

# Government of Western Australia Department of Water and Environmental Regulation

# **Annual Audit Compliance Report Form**

Environmental Protection Act 1986, Part V Division 3

Once completed, please submit this form either via email to <a href="mailto:info@dwer.wa.gov.au">info@dwer.wa.gov.au</a>, or to the below postal address:

Department of Water and Environmental Regulation Locked Bag 10 Joondalup DC WA 6919

Section A – Licence details						
Licence number:	L9000/2016/1 Licence file number: DER2016/001956					
Licence holder name:	Gruyere Management Pty Limited					
Trading as:	Gruyere Management Pty Limited					
ACN:	615 728 795					
Registered business address:	Level 4, 235 ST Georges Terrace PERTH WA 6000					
Reporting period:	01/07/2020 <b>to</b> 30/06/2021					

Section B – Statement of compliance with licence conditions				
Did you comply with all of your licence conditions during the reporting period? (please tick the appropriate box)				
<ul> <li>Yes − please complete:</li> <li>section C;</li> <li>section D (if required); and</li> <li>sign the declaration in Section F.</li> </ul>				
<ul> <li>No – please complete:</li> <li>section C;</li> <li>section D (if required);</li> <li>section E; and</li> <li>sign the declaration in Section E</li> </ul>				

Section C – Statement of actual production						
Provide the actual production quantity for this reporting period. Supporting documentation is to be attached.						
Prescribed premises category Actual production quantity						
Category 5 - Processing or beneficiation of metallic or non-metallic ore	8,096,695 (dry) tonnes					
Category 12 - Screening etc. of material	39,193 tonnes					
Category 73 - Bulk storage of chemicals etc.	<ul> <li>Diesel storage tanks 6 x 110 kL (~600 m³ total capacity)</li> <li>Oil storage 7 x 10 kL (~60 m³ total capacity)</li> <li>hydrochloric acid (70 m³);</li> <li>sodium cyanide (734 m³); and</li> <li>sodium hydroxide (30 m³).</li> <li>~1,494m³ total</li> </ul>					

Section D – Statement of actual Part 2 waste discharge quantity				
Provide the actual Part 2 waste discharge quantity for this reporting period. Supporting documentation is to be attached.				
Prescribed premises category Actual Part 2 waste discharge quantity				
Category 54 - Sewage facility	79.69 m³/day (average) - (72.66 plant WWTP) - (7.03 village WWTP)  29,087 m³ (total volume)			
Category 64 - Class II putrescible landfill site 622.94 tonnes				

### Section E – Details of non-compliance with licence condition

Please use a separate page for each condition with which the licence holder was non-compliant at a time during the reporting period.

Condition no:	3 (Table 5, Item 7 and 8)	12ta(s)	21/09/2020, 13/12/2020 9/11/2020, 24/01/2021, 14/02/2021, 21/02/2021
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#### Details of non-compliance:

During the reporting period there were various exceedances of the Emission Standards across the Waste Water Treatment Plant monitoring (see red in the results below). Quarterly monitoring was undertaken as per the Licence but the monitoring frequency was increased during the reporting period.

#### Miners accommodation village WWTP

Date	Biochemical Oxygen Demand	Total Suspended Solids	Total Nitrogen	Total Phosphoru s	Turbidity	Free chlorine	рН	E.coli
Emission Standard	<20 mg/L	<30 mg/L	<40 mg/L	<5 mg/L	<5 NTU	0.2-2 mg/L	6.5- 8.5	<10 cfu/100 mL
21/09/2020	<5	160	45	5.2	85	1	8.3	<100
13/12/2020	26	16	23	2.6	32	0.2	7.8	<10
14/02/2021	<5	<5	22	0.17	0.9	0.4	8.2	<1
21/02/2021	<5	43	11	1.8	17	2.0	8.2	<1
1/03/2021	<5	16	14	0.74	5.2	0.3	8.2	<1
7/03/2021	6	9	7.6	0.41	2.6	1.3	8.2	<1
21/03/2021	6	11	8.7	0.47	3.6	-	8.2	-
28/03/2021	<5	13	7.3	0.56	4.5	0.6	8.1	<1
11/04/2021	<5	11	9.6	0.46	2.3	0.5	8.1	<1

