



Application for Licence Amendment

Part V Division 3 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*

Licence Number	L9092/2017/2
Licence Holder	Water Corporation
File Number	DER2017/001571-1
Premises	Wiluna Wastewater Treatment Plant Forrest Street WILUNA WA 6646 Legal description – Lot 510 on Deposited Plan 54565 Certificate of Title Volume 3158 Folio 751 As defined by the coordinates in Schedule 2 of the Revised Licence
Date of Report	23 August 2023
Decision	Revised licence granted

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1. Decision summary

Licence L9092/2017/2 is held by the Water Corporation (Licence Holder) for the Wiluna Wastewater Treatment Plant (the Premises), located at Forrest Street, Wiluna WA.

The Delegated Officer has determined to make amendments to Licence L9092/2017/2. The amendments outlined within this amendment report do not alter the risk profile of the Premises. As a result of this assessment, Revised Licence L9092/2017/2 has been granted.

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

The Revised Licence issued as a result of this amendment consolidates and supersedes the existing Licence previously granted in relation to the Premises. The Revised Licence has been granted in a new format with existing conditions being transferred, but not reassessed, to the new format.

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.

2. Scope of assessment

2.1 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>.

2.2 Application summary

On 30 June 2023, the Licence Holder submitted an application to the department to amend Licence L9092/2017/2 under section 59 and 59B of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (EP Act). The amendment is limited only to altering the due date for the annual audit compliance report, to be 1 October annually.

No changes to the aspects of the Existing Licence relating to Category 61 have been requested by the Licence Holder. Table 1 below outlines the current approved production/design capacity for the Premises.

Table 1: Approved design capacity

Category	Approved design capacity
Category 61 Liquid waste facility: premises on which liquid waste produced on other premises (other than sewerage waste) is stored, reprocessed, treated or irrigated.	2,000 tonnes per annual period

3. Consultation

The Licence Holder was provided with the draft Amendment Report on 21 August 2023. Comments received from the Licence Holder on 22 August 2023 have been considered by the Delegated Officer as detailed in Appendix 1.

4. Conclusion

Based on the assessment in this Amendment Report, the Delegated Officer has determined that a Revised Licence will be granted, subject to conditions commensurate with the determined controls and necessary for administration and reporting requirements.

4.1 Summary of amendments

Table 2 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.

Table 2: Summary of licence amendments

Condition no.	Proposed amendments
Cover page	Removed ABN Added 'John Tonkin Water Centre' to Registered business address Updated Schedule reference in Premises details to align with current Licence template format
History	Updated history of the licence to include this amendment
Condition 1	Removed reference to corresponding infrastructure location given not included in Table 1
Condition 6(b)	Condition reworded and updated to change the AACR reporting submission date to 1 October as requested by the Licence Holder
Table 4: Definitions	Removed 'ABN' Added 'approved form', 'books', 'condition', 'discharge', 'emission', 'prescribed premises' and 'waste' to align with current Licence template format Updated 'annual period' definition to 1 July to 30 June as requested by the Licence Holder Updated 'premises' definition to align with current Licence template format
Schedule 2	Added zone information into Table 5

References

1. Department of Environment Regulation (DER) 2015, Guidance Statement: Setting Conditions, Perth, Western Australia.
2. Department of Water and Environmental Regulation (DWER) 2020, Guideline: Environmental Siting, Perth, Western Australia.
3. DWER 2020, Guideline: Risk Assessments, Perth, Western Australia.

Appendix 1: Summary of Licence Holder's comments on draft amendment

Condition	Summary of Licence Holder's comment	Department's response
Cover page	Water Corporation requested to remove the Australian Company Number (ACN) from licence.	Delegated officer agreed to remove the ACN from licence.