

CLEARING PERMIT

Granted under section 51E of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

PERMIT DETAILS

Area Permit Number: 1008/1

File Number: 22266

Duration of Permit: From 5 February 2007 to 5 February 2012

PERMIT HOLDER

Mark Bruce & Dorothy Ruth Haggerty

LAND ON WHICH CLEARING IS TO BE DONE

LOT 2897 ON PLAN 81936 (ELGIN 6237)

AUTHORISED ACTIVITY

1 Clearing of up to 480 native trees within the area cross-hatched yellow on attached Plan 1008/1.

CONDITIONS

1 No clearing

The Permit holder shall not *clear* any *native vegetation* within the area cross-hatched red on attached Plan 1008/1.

2 Revegetation

- (a) The Permit Holder must revegetate the area cross-hatched red on Plan 1008/1 by deliberately planting or seeding native vegetation that will result in a similar species composition, structure and density of native vegetation to pre-clearing vegetation types in that area.
- (b) The revegetation species shall consist of local endemic species found within 10km of the proposed clearing.
- (c) The revegetation is to commence before July 2007 and be completed by August 2007 except for any reseeding required because of plant failure.
- (d) The Permit Holder must construct a *fence* enclosing the area cross-hatched red on Plan 1008/1. The fence shall be constructed and maintained so as to be adequate to exclude stock access. Construction of the fence shall be completed prior to undertaking revegetation.

3 Weed control

At least once in each 12 month period for the *term* of this Permit, the Permit Holder must remove or kill any *weeds* growing within areas *revegetated* under this Permit.

4 Definitions

The following meanings are given to terms used in this Permit:

clear has the meaning given to it in section 51A of the Environmental Protection Act 1986;

fence means a structure, that is permanently fixed to the ground, for controlling movement of persons or animals;

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native vegetation has the meaning given to it in sections 3 and 51A of the Environmental Protection Act 1986 and regulation 4 of the Environmental Protection (Clearing of Native Vegetation) Regulations 2004;

revegetation means the re-establishment of a cover of native vegetation in an area such that the species composition, structure and density is similar to pre-clearing vegetation types in that area, and can involve regeneration, direct seeding and/or planting;

term means the duration of this Permit, including as amended or renewed; and

weed means a species listed in Appendix 3 of the "Environmental Weed Strategy" published by the Department of Conservation and Land Management (1999), and plants declared under section 37 of the Agricultural and Related Resources Protection Act 1976.

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A/Director General

Officer delegated under Section 20 of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

5 January 2007