

Amendment Report

Department initiated Amendment

Part V Division 3 of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

Licence Number L6593/1995/8

Licence Holder Kemerton Silica Sand Pty Ltd

ACN 067 603 552

File Number APP-0027039

Kemerton Silica Sand Mine

Premises Rhodes Road

WOKALUP WA 6221

Legal description -

Lot 250 on Plan 405458

As defined by the Premises maps attached to the Revised

Licence

Date of Report 17 March 2025

Decision Revised licence granted

A/MANAGER, RESOURCE INDUSTRIES **INDUSTRY REGULATION (STATEWIDE DELIVERY)**

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

1. Decision summary

The Delegated Officer has determined to make amendments to Licence L6593/1995/8. The amendments are administrative in nature therefore they do not alter the risk profile of the Premises, providing that activities, emissions and receptors as stated in existing approvals remain unchanged.

This Amendment Report documents the amendments made pursuant to section 59 and 59(B) of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (EP Act).

The Decision Report for the existing licence will remain on the department's website for future reference and will act as a record of the department's decision making.

1.1 Regulatory framework

In amending the licence, the department has considered and given due regard to its Regulatory Framework and relevant policy documents which are available at https://dwer.wa.gov.au/regulatory-documents.

1.2 Amendment summary

Licence L6593/1995/8 is held by Kemerton Silica Sand Pty Ltd (Licence Holder) for the Kemerton Silica Sands Mine (the Premises), located within Lot 250 on Plan 405458.

The Premises relates to the category and the assessed production capacity under Schedule 1 of the *Environmental Protection Regulations 1987* (EP Regulations) which is defined in the existing licence L6593/1995/8.

In July 2020, the Government announced a package of regulatory reforms to streamline approval processes and to aid economic recovery post COVID-19. With these reforms, the CEO implemented an administrative renewal process to fast-track the renewals for licences determined to be lower risk.

This work has reduced timeframes of assessments however, the CEO has proposed to streamline the process further. Where identified as being appropriate to action, the department is extending the duration of licences that are due to expire up to 30 June 2026. This licence has been identified as a licence suitable to process as an administrative extension to the licence duration.

On 8 January 2025, the department initiated an amendment to licence L6593/1995/8. The amendment is limited to extending the licence expiry date by five years. No reassessment of risk has been undertaken at this time.

2. Consultation

The Licence Holder was provided with the draft Amendment Report on 14 February 2025. No comments were received from the Licence Holder.

3. Summary of amendments

Table 1 below provides a summary of the proposed amendments and will act as a record of implemented changes. All proposed changes have been incorporated into the revised licence as part of the amendment process.

Licence: L6593/1995/8

Table 1: Summary of licence amendments

Condition no.	Proposed amendments
Duration	Extended by an additional five years to 20 March 2030.

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