



Department initiated Amendment

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

Works Approval Number	W6834/2023/1
Works Approval Holder	Dampier (Plutonic) Pty Ltd
ACN	131 670 963
File Number	DER2023/000508
Premises	Marymia Gold Project – Trident Project Mining Tenements M52/217 and M52/218 MEEKATHARRA WA 6642 As defined by the Premises map attached to the Revised Works Approval
Date of Report	22 January 2025 (FINAL)
Decision	Revised works approval granted

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1. Decision summary

The Delegated Officer has determined to make amendments to Works Approval W6834/2023/1 to give effect to the Minister's appeal determination (appeal 028 of 2024) for Conditions 1 and 6 relating to dewatering infrastructure controls; and a typographical error in Condition 18(d). The amendments are administrative in nature therefore they do not alter the risk profile of the Premises.

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 works approval 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 works approval, 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 Amendment summary

Works Approval W6834/2023/1 is held by Dampier (Plutonic) Pty Ltd (works approval holder) for the Marymia Gold Project – Trident Project (the Premises), located at Mining Tenements M52/217 and M52/218, Meekatharra.

The Premises relates to category 6 and the assessed design capacity under Schedule 1 of the *Environmental Protection Regulations 1987* (EP Regulations) which are defined in existing Works Approval W6834/2023/1.

On 13 January 2025, the department initiated an amendment to Works Approval W6834/2023/1. The amendment is to give effect to the Minister's appeal determination (appeal 028 of 2024). The changes are to the following effect:

- Condition 1 to be amended to require the works approval holder to install the dewatering pipeline within a spill containment V notch bund within the current disturbed road access between Trident and Mareast Pit. The bund should be at least 30 cm in height and thickness and must be graded such that any spill is gravity fed back into containment area.
- Condition 6 to be amended to require the works approval holder to ensure that pipeline telemetry installed in accordance with condition 1 is maintained and monitoring for leak detection is undertake.
- Typographical error in condition 18(d) should be rectified.

The department notes that condition 18(d) was corrected during the transfer application granted 10 September 2024.

3. Consultation

The works approval holder was provided with the draft Amendment Report on 20 January 2025. On 20 January 2025 the works approval holder waived the comment period.

4. Conclusion

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

4.1 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 works approval as part of the amendment process.

Table 1: Summary of works approval amendments

Condition no.	Proposed amendments
1 - Table 1- item 3 Dewatering pipeline	Requirement for the dewatering pipeline to be installed within a V notch bund included. Height, thickness and grading requirements for the bund included.
6 - Table 2 - item 3 Dewatering pipeline	Operational requirement for the pipeline telemetry system to be maintained and monitored included.

References

1. Department of Environment Regulation (DWER) December 2024, *Appeals Convenor's Report to the Minister for Environment - Appeal against the conditions of works approval W6834/2023/1, Marymia Gold Project.*
2. Office of the Appeals Convenor January 2025, Minister's Appeal Determination – *Appeal against conditions of Works Approval W6834/2023/1, Marymia Gold Project.*