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Referral of proposed clearing (section 51DA of the EP Act)

Genesis Minerals is proposing to clear up to five (5) trees within a 0.4 ha envelope on Road Reserve 1249774 to facilitate construction of an apron off the Goldfields Highway, providing access to the Leonora Intermodal Facility. Consent to impact the Road Reserve has been provided by Main Roads Western Australia (MRWA).

Based on the environmental information currently available for the proposal area, including previous vegetation and environmental surveys, the proposed clearing appears unlikely to trigger any of the referral criteria outlined in the Native Vegetation Clearing Referrals Guideline. The disturbance is relatively small in scale and is located adjacent to an existing authorised clearing area (CPS 11256/1).

The available survey information has not identified any conservation-significant ecological values within the proposed clearing footprint. Furthermore, no impacts to wetlands, watercourses, riparian vegetation, threatened ecological communities, or other environmentally sensitive features have been identified. Given the limited extent of the proposed clearing and the nature of the surrounding land use, the potential for significant direct, indirect, or cumulative environmental impacts is considered low.

On this basis, Genesis Minerals considers that the proposed clearing is unlikely to result in a significant residual environmental impact and, based on the information currently available, does not appear to meet the threshold for assessment through a Clearing Permit process under the Environmental Protection Act 1986.

Should you require any further information or wish to discuss any aspect of the proposal, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Sincerely

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- Road Reserve 1249774
- Clearing_Boundary_GDA2020
- Driveway_Design_Buffered_GDA2020