

APPLICATION KIT For New Horticultural Development







A GUIDE FOR OBTAINING RELEVANT STATE GOVERNMENT APPROVALS FOR NEW HORTICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT

This guide has been produced with the cooperation of the Water and Rivers Commission, Department of Environmental Protection, Agriculture Western Australia and Swan River Trust to assist those who are seeking approval for a new horticultural development.

Depending on the location of the property and the nature of the proposed development you may be required to address a range of planning, environmental and water management issues. This may involve up to six government agencies and as a consequence adequate time should be allowed for the approval process.

Please provide all requested information on all relevant application forms.

Note: You may not need to complete all forms.

Step I

Ensure that your proposed development complies with the local government planning requirements.

Applicants are advised to discuss their proposal with the planning department of the relevant local government authority before submitting a formal development application.

Local government planning staff will advise of any restrictions or special requirements you may need to fulfill to gain approval.

Step 2

Telephone the Water and Rivers Commission (WRC) Regional Office to determine whether there is water available for your proposed development. WRC will also advise you whether your proposal is affected by any proclaimed Public Drinking Water Source areas or buffers to wetlands and waterways.

Step 3

If your proposed development involves clearing of native vegetation you will require the approval of The Commissioner of Soil Conservation.

You should complete a Notice of Intention to Clear Land (FORM I) and lodge it, together with the necessary attachments, to The Commissioner of Soil Conservation, Agriculture Western Australia.

Step 4

If the property to be developed adjoins part of a river bank of the Swan/Canning River system you should contact the Swan River Trust to determine whether approval is required under the Swan River Trust Act. If you propose to pump from a watercourse you should contact WRC Regional Office.

Should approval be required, complete the Application for Approval of Development (FORM 2) and lodge it, together with the necessary attachments, with the Swan River Trust or with your local government authority.

Step 5

If water is available and your proposed development complies with local government requirements, you should complete a Horticulture Development Application Form (FORM 3) and lodge it, with either the Department of Environmental Protection (D.E.P.) or Water & Rivers Commission. (Retain a copy for your own records.)

If you intend to use groundwater and/or surface water for your new enterprise you should complete an Application for Groundwater Well Licence (FORM 4) and/or an Application for Surface Water Licence (FORM 5) and lodge it at the Regional Office of the Water and Rivers Commission, together with copies of all other necessary approvals from relevant government agencies. (See explanatory notes for address and telephone numbers).

If your proposed development is in an Underground Water Pollution Control Area (see enclosed maps) you will also need to complete a Permit Application (FORM 6) and lodge it, together with your groundwater or surface water application and all necessary attachments, at the Water and Rivers Commission.

Please refer to Explanatory Notes for Phone and Fax numbers.



EXPLANATORY NOTES For New Horticultural Development







EXPLANATORY NOTES

Intention to Clear Land - Agriculture WA (Form I)

The retention of native vegetation in rural Western Australia is vital to stopping and reversing land degradation and the loss of biodiversity.

There is a general presumption against clearing more than one hectare of native vegetation on rural zoned land in areas and there is:

- less than 20% of the original vegetation remaining in the main agricultural area of the shire; or
- less than 20% of the original vegetation remaining on the property; or
- a controlled catchment or water reserve proclaimed under the Country Areas Water Supply (Contact Agriculture
 WA refer to the back page of these notes); or
- a special policy area such as Peel Harvey Catchment.

The Commissioner of Soil and Land Conservation is of the opinion that further land clearing in these areas will result in land degradation and loss of biodiversity, the onus will be on the landholder to demonstrate that land degradation and loss of biodiversity will not occur.

Within controlled catchments, the landholder must apply to the Water and Rivers Commission to clear **any** native vegetation.

Swan River Trust Approval of Development (Form 2)

The Swan River Trust assesses development and land use proposals on and around the Swan-Canning River system.

The five development areas which the Trust considers are:

- entirely within the management area (Swan River Trust Act)
- on land partly within the management area (Metropolitan Region Scheme Act)
- on land that abuts waters in the management area (Metropolitan Region Scheme Act)
- on land that abuts land in the management area (Metropolitan Region Scheme Act)
- likely to affect waters in the management area (Metropolitan Region Scheme Act)

Approval is required for developments in any of these areas.

