Part 3: Applicant details (continued)									
Authority to access land	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,	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.]								
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.									
Landowner's ownership of land									
A landowner can be:	The la	The landowner's form of ownership is:							
• a person who holds the certificate of title;		Certificate of title [Attach a copy of the certificate and all associated encumbrances with the application – available from Landgate].							
 a person who is the lessee of Crown land; or a public authority that is responsible for care of the land. 	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.	Conta	e contact details differ to those of the applicant, complete the below section: act person (and on, if applicable)							
		bany name blicable)							
	Posta addre	al / business ess							
	Phone	e (fixed line) Phone (mobile)							
	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 <i>or</i> 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	Total area of clearing proposed (hectares)	1.02									
	and/or										
	number of individual trees to be removed										
	Proposed method of clearing:										
	Clearing with use rubber wheeled machinery (backhoe) to removed vegetation with a raised blade, avoiding large trees, thickets and mulga groves. Vegetation cleared will be stockpiled separately and used for rehabilitation of tracks. Topsoil will be scraped from the top of sumps and stored separately and used for rehabilitation.										
	Purpose of clearing:										
1994 (Geographic latitude/longitude)	Drill pads for RC and diamond drilling										
Datum: GDA 1994 (Geocentric Datum of	Period within which clearing is proposed to be undertaken, e.g. May 2020 to June 2020 (taking note of the published assessment timeframes for DWER / DMIRS, as applicable)										
Australia 1994).	From 4/4/2021 to 30/12/202										
An ESRI shapefile must be provided if the application	Final land use:										
requires an assessment under an EPBC Act accredited process.											
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 would avoid or minimise the need for clearing been considered and applied?										
	If yes, provide details:										
	Drill pads have been designed proximal to existing fire break access track. Flora survey completed by AMP has identified Priority TEC/PEC's and flora species. Drilling has been designed to avoid and limit clearing disturbance where practicable. Established large trees and shrubs will be avoided when clearing.										
Refer to DWER's <u>Clearing of</u> <u>native vegetation offsets</u> <u>procedure guideline</u> available on the DWER website, and the Environmental Protection	Do you want to submit a clearing permit offset proposal with your application?							No			
	If yes, provide details, and complete and attach Appendix A of the <i>Clearing of native vegetation offsets procedure</i> guideline.										
Authority's (EPA) <u>WA</u> <u>Environmental Offsets Policy</u> <u>and Guidelines</u> on the EPA website for further information.											