#### **Process Plant WWTP**

Date	Biochemical Oxygen Demand	Total Suspended Solids	Total Nitrogen	Total Phosphorus	Turbidity	Free chlorine	рН	E.coli
Emission Standard	<20 mg/L	<10 mg/L	<30 mg/L	<5 mg/L	<5 NTU	0.2-2 mg/L	6.5- 8.5	<10 cfu/100 mL
21/09/2020	<5	30	54	0.73	12	1.7	8	<10
25/10/2020	8	7	21	0.08	0.7	0.9	8.2	<1
9/11/2020	6	<5	26	0.09	0.7	2.9	7.5	<1
15/11/2020	<5	<5	21	0.08	0.7	0.8	8.3	<1
24/01/2021	<5	<5	38	0.25	1.0	2.2	8.1	<1
14/02/2021	<5	120	7.9	2.6	21	0.6	8.1	2
21/02/2021	<5	<5	15	0.1	1	2.2	8.2	<1
1/03/2021	<5	<5	25	0.23	1.2	0.1	8.0	<1
7/03/2021	6	<5	27	0.16	1.5	1.4	8.1	<1
21/03/2021	<5	<5	27	<0.02	<0.5	-	7.9	-
28/03/2021	6	<5	1	0.45	<0.5	1.6	8.1	<1
11/04/2021	<5	<5	22	0.04	<0.5	0.4	7.9	<1

Section E – Details of non-compliance with	th licence condition				
What was the actual (or suspected) environment	al impact of the non-compliance?				
NOTE – please attach maps or diagrams to provide insight into the precise location of where the non-compliance took place.					
No actual or suspected environmental impact.					
Cause (or suspected cause) of non-compliance:					
This non-compliance was also recorded in the Diperiod. The exceedances continued on from sim reporting period and were likely caused by fluctu	llar exceedances identified from the previous				
Action taken to mitigate any adverse effects of non-compliance:	·				
The frequency of monitoring was increased and trending towards compliance. The two latest quademonstrate compliance with the licence limits.					
This improvement is a result of work undertaken with the WWTP vendor to improve maintenance and to better accommodate influent fluctuations.					
Was this non-compliance previously reported to	DWER?				
☐ Yes, and					
☐ Reported to DWER verbally	Date: / /				
☐ Reported to DWER in writing	Date: / /				

Section E – Details of non-compliance with licence condition					
Please use a separate page for each condition with which the licence holder was non-compliant at a time during the reporting period.					
Condition no:	13	Date(s) of non- compliance:	January 2021 onwards		
Details of non-com	pliance:				
	nces and partial compliances nent Program (as outlined in				
See Table 3-7 of the Program.	e attached AER for the comp	liance assessment ag	ainst the Improvement		
What was the actua	al (or suspected) environmen	tal impact of the non-c	ompliance?		
NOTE – please attac compliance took place	h maps or diagrams to provide i e.	nsight into the precise lo	cation of where the non-		
No actual or suspe	cted environmental impact				
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Variations to the Improvement Program were done intentionally in the interest of practicability and in the interest of enabling short, medium and long term improvements in relation to TSF seepage. The variations were done in consultation with consulting hydrogeologist.					
Action taken to miti non-compliance:	gate any adverse effects of n	on-compliance and pr	event recurrence of the		
Minor variations to the improvement program are likely to continue in the interest of practicability and in the interest of enabling short, medium and long term improvements in relation to TSF seepage.					
Any future variations will be undertaken on advice with the consultants working on the implementation of the Improvement Program and all variations will be documented in the various seepage recovery management plans and reports to be submitted to DWER as required by the Improvement Program.					
DWER will be consulted should any significant variations to Improvement Program be required.					
Was this non-compliance previously reported to DWER?					
Yes, and					
☐ Reported to	DWER verbally	Date: / /			
Reported to	DWER in writing	Date: / /			

# Section F - Declaration

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> It is an offence under section 112 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* for a person to give information on this form that to their knowledge is false or misleading in a material particular.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> AACRs can only be signed by the licence holder or an authorised person with the legal authority to sign on behalf of the licence holder.