An Application for Approval of Development (FORM 2) is required where the Lot which is the subject of a development proposal forms part of the river banks or it is intended to pump water from any water course under the Swan River Trust's control. Contact the Swan River Trust by telephone if unsure.

Horticulture Development (Form 3)

The Department of Environmental Protection and the Water and Rivers Commission may need to assess any proposed horticultural development, particularly the fertiliser requirements, to determine:

- the likely effect on soil
- the impact on water quality
- its potential impact on native vegetation and other environmental factors

Groundwater and Surface Water Licences (Forms 4 and 5)

On the Swan Coastal Plain, Groundwater Areas have been proclaimed under the Rights in Water and Irrigation Act to enable the efficient management of the water resource and the environment.

Maps of the Groundwater Areas are included with this kit.

The three objectives for the management of the water resources are:

- to protect the water resource from over-use and the environment from damage
- to allocate the water fairly and equitably to protect existing and future users
- to promote the allocation of the available water resource on a basis which provides the most beneficial use to the community.

Groundwater and surface water licences may contain specific conditions relating to construction of a bore, the amount of water which may be pumped each year and the purposes for which water may be used.

Note: You should lodge your application for a groundwater or surface water abstraction licence as soon as is practical and obtain all necessary approvals mentioned in this package. Licences cannot be issued unless all other agency approvals have been obtained.

Permit - Underground Water Pollution Control (Form 6)

On the Swan Coastal Plain, Underground Water Pollution Control Areas (UWPCA) have been proclaimed to protect public water supplies.

Maps of the Underground Water Pollution Control Areas are included within this kit.

Development proposals in UWPCAs may need a permit from the Water and Rivers Commission. The Commission will review permit applications to ensure proposals do not threaten water quality. A table outlining the compatibility of land uses in Public Drinking Water Areas is included.

Note: A groundwater or surface water abstraction licence for development in UWPCAs cannot be issued until you obtain a Permit.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Agriculture WA

Commissioner of Soil and Land Conservation	(08) 9368 3333
Agriculture WA – Midland	(08) 9274 5355
Department of Environmental Protection	(08) 9222 7000
Swan River Trust	(08) 9278 0400
Water and Rivers Commission	(08) 9278 0300
Swan Goldfields Agricultural Region	(08) 9362 0555
	Facsimile (08) 9362 0500

SCHEDULE 2 FORM I

To:

[Reg. 4 (2) and (4)]

SOIL AND LAND CONSERVATION ACT 1945

Agriculture Western Australia

3 Baron-Hay Court

SOIL AND LAND CONSERVATION REGULATIONS 1992

The Commissioner of Soil Conservation



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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CLEAR LAND

South Perth WA 6151	
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of(postal addres.	
intend to clear	hectares of land
in the	Shire, as shown of the attached map,
being the whole/part of	
(District and Location	Numbers)
and being of	
(north, south, east, west)	(siding or townsite)
The clearing is intended to commence on or about	
	(date)
I am the	
(owner, occupier/owner and occupier	r)
I propose to use the cleared land for:	
I propose to dispose of the timber from the clearing by:	
. p. opose to dispose of the timber morn the clothing by:	
My Land Conservation District Is	
·	(if applicable)
Signed	Date
Telephone numbers (BH) ((AH)
Please note, each Notice must be accompanied by a map with	n a north point, identifying the land to be cleared
detailing the location numbers of that land and any adjacent land,	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
OFFICE USE ONLY	
Application No Head O	ffice File No

What to provide

The Commissioner of Soil and Land Conservation requires:

- I. A fully completed copy of the Form I of Schedule 2 'NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CLEAR LAND'.
- A copy of the advertisement placed in the Public Notices Section of the Saturday edition of The West Australian newspaper and the relevant local newspaper.
- 3. A current aerial photograph covering contiguous Locations in your ownership at a scale of I:10,000. On the photograph should be marked any changes to the vegetation since the photograph was taken and the areas of vegetation proposed to be cleared.

