



Works Approval Number	W5172/2012/1
Works Approval Holder	API Management Pty Limited
ACN	112 677 595
File Number:	2012/002153-1
Premises	West Pilbara Iron Ore Project (WPIOP) Stage 1 Putrescible Landfill Mining Tenement L08/60 within the coordinates 7548057N, 417188E, 7547991N, 417299E, 7547459N, 417108E 7547571N, 416816E CANE WA 6710
Date of Amendment	7 December 2018

Amendment

The Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Department of Water and Environmental Regulation (DWER) has amended the above Works Approval in accordance with section 59 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (EP Act), as set out in this Amendment Notice. This Amendment Notice constitutes written notice of the amendment in accordance with section 59B(9) of the EP Act.

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an officer delegated under section 20 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (WA).

Amendment Notice

This amendment is made pursuant to section 59 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (EP Act) to amend the Works Approval issued under the EP Act for a prescribed premises as set out below. This notice of amendment is given under section 59B(9) of the EP Act.

This notice is limited only to an amendment to extend the expiry date of the Works Approval. No changes to the aspects of the original works approval relating to Category 89 have been requested by the Works Approval Holder.

The following guidance statements have informed the decision made on this amendment:

- *Guidance Statement: Regulatory Principles* (July 2015)
- *Guidance Statement: Setting Conditions* (October 2015)
- *Guidance Statement: Land Use Planning* (February 2017)
- *Guidance Statement: Licence Duration* (August 2016)
- *Guidance Statement: Decision Making* (February 2017)
- *Guidance Statement: Risk Assessment* (February 2017)
- *Guidance Statement: Environmental Siting* (November 2016)

Amendment description

The current Works Approval is due to expire on 31 December 2018. Construction of the putrescible landfill will not be achieved before expiry due to unexpected delays brought about by the downturn in the mining economy.

The Works Approval Holder lodged an application to amend the Works Approval on 27 October 2018 requesting to extend the expiry date from 31 December 2018 until 31 December 2020.

Amendment history

Table 2 provides the amendment history for W5172/2012/1.

Table 1: Works approval amendments

Instrument	Issued	Amendment
W5172/2012/1	11/06/2012	Works Approval granted
W5172/2012/1	02/08/2012	Works Approval amended to include Phase 1 for 5 trenches and Phase 2 for 42 trenches during staged construction
W5172/2012/1	04/06/2015	Works Approval amended to extend expiry date until 31/12/2016
W5172/2012/1	15/12/2016	Amendment Notice 1 to extend expiry date until 31/12/2018
W5172/2012/1	7/12/2018	Amendment Notice 2 to extend expiry date until 31/12/2020

Decision

The Delegated Officer notes that the extension of the expiry date for the Works Approval is not expected to impact on the risk profile of the premises as construction works for the putrescible landfill will be consistent with the current Works Approval W5172/2012/1.

The Delegated Officer has granted Amendment Notice 2 to accommodate the requested extension to the expiry date until 31 December 2020.

Works Approval Holder's comments

The Works Approval Holder was provided with the draft Amendment Notice on 27 November 2018. The Works Approval Holder responded on 29 November 2018 advising that they are happy with the amendment and wish to waive the 21 day consultation period allowing the Works Approval to be expedited.

Amendment

1. The licence duration has been extended from *Monday, 31 December 2018* to *Thursday, 31 December 2020*.

Appendix 1: Key documents

	Document title	In text ref	Availability
1	Works Approval W5172/2012/1 - West Pilbara Iron Ore Project (WPIOP) Stage 1 Putrescible Landfill	W5172/2012/1	accessed at www.dwer.wa.gov.au
2	Amendment Notice 1 – West Pilbara Iron Ore Project (WPIOP) Stage 1 Putrescible Landfill	W5172/2012/1	accessed at www.dwer.wa.gov.au
3	DER, July 2015. <i>Guidance Statement: Regulatory Principles</i> . Department of Environment Regulation, Perth.	DER 2015a	accessed at www.dwer.wa.gov.au
4	DER, October 2015. <i>Guidance Statement: Setting Conditions</i> . Department of Environment Regulation, Perth.	DER 2015b	
5	DER, August 2016. <i>Guidance Statement: Licence Duration</i> . Department of Environment Regulation, Perth.	DER 2016a	
6	DER, November 2016. <i>Guidance Statement: Risk Assessments</i> . Department of Environment Regulation, Perth.	DER 2016b	
7	DER, November 2016. <i>Guidance Statement: Decision Making</i> . Department of Environment Regulation, Perth.	DER 2016c	