



Department of
**Environment and
Heritage Protection**

04-APR-2013

To: Avon Henderson and Saifur Rahman
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Attention: Avon Henderson

Cc: The Mining Registrar
Department of Natural Resources and Mines
PO Box 230
Winton QLD 4735

Your reference: EPVL00915413
Our reference: 340826

Application details

I refer to the application that was received by the administering authority on 19-MAR-2013.

Land description: ML95616.

Decision

Your application has been approved and your environmental authority (reference EPVL00915413) is attached.

Should you have any further enquiries, please contact Shari Sievers on telephone number 1300 130 372, option 4.

Yours sincerely

Signature

5/4/13

Date

Anthony Schmid
Department of Environment and Heritage Protection
Delegate of the administering authority
Environmental Protection Act 1994

Enclosed

Permit - environmental authority (reference EPVL00915413)

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Permit¹

Environmental Protection Act 1994

Environmental authority

This environmental authority is issued by the administering authority under Chapter 5 of the Environmental Protection Act 1994.

Permit¹ number: EPVL00915413

Environmental authority takes effect on 04-APR-2013.

Environmental authority holder(s)

Name	Registered address
Avon Henderson	26 Boobiella St YOWAH QLD 4490
Saifur Rahman	8 Basham Street FRANKLIN ACT 2913

Environmentally relevant activity and location details

Environmentally relevant activity(ies)	Location(s)
Mining - ML other	ML95616

Additional information for applicants

Environmentally relevant activities

The description of any environmentally relevant activity (ERA) for which an environmental authority is issued is a restatement of the ERA as defined by legislation at the time the approval is issued. Where there is any inconsistency between that description of an ERA and the conditions stated by an environmental authority as to the scale, intensity or manner of carrying out an ERA, then the conditions prevail to the extent of the inconsistency.

An environmental authority authorises the carrying out of an ERA and does not authorise any environmental harm unless a condition stated by the authority specifically authorises environmental harm.

A person carrying out an ERA must also be a registered suitable operator under the *Environmental Protection Act 1994* (EP Act).

Contaminated land

It is a requirement of the EP Act that if an owner or occupier of land becomes aware a notifiable activity (as defined in Schedule 3 and Schedule 4) is being carried out on the land, or that the land has been, or is being,

¹ Permit includes licences, approvals, permits, authorisations, certificates, sanctions or equivalent/similar as required by legislation



contaminated by a hazardous contaminant, the owner or occupier must, within 22 business days after becoming so aware, give written notice to the chief executive.



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Obligations under the *Environmental Protection Act 1994*

In addition to the requirements found in the conditions of this environmental authority, the holder must also meet their obligations under the EP Act, and the regulations made under the EP Act. For example, the holder must comply with the following provisions of the Act:

- general environmental duty (section 319)
- duty to notify environmental harm (section 320-320G)
- offence of causing serious or material environmental harm (sections 437-439)
- offence of causing environmental nuisance (section 440)
- offence of depositing prescribed water contaminants in waters and related matters (section 440ZG)
- offence to place contaminant where environmental harm or nuisance may be caused (section 443)

Conditions of environmental authority

Additional Conditions

General

- A1** Provide a financial assurance in the amount and form required by the administering authority prior to the commencement of activities proposed under this environmental authority.
- A2** The financial assurance is to remain in force until the administering authority is satisfied that no claim on the assurance is likely.

Note: Where progressive rehabilitation is completed and acceptable to the administering authority, progressive reductions to the amount of financial assurance will be applicable where rehabilitation has been completed in accordance with the acceptance criteria defined within this environmental authority.

- A3** The conditions of this environmental authority are in force until a surrender or 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*.
- A4** The environmental authority holder must develop and implement during the continuation of this authority, a program to ensure that all employees and contractors on site are aware of and comply with the relevant requirements for this authority.

- A5** The environmental authority holder must comply with each of the Standard Environmental Conditions contained in the *Code of Environmental Compliance for Mining Claims and Prospecting Permits*.
- A6** If there is any inconsistency between a standard environmental condition referred to in **A5** and an additional condition in this environmental authority, the additional condition prevails to the extent of any inconsistency.
- A7** Words and phrases used throughout this environmental authority are defined in the Definitions section of this authority. Where a definition for a term used in this environmental authority is sought and the term is not defined within this environmental authority, the definitions in the *Code of Environmental Compliance for Mining Claims and Prospecting Permits* and the definitions in the *Environmental Protection Act 1994*, its regulations and policies must be used.

Rehabilitation

- B1** All outstanding rehabilitation on mining tenures MC4575 and MC4576 must be rehabilitated in accordance with this Environmental Authority.
- B2** All outstanding rehabilitation on mining tenures ML95078 previously approved under Environmental Authority MIC200852208 must be rehabilitated in accordance with this Environmental Authority.

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