Photos can be obtained from:

The Central Map Agency
Department of Land Administration
Post Office Box 2222
MIDLAND WA 6056

Alternatively, a map may be provided showing the areas of native vegetation proposed to be cleared and to remain. This map should also accurately show the soil types, rocky areas, non native vegetation, wetlands, watercourses, proposed windbreaks, contour lines, location numbers, public roads and any other relevant features.

Newspaper Advertisement

Notice of Intention to Clear

Take notice that I/we (Name) of (Street Address), being the owner/s of (District) Location (Number), Lot (Number) situated approximately (...kilometres north/south/east/west) of (Town) on (Road Name) intend to submit to the Commissioner of Soil and Land Conservation, a Notice of Intention to Clear approximately (...) hectares of (type) vegetation. The clearing is for the purpose of (intended land use). Members of the public are invited to write registering their views on the proposal or to provide any relevant information they may have, to the Deputy Commissioner of Soil and Land Conservation, Agriculture WA, 3 Baron-Hay Court, South Perth 6151.

See notes

APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF DEVELOPMENT

To: The Council of the City/Town/Shire of



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reverse	OR
	The Swan River Trust
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	(full name)
	of
	(full address)
	(postcode)
	apply under section 52 of the Swan River Trust Act 1998 for the approval of the Minister to the following development:
Description	
See note 3	and I declare that the following particulars relating to the proposed development are true
See note 4	I. Full name(s) of owner(s) of the land on which the development is to be carried out
	2. Address of owner(s)
	(postcode)
	3. Address for correspondence (if applicable put "as above")
	(postcode)

I have read and understand the notes on the reverse side of this form.

8. Present use of the land _____

telephone (work) _____ (home) ____

4. (a) Location No. or Titles Office Description Reverse No. and Purpose (if applicable)

SIGNATURE(S) OF APPLICANT(S) _____ DATE ____

Note 1.

The application is to be made to the local government authority in whose municipal district the proposed development is situated. If the proposed development is not within a municipal district the application is to be made to the Swan River Trust. (most of the municipal districts along the Swan and Canning River systems end at the high water mark. However the actual situation in the case of a proposed development may be ascertained by telephoning the office of the Swan River Trust).

Note 2.

This application is to be submitted in triplicate and to be accompanied by 3 copies of the plan(s) and specifications for the development.

Note 3.

It is an offence under section 62 of the Act for a person to make a statement or give any information that he or she knows is false in a material particular in connection with an application for approval of a development. The offence is punishable by a fine of up to \$1000.

Note 4.

Where the applicant is not the owner of the freehold of the land on which the proposed development is to be carried out, this application must be accompanied by the written consent of the owner of the freehold.





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HORTICULTURE DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION FORM

■ Name of applicant	MR MRS MS MISS
COMPANY/SURNAME OR FAMILY NAME	
GIVEN OR FIRST NAMES	
POSTAL ADDRESS	
POSTCODE	
WORK TELEPHONE	HOME TELEPHONE
FACSIMILE NUMBER	
■ Property Details (include house a	and lot numbers)
STREET	
SUBURB OR TOWN	
POSTCODE	
LOCAL SHIRE	
CURRENT ZONING OF PROPERTY	
SIZE OF PROPERTY (Hectares)	

■ Draw a locality plan to show the property in relation to:

- wetlands
- watercourses
- · remnant native vegetation
- · adjoining landuses

■ Draw a site plan to scale and indicate the location of:

- · production bores
- irrigation areas (e.g. centre pivot sites)
- native vegetation or bush to be cleared
- main soil types
- areas to be replanted (plantation trees or native bushland)
- show high and low points on the block
- any winter flowing drainage lines (show direction flow)
- areas of water logging; rivers, swamps, streams or lakes

