

Notice

Environmental Protection Act 1994

Notice of decision - Temporary emissions licence

This statutory notice is issued by the administering authority pursuant to section 357E of the Environmental Protection Act 1994, to advise you of a decision or action.

To: Wilmar Sugar Pty Ltd
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Attention: Damien Kelly

Your reference: EPPR00714713
Our reference: ENEL07568419

Application for temporary emissions licence (TEL) for release of water held in ponds associated with the Proserpine Sugar Mill to land and water.

Thank you for your application for a temporary emissions licence. Your application, which was received by this office on 15 February 2019 has been granted as submitted.

This temporary emissions licence commences on 15 February 2019 and ends on 15 May 2019.

The licence permits the following emission:

The release of water held in ponds to land and water (Lagoon Creek) during the TEL period, for volumes which are reasonably required to be released to maintain structural integrity of ponds.

The licence overrides the following conditions of your environmental authority, approval number EPPR00714713:

Condition D1 - Any releases of liquid effluent to land must be in accordance with the procedures outlined in the IEMS.

The following conditions apply to this licence:

1. Water held in the Proserpine Mill effluent ponds may only be released to land via irrigation:
 - a. in accordance with the procedures outlined in the IEMS; or
 - b. as a measure to maintain structural integrity of effluent ponds.
2. Water held in ponds may only be released to waters via runoff from irrigation permitted under condition 1(b).
3. Appropriate monitoring of water held in ponds and Lagoon Creek must be undertaken prior to the releases under Condition 1(b) of the TEL and weekly thereafter.

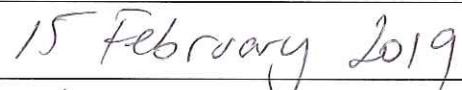
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4. The Department of Environment and Science (the department) must be notified within 6 hours of cessation of releases under Condition 1(b) of the TEL. The notification must be to the **Pollution Hotline** via phone on **1300 130 372** or email pollutionhotline@des.qld.gov.au.
5. The department must be immediately notified of any incident, or environmental impact from the release, that was not foreseen when making the application for this TEL.
6. All reasonable and practicable measures must be taken to prevent or minimise environmental harm caused as a result of this TEL.
7. All records must be kept for a period of at least five years and provided to the administering authority upon request.
8. Notwithstanding any condition of this TEL, if the release of pond water causes adverse impact on an environmental value of the receiving environment, the holder of this TEL must take appropriate action/s to remedy the situation.

Should you have any queries in relation to this notice, please contact Amelia Sellars on telephone 07 3330 5591.



Signature



Date

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