

CLEARING REFERRAL DETERMINATION NOTICE

Referral details

Referral number:	REF 11254/1
Referral submitted by:	Lake MacLeod Pty Ltd
Purpose of proposed clearing:	The proposed clearing is intended to remove native vegetation that has re-grown on previously disturbed areas and earthen features, such as windrows, levees, and road verges which is required to commence mining within Gypsum Mining Block 23.
Location of proposed clearing:	Mining Lease 245SA (AML70/245)
Locality:	Shire of Carnarvon
Clearing size:	9 hectares
Expiration date:	14 October 2027

Referral determination

The Department of Mines, Petroleum and Exploration has considered the above referral and determined under section 51DA(3) of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (the EP Act) that a clearing permit **is not required** for the proposed clearing of native vegetation within the area cross-hatched pink on the attached map detailed in Schedule 1.

The reason for this determination is that the proposed clearing satisfies all of the criteria specified in section 51DA(4) of the EP Act.

Please note that this determination is valid only until the expiration date specified above.

Yours sincerely

Danielle Risbey

Danielle Risbey | General Manager Mine Closure and Environmental Services
Resource and Environmental Compliance Division
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Officer with delegated authority under Section 20
of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*

Schedule 1: Map



Figure 1: Map of the referral area within which clearing of native vegetation does not require a clearing permit.

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