ı	What is the current landuse on the property?
I	What is the proposed horticultural activity? (e.g. market garden, turf farm, floriculture)
	And you must be also and making you make the develop the boutiful toward activity?
•	Are you proposing to clear any native vegetation to develop the horticultural activity? Yes No (If Yes, please complete Form 2 — Notice of Intention to Clear Land)
•	How much vegetation are you proposing to clear?
	Are you aware of any rare plants/flora on the property?
	Yes No Unknown (please indicate by ticking)
•	If you area aware of any rare plants/flora, please describe which species
	What is the depth to groundwater in summer?
	Metres (Contact Water and Rivers Regional Office)
	What is the proposed source of the irrigation water? (Groundwater, surface water, other)
	Are you constructing perimeter bunds to control surface runoff?
	Yes No (please indicate by ticking)
	If yes, please show on site plan
•	Will 'nutrient stripping' (i.e. vegetation buffers, retention basins) areas be provided?
	Yes
	If yes, please show on site plan
•	How will fertiliser requirements be monitored and managed?
	Log book Health of crop by sight
	Application program Other (please provide details)

	provided.	
-	How will water r	equirements be monitored and managed?
	Timers	Moisture detectors
	Other (please	e provide details)
•	Is the soil type in	the area proposed for horticulture?
	Deep grey sai	nd Brown loamy sand
	Other (please	provide details)
	Signed by the own	er of the land
	Date	
	Date	
Ple	ease return this app	lication form as appropriate to:
		Water and Rivers Commission
		Swan Goldfields Agricultural Region
		849 Albany Highway
		Victoria Park
		or
		Department of Environmental Protection
		Westralia Square Building
		141 St Georges Terrace
		Perth

■ What are your intended fertiliser application rates? Please carefully complete the table

CROPS TO BE GROWN AND AMOUNT AND FREQUENCY OF FERTILISER TO BE APPLIED

Crops	Area (ha)	Number of times this crop is grown each year. (annuals only)	Fertilisers to be used (containing nitrogen and/or phosphorus) Please supply brand names and nutrient percentages where applicable.	Number of applications per crop	Amount of each fertiliser applied ¹ kg/ha/year (perennials) kg/ha/crop (annuals)	Amount of nutrient applied ² kg/ha/year (perennials) kg/ha/crop (annuals)	
						Nitrogen	Phosphorus
Example:							
Cabbage	2		Superphosphate	Once pre-plant	500		50
			Poultry manure	Once pre-plant	15 m³/ha	135	45
			Urea	Weekly	500	225	-
			Nitrophoska TE	2 applications	100	12	5
						372	100

Note I Include the amount of poultry manure applied (cubic metres). To convert cubic metres of poultry manure to kilograms of nitrogen multiply by 9.

To convert cubic metres of poultry manure to kilograms of phosphorus multiply by 3.

Note 2 Refer to the percentage of each nutrient on the fertiliser bag.



APPLICATION FOR A GROUNDWATER WELL LICENCE

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Please indicate

I. DETAILS OF INDIVIDUAL OR COMPANY SEEKING LICENCE

■ Name of individual applicant SURNAME OR FAMILY NAME GIVEN OR FIRST NAMES ■ Name of company applicant COMPANY NAME SURNAME OR FAMILY NAME OF COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE GIVEN OR FIRST NAMES OF COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE What is applicant's relationship with the property? OWNER LESSEE OTHER PLEASE DESCRIBE ■ Address of individual or company NUMBER OR	have
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PROPERTY NAME	<u> </u>
STREET SUBURB	_
OR TOWN	
POSTCODE	
TELEPHONE NUMBER	
2. APPLICATION	
I/We, being the owner/occupier of land described in this application or having legal occupancy/right of	
access to the land, herby apply for a licence under section 26D of the Rights in Water and Irrigation Act 1914.	
(PLEASE STRIKE OUT WHICHEVER IS NOT APPLICABLE)	
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT	7
DATE	╛
This application, together with a location plan, should be forwarded to:	
Waters and Rivers Commission	

Swan Goldfields Agricultural Region Victoria Park WA 6101 Fax 9362 0500 Ph 9362 0555

