



Government of Western Australia  
Department of Water and Environmental Regulation

Our ref: REF 11113/1  
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Dear Mr Campbell

### **CLEARING REFERRAL REF 11113/1 – PERMIT NOT REQUIRED**

I refer to the Shire of Northampton's referral submitted under section 51DA(2) of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (the EP Act), to clear 0.0079 hectares of native vegetation within Lot 202 on Plan 406609, Lot 500 on Plan 66575, Lot 11715 on Plan 216734, Anchorage Lane Road Reserve (PIN 1309904) and Kalbarry-Ajana Road Road Reserve (PIN 1309905), Kalbarri, for the purpose of installation of underground power. The Department of Water and Environmental Regulation (the department) received the referral on 6 June 2025 and assigned the reference REF 11113/1.

The department has assessed the referral against the criteria listed in section 51DA(4) of the EP Act and determined that a clearing permit **is not required** for the proposed clearing. Further information on the referral assessment criteria is available in the [Guideline: Native vegetation clearing referrals](#).

Please note, in accordance with section 51DA(7) of the EP Act, the department will publish the referral and the attached determination notice on its [website](#). The EP Act does not provide for an appeal process for referral decisions.

When undertaking the proposed clearing, please ensure that it is done in such a way that avoids and minimises the need for native vegetation clearing. To mitigate the impacts on the environment, the department recommends the Shire of Northampton implementing [weed](#) and [dieback](#) procedures developed by the Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions.

Please find attached in Schedule 1 of the clearing referral determination notice a digitised map of the area that the department has determined to be the subject of the referral. The above determination applies only to clearing done within the area shown in the map.

Please note that this determination does not absolve you from compliance with the requirements of other Commonwealth, State, or local government legislation.

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If you have any queries regarding the information in this letter, please contact the Environmental Officer identified above, quoting the referral reference number.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Meenu Vitarana', with a horizontal line extending from the end.

Meenu Vitarana  
MANAGER  
NATIVE VEGETATION REGULATION

*Officer delegated under section 20  
of the Environmental Protection Act 1986*

11 June 2025

**Attachments:**

Clearing referral determination notice – REF 11113/1