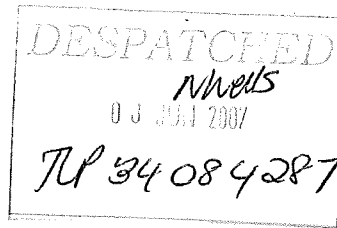


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**Standard Environmental Authority (mining activities)**

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**Details**

| Permit Holder(s) | Name                                | Address                              |
|------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Principal Holder | Australian Finegrain Marble Pty Ltd | 37 Gravel Pit Road<br>DARRA QLD 4076 |

| Activity(s)                                   | Activity Location(s)                                                                                                                        | Estate |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Conversion of a transitional mining authority | ML20221<br>ML20294<br>ML20323<br>ML20337<br>ML20338<br>ML20351<br>ML20352<br>ML20361<br>ML20498<br>ML20501<br>ML20506<br>ML20507<br>ML20508 |        |

**Conditions of Approval**

**Permit details:**

**Authorised Mining Tenements**

| Tenure Type | Tenure Number |
|-------------|---------------|
| ML          | 20221         |
| ML          | 20294         |
| ML          | 20323         |
| ML          | 20337         |
| ML          | 20338         |
| ML          | 20351         |
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**Agency interest:** Biodiversity

- B1 The species *Macropteranthes montana* locally known as "Bonewood" has been identified on ML20507. Advice should be sought from the Threatened Species Unit of EPA (PH: 07 3225 1295) prior to the commencement of mining activities on ML20507 to minimise the potential for impact on *Macropteranthes montana* (Bonewood) vegetation.

**Agency interest:** General

- G1 The conditions of this environmental authority are in force until a surrender of the authority is accepted pursuant to the Environmental Protection Act 1994. The conditions apply unless an amendment is approved pursuant to the Environmental Protection Act 1994.
- G2 The environmental authority does not take effect until the grant of the tenure to the environmental authority holder, or until each environmental authority holder has become a holder, under the Mineral Resources Act 1989, of each of relevant mining tenements.
- G3 Financial assurance
- The environmental authority holder is to give the administering authority a financial assurance in the amount and form and at a time required by the administering authority.
- G4 The environmental authority holder must comply with each of the Standard Environmental Conditions contained in the Code of Environmental Compliance for [Mining Lease Projects].

**Agency interest:** Heritage

- H1 Notwithstanding Condition 15 of the Code of Environmental Compliance for Mining Lease Projects, the environmental authority holder is authorised to carry out mining activities within 100m but not within 25m of an identified Historical, Archaeological or Ethnographic, providing no environmental harm occurs.
- H2 Notwithstanding Condition 14 of the Code of Environmental Compliance for Mining Lease Projects, the environmental authority holder is authorised to carry out mining activities within 2km but not within 30m of a Category A Environmentally Sensitive Area (The Chillagoe-Mungana Caves National Park & Dome Rock National Park), providing no environmental harm occurs.

Important Notes: The relevant Code of Environmental Compliance for Mining Lease Projects imposes certain restrictions on mining activities within or adjacent to Category A, B or C environmentally sensitive areas, watercourses, wetlands and lakes. Such areas have been identified within or adjacent to tenures listed on the Environmental Authority. Please ensure that the relevant provisions of the Code are complied with.

**Agency interest:** Impacts on surrounds

- I1 The use of explosives is not permitted on the relevant mining leases.
- I2 Mining activities are not permitted on bluff areas or karst outcrops exceeding 6 metres in height.

**Agency interest:** Water

- WA1 If groundwater is encountered in a pit as a result of the marble mining process, mining in that pit is to cease immediately and dewatering is not to take place.

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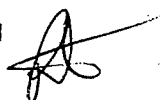
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Signed



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