3. DETAILS OF PROPERTY FOR WHICH LICENCE IS SOUGHT

TENEMENT, LOT, LOCATION, LEA	SE					
STRE	ET					
LOCALITY, SUBU						
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1114 2.5 4.1						
■ Are there any existing wells on t	he prope	rty?				
YES Write down the depth	WELL I		WELL 2		WELL 3	
of each well in metres. NO Go to the next question.	WELL 4		WELL 5		WELL 6	
To to the next question.	***************************************					
4. PURPOSE OF APPLICATION						_
If you have an existing licence pl	ease ente	r your licence ı	number			
■ Are you applying for the reissue	of an evic	ting licence wh	ere all con	ditions are un	changed s	since the
previous licence was issued?	OI all Exis	cing licence wi	iere an con	dicions are un	ichangeu s	since the
YES Go to Section 5. NO	Go to	next question.				
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■ Which of the following categorie	es match y 	our application	1.			
TICK APPLICABLE CATEGORIES	SINKING	A NEW WELL/BORE		c	ONSTRUCT EX	KCAVATION SOAK
	ENLARGIN	NG OR DEEPENING A	n existing wi	ELL C	HANGE OF OV	VNERSHIP
	ALTERING	EXISTING LICENCE		EX	KPLORATORY	DRILLING
APPROX. DEPTH	DRAWING	WATER FROM AN E	XISTING WELL	N	ON ARTESIAN	WELL No
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5. DETAILS OF PROPOSED WA	TER US	(Complete or	nly those se	ections releva	nt to your	application)
■ If the water is for domestic use						
TICK WHERE APPLICABLE	IS IT USED	IN THE HOUSEHOL	0?	YES		NO
	IS SCHEM	E WATER USED IN TH	E HOUSE?	YES		NO
	IS IT USED	IN THE GARDEN?		YES		NO
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	LIVESTOCK TYPE (e.g. cattle, sheep, pigs, poultry, horses, marron, etc.)	NUMBER OF ANIMALS
	OPERATION DESCRIPTION (e.g. meat production, egg production, breeders, agist	ment, etc.)
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	IS THE OPERATION FREE RANGE OR INTENSIVE?	INTENSIVE
	IF THE OPERATION IS AN ABATTOIR. HOW MANY ANIMALS ARE PROCESSED DAILY?	
	IF THE OPERATION IS AQUACULTURE. WHAT IS THE VOLUME OF PONDS?	
	(IN KILOLITRES)	
■ If the water is for mining or indust	rial use	
ACTIVITY		
CONDUCTIVITY (TDS)		
WHAT IS YOUR ANNUAL WATER REQUIREMENT? (KILOLITRES)		
HOW IS THE WATER USED? (e.g. PROCESSING, DEWATERING)		
IS THE WATER REQUIRED FOR DUST SUPPRESSION?	YES NO WHAT AREA OF LAND IS INVOLVED? (ha)	
DO YOU HAVE D.E.P. APPROVAL FOR PROJECT?	YES NO	
■ Other water uses (e.g. golf courses,	bowling greens, caravan parks, fire fighting, road verge water	ering)
WHAT IS THE WATER USED FOR?		
WHAT IS THE ANNUAL WATER REQUIREMENT? (KILOLITRES)		
WHAT IS THE AREA UNDER IRRIGATION? (HECTARES)		
6. FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS (Co	emplete if Applicable)	
■ If you propose to undertake further	er development that will affect your future water use	
WHAT IS THE NATURE OF THE PLANNED DEVELOPMENT?		
. D WALL DEVELOT FIELD		
WHAT ADDITIONAL AREA WILL BE IRRIGATED? (HA)		
WHEN WILL THE PLANNED DEVELOPMENT BE COMPLETED? (e.g. JAN 1999)		

■ If the water is for commercial livestock operation

7. LOCATION PLAN

- Please attach sketch plan to this application showing:
- location of all bores (existing and proposed)
- lot numbers
- nearest cross roads/junction
- major improvements (house, large sheds, etc.)
- shaded sections to indicate areas under use/irrigation
- For mining leases please include a route map or road map to assist with location

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE PHONE See explanatory notes for telephone numbers



