# **Decision Report**

## **Application for a Transfer of Works Approval**

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

Works Approval Number W6214/2019/1

**Applicant** Australian Garnet Pty Ltd

**ACN** 646 741 157

File Number DER2018/001613

**Premises** Balline Garnet Mine

George Grey Drive

YALLABATHARRA WA 6535

Legal description -

Tenements M70/1280, G70/253 & L70/134 within Lot 1 on Diagram 91564, Lot 300 on Plan 60565 & Lot 1431 on Plan

251608

As defined by the Premises maps attached to the issued

works approval

Date of Report 29 April 2021

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# A/SENIOR ENVIRONMENTAL OFFICER - RESOURCE INDUSTRIES REGULATORY SERVICES

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

## 1. Transfer Description

### 1.1 Regulatory framework

In completing the assessment documented in this Decision Report, the department has considered and given due regard to its Regulatory Framework and relevant policy documents which are available at <a href="https://dwer.wa.gov.au/regulatory-documents">https://dwer.wa.gov.au/regulatory-documents</a>.

### 1.2 Application summary

Works Approval W6214/2019/1 is currently held by Australian Garnet Pty Ltd (ACN: 121 051 965) for the construction of infrastructure and equipment at the Balline Garnet Mine. The Works Approval is for category 8: Mineral sands mining or processing and has an approved production capacity of 8,400,000 tonnes per annum.

On 27 January 2021, Australian Garnet Resources Pty Ltd acquired 100% of the tenements of the Balline Garnet Mine following an asset sale agreement. A change of business name occurred on 11 February 2021 to Australian Garnet Pty Ltd, which is the same name as the current works approval occupier, but different ACN: (646 741 157).

On 10 March 2021, Australian Garnet Pty Ltd (the applicant) submitted an application to the department to transfer the Works Approval with the new ACN and updated registered business address.

#### 2. Decision

Following a review of the asset sale agreement and ASIC business registration details, the Delegated Officer has determined to grant the transfer of works approval W6214/2019/1. The transfer is administrative in nature and therefore does not alter the risk profile of the Premises, providing that activities, emissions and receptors as stated in the existing approval remain unchanged.