



Application for Works Approval Amendment

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

Works Approval Number	W6928/2024/1
Works Approval Holder	Pilbara Iron Company (Services) Pty Ltd
ACN	107 210 248
Application Number	APP-0033372
Internal Number	INS-0002757
Premises	Dampier Wastewater Treatment Plant 21 The Esplanade Dampier WA 6713 Legal description – Lot 362 on Deposited Plan 14280 As defined by the premises map attached to the issued works approval
Date of Report	4 March 2026
Decision	Revised works approval granted

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1. Decision summary

The Delegated Officer has determined to make amendments to Works Approval W6928/2024/1. 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 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 Application summary

Works Approval W6928/2024/1 is held by Pilbara Iron Company (Services) Pty Ltd (works approval holder) for the Dampier Wastewater Treatment Plant (the premises), located at 21 The Esplanade, Dampier.

The premises relates to the category and the assessed design capacity under Schedule 1 of the *Environmental Protection Regulations 1987* (EP Regulations) which are defined in existing Works Approval W6928/2024/1.

On 22 January 2026, the works approval holder submitted an application to the department to amend Works Approval W6928/2024/1 under section 59B of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (EP Act). The amendment application requests a variation to Condition 5(a) to extend the approved time limited operations (TLO) period. The purpose of the extension is to align the TLO expiry with the renewal date of Licence L6755/1996/9 for the premises on 5 June 2026.

Time limited operations commenced on 2 October 2025 and are currently restricted to 180 days, ending on 31 March 2026. The works approval holder is seeking to extend the TLO to 5 June 2026, increasing the total TLO duration to 246 days.

The requested extension is intended to maintain continuity of authorised operations while the department completes its assessment of the licence renewal, including incorporation of the infrastructure approved under W6928/2024/1.

No changes are proposed to the infrastructure, emissions, discharge points, operational capacity, monitoring requirements, or environmental controls. Operations during the extended TLO period will continue in accordance with the existing conditions of Works Approval W6928/2024/1 and Licence L6755/1996/9.

3. Consultation

The works approval holder was provided with the draft Amendment Report on 23 February 2026. On 3 March 2026 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
Instrument history	Correction of error. Works Approval number W5475/2014/1 in the third row should be W6928/2024/1.
Condition 5(a)	Extend time limited operations from 180 days to 246 days.