APPLICATION FOR A SURFACE WATER LICENCE

I. DETAILS OF INDIVIDUAL OR COMPANY SEEKING LICENCE

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	Name of individual applicant	MR		MRS		MS			MISS	,		Submitted
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	OR FAMILY NAME											
	GIVEN OR FIRST NAMES											
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3. DETAILS OF PROPERTY FOR WHICH LICENCE IS SOUGHT TENEMENT, LOT, LOCATION, LEASE STREET LOCALITY, SUBURB OR TOWN SPECIAL RURAL RESIDENTIAL INDUSTRIAL COMMERCIAL ZONING RURAL (Tick Applicable) TOTAL AREA OF PROPERTY (ha) I ha = 2.5 acres ■ Watercourse/Name or Description 4. DIVERSION DETAILS ■ Dam Details NO. I NO. 2 NO. 3 DAM CAPACITY (kilolitres) WALL LENGTH (metres) WALL HEIGHT (metres) TAILWATER LENGTH (metres) DAM TYPE (clay core, clay blanket, earth, rockfill, homogenous, other) FREEBOARD (metres) SPILLWAY WIDTH (metres) UNDERWALL BYPASS SIZE (millimetres) PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION DATE COMMENTS **■ Pump Details** NO. 2 NO. 3 NO. I PUMP SIZE (millimetres) PUMP MOTOR (Kw) PUMP RATE (L/s) COMMENTS

5. PLANS

■ Locality Plan	
Please provide a diagram showing the location of dam/pump on lot or situation on stream (including reference	
to adjoining localities). Show top water level.	
■ End Elevation of dam	
Please include height, top water level, freeboard, batter slopes and dam materials.	
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6. DETAILS OF PROPOSED WA	TER USE (Complete	e only those se	ections relevant to	o your application)
■ If the water is for domestic use	IS IT USED IN THE HOUSE	HOLD?	YES	NO
TICK WHERE APPLICABLE	IS SCHEME WATER USED IN	N THE HOUSE?	YES	NO
	IS IT USED IN THE GARDE	N?	YES	NO
	IF YES, WHAT IS THE AREA (AVERAGE DOMESTIC GAR	_	1000 - 2000 m²)	
■ If the water is for crop irrigation	CROP TYPE	AREA (ha)	IRRIGATION TYPE (e.	g. trickle, sprinkler)
TICK WHERE APPLICABLE	ARE CROPS FOR DOMESTI OR COMMERCIAL PURPOS		MERCIAL D	OMESTIC
■ If the water is for commercial live	estock operation			
	LIVESTOCK TYPE (e.g. cattle	e, sheep, pigs, poultry,	horses, marron, etc.)	NUMBER OF ANIMALS
		1/		
	OPERATION DESCRIPTION	N (e.g. meat production	n, egg production, breeders	, agistment, etc.)
	IS THE OPERATION FREE R	ANGE	FREE RANGE	INTENSIVE
	OR INTENSIVE?			
	IF THE OPERATION IS AN A HOW MANY ANIMALS ARE PROCESSED DAILY?			
	IF THE OPERATION IS AQU WHAT IS THE VOLUME OF (IN KILOLITRES)			
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CONDUCTIVITY (TDS)				
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DO YOU HAVE D.E.P. APPROVAL FOR PROJECT?	YES NO			
7. FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS (C	omplete if Applicabl	e)		
■ If you propose to undertake furt	her development tha	t will affect yo	ur future water u	ise
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PERMIT APPLICATION



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Please indicate with a tick which forms you have submitted

FORM 6

For activities within Underground Water Pollution Control Areas described in the by-laws made under the Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1909

PART I - APPLICATION DETAILS

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	IF NO, GO TO PART 4.						
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LAND USE COMPATIBILITY IN PUBLIC DRINKING WATER SOURCE AREAS

Purpose

To provide information on land use and activities that may impact on the quality of the State's water resources.

These notes provide a basis for developing formal guidelines in consultation with key stakeholders.

Scope

These notes apply to existing and proposed land use within Public Drinking Water Source Areas (PDWSAs).

PDWSAs include Underground Water Pollution Control Areas, Water Reserves and public water supply catchment areas declared under the Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage Act 1909, and the Country Areas Water Supply Act 1947.

Preamble

The following notes reflect the Commission's current position. They are recommendations only, and may be varied at the discretion of the Commission.

Overview of Protection Framework

The Water and Rivers Commission is responsible for managing and protecting Western Australia's water resources. The Commission has developed policies for the protection of public drinking water source areas that include three levels of priority classification of lands within PDWSAs.

