

# MEMORANDUM



## Albemarle Corporation

### Clearing Permit Referral: Picture Attachments

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Albemarle has identified specific locations along Arber Road in Wellesley, Western Australia, where overhead powerlines pose a risk to the safe transport of large modules to the Albemarle Kemerton Plant. To address this risk, Western Power is seeking to remove the overhead powerlines from these locations and replace them with underground powerlines at the Marriott Road/Arber Road intersection (Construction Area A) and at Lot 251 Arber Road (Construction Area B). The Western Power scope of work for SP049781 requires a Referral of proposed clearing. Although the construction works are not expected to require the clearing of native vegetation, it is possible that some individual plants may be damaged during the construction phase due to vehicle movements, the use of drill rigs and the removal of existing power lines and poles. Pictures have been provided below to outline the vegetation that could be damaged.

This document should be read in parallel with the Western power Scope of Work (Attachment 1 of the Clearing Referral) to inform of the locations referred to below. The numerical references relate to the numbers of assigned tasks on Page 1 of the Western Power Scope of Works. Reference is made to the location points shown on Page 2 of the Western Power Scope Construction Drawings.

#### Construction Area A

Almost all of Construction Area A has previously been cleared, however in Clearing Area 2 (Points E, F, G and H) there are some plants that may potentially be damaged. In Figure 1 below, the two pink markers indicate points E and F. Between these points there are several plants that may be incidentally damaged.







Figure 1: Vegetation within Clearing Area 2 at Construction Detail A (E to F)



## Construction Area B

Within Construction Area B, the majority of the area is already cleared, as it is situated on a pre-existing vehicle access track. However, there are two locations where the replacement and relocation of power poles may lead to the incidental damage to vegetation.

In Figure 2 below, works to remove and relocate pole S740403 may result in the damage or clearing of vegetation in close proximity. There are two individual plants located close to the pole that will likely be damaged.



Figure 2: Relocation of pole S740403 (currently 10m from J) in Construction Detail B (J to I)

In Figure 3, works to remove and replace pole S740404 may require the pruning of nearby vegetation. It is possible that there will be incidental damage to nearby vegetation.



Figure 3: Pole S740404 to be replaced in its current location (10 m from I) in Construction Detail B (I to J)