Priority I (PI) source protection areas are defined to ensure that there is **no degradation** of the water source. PI areas are declared over land where the provision of the highest quality public drinking water is the prime beneficial land use. PI areas would typically include land under Crown ownership. PI areas are managed in accordance with the principle of **risk avoidance** and so land development is generally not permitted.

Priority 2 (P2) source protection areas are defined to ensure that there is **no increased risk of pollution** to the water source. P2 areas are declared over land where low intensity development (such as rural) already exists. Protection of public water supply sources is a high priority in these areas. P2 areas are managed in accordance with the principle of **risk minimisation** and so some development is allowed under specific guidelines.

Priority 3 (P3) source protection areas are defined to **minimise the risk of pollution** to the water source. P3 areas are declared over land where water supply sources need to co-exist with other land uses such as residential, commercial and light industrial developments. Protection of P3 areas is achieved through **management guidelines** rather than restrictions on land use. If the water source does become contaminated, then water may need to be treated or an alternative water source found.

In addition to priority classifications, **well-head protection zones** and **reservoir protection zones** are defined to protect the water source from contamination in the immediate vicinity of production wells and reservoirs. Well-head protection zones are usually circular, with a radius of 500 metres in P1 areas and 300 metres in P2 and P3 areas. Reservoir protection zones usually consist of a 2 kilometre buffer area around the top water level of a reservoir and include the reservoir itself. These zones do not extend outside water reserves. Special restrictions apply within these zones.

Tables showing Land Use Compatibility with the Commission's PDWSA protection strategy

These tables should be used as a guideline only. More detailed information on the Commission's requirements in the form of activity guidelines or notes is available for some land uses. These can be found on the "Protecting Water" web page on the Commission's internet site (www.wrc.wa.gov.au). Alternately information relating to land use and development within PDWSAs including those not listed in the tables, can be obtained for the Commission's Water Quality Protection Branch.

The Commission recognises that many activities were lawfully established before the introduction of these tables. The Commission will negotiate with the operators of such activities to ensure that appropriate management practices are in place to minimise the impact on water resources.

These tables do not replace the need for assessment by the Commission. Please consult the Commission for advice on any land proposals in Public Drinking Water Source Areas that may impact on water resources.

Definitions used in the following tables

Compatible The land use is compatible with the management objectives of the priority classification.

Incompatible The land use is incompatible with the management objectives of the priority classification.

Restricted The land use may be compatible with the management objectives of the priority classification,

with appropriate site management practices.

Restricted developments /activities should be referred to the Commission for assessment on a

case specific basis.

Extensive Where limited additional inputs are required to the land to support the desired land use. eg

supplementary animal feed only during seasonal dry periods.

Intensive Where regular additional inputs are required to support the desired land use. eg irrigation, non

forage animal feed dominates, fertilisers and non forage animal feed dominates.

More information

We welcome your comment on these notes. They will be updated from time to time as comments are received or activity standards change. The Commission is progressively developing Water Quality Protection Notes and Guidelines covering land uses described in the attached tables. Advice on available guidance documents may be obtained by contacting the Commission.

If you wish to comment on the notes or require more information, please contact the Commission's Water Quality Protection Branch at the Hyatt Centre in East Perth.

Phone: (08) 9278 0300 (business hours) or Fax:(08) 9278 0585

Tables showing Land use compatibility with PDWSA protection objectives

AGRICULTURE - ANIMALS

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Animal Saleyards and stockyards ¹⁴	Incompatible	Incomaptible ⁷	Restricted ⁷
Apiaries on Crown Land	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Aquaculture eg. marron farms, fish farms,			
algae culture	Incompatible	Restricted	Restricted
Dairy Sheds	Incompatible	Incompatible ^{11,15}	Restricted ¹⁵
Feedlots	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Livestock grazing (extensive)	Restricted	Compatible	Compatible
Livestock grazing (intensive)	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted 11
Piggeries	Incompatible	Incompatible	Incompatible
Poultry farming (housed)	Incompatible	Restricted	Restricted
Stables	Incompatible	Restricted	Compatible
Stockholding and saleyards	Incompatible	Incompatible ⁷	Restricted ⁷

AGRICULTURE - PLANTS

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Broad acre cropping i.e. non-irrigated	Incompatible	Restricted	Compatible
Floriculture (extensive)	Incompatible	Restricted	Compatible
Floriculture (intensive)	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Field horticulture	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Hydroponic horticulture	Incompatible	Restricted	Restricted
Orchards	Incompatible	Restricted	Compatible
Potted Nurseries	Incompatible	Restricted	Compatible
Silviculture (tree farming)	Restricted	Restricted	Compatible
Turf Farms	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Viticulture (wine & table grapes)	Incompatible	Restricted	Compatible

DEVELOPMENT - COMMERCIAL

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Aircraft Servicing	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted ⁶
Amusement Centres	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible ⁶
Automotive businesses	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted ⁶
Boat Servicing	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted ⁶
Caravan and trailer hire	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted ⁶
Vehicle parking (commercial)	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible
Consulting rooms	Incompatible	Incompatible 7	Compatible ⁶
Cottage Industries	Restricted	Restricted	Compatible
Drive in / take-away food shops	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible ⁶
Drive -in theatres	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible ⁶
Dry Cleaning Premises	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted ⁶
Farm supply centres	Incompatible	Incompatible 7	Restricted
Fuel depots	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Garden Centres	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible
Laboratories (analytical , photographic)	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible
Shops ⁷ and shopping centres	Incompatible	Incompatible ⁷	Compatible
Markets	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible 6
Milk depots	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Restaurants	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible
Service Stations	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Transport Depots	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Veterinary Clinics / hospitals	Incompatible	Incompatible 7	Restricted
Vehicle wrecking and machinery	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted

DEVELOPMENT - INDUSTRIAL

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
General Industry	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted ⁶
Heavy Industry	Incompatible	Incompatible	Incompatible
Light Industry	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted 6
Power Stations	Incompatible	Incompatible	Incompatible

DEVELOPMENT - URBAN

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Aged and dependent persons	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible 6
Amenity buildings	Incompatible	Restricted	Compatible
Airports or landing grounds	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted ⁶
Cemeteries	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Civic buildings	Incompatible	Restricted	Compatible ⁶
Clubs -sporting, recreation or community	Restricted	Restricted	Compatible 6
Community halls	Restricted	Restricted	Compatible
Family Day Care Centres	Incompatible	Restricted	Compatible 6
Funeral parlours	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible 6
Health Centres	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible 6
Hospitals	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted ⁶
Medical centres	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible ⁶

EDUCATION / RESEARCH

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Education centres	Restricted	Restricted	Compatible ⁶
Primary / Secondary Schools	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible 6
Scientific Research Institutions	Restricted	Restricted	Compatible
Universities	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted ⁶

MINING AND MINERAL PROCESSING

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Extractive Industries	Restricted ²	Restricted ²	Restricted ²
Mineral Exploration	Restricted ⁴	Restricted ⁴	Restricted ⁴
Mining and mineral processing	Restricted ⁴	Restricted ⁴	Restricted ⁴
Tailings Dams	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted

PROCESSING OF ANIMALS / ANIMAL PRODUCTS

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Abattoirs	Incompatible	Incompatible	Incompatible
Cheese / butter factories	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted 6
Food Processing	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted 6
Tanneries	Incompatible	Incompatible	Incompatible
Wool-scours	Incompatible	Incompatible	Incompatible

PROCESSING OF PLANTS / PLANT PRODUCTS

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Breweries	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted ⁶
Composting / soil blending (commercial)	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Vegetable / food processing	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted 6
Wineries	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted

SUBDIVISION

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Dog Kennel Subdivisions	Incompatible	Restricted	Restricted
Rural - minimum lot size = 4 hectares			
(un-sewered)	Incompatible	Compatible	Compatible
Rural - minimum lot size = 1 hectare			
(un-sewered)	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible
Special rural - minimum lot size = 2 hectares			
(un-sewered) ⁵	Incompatible	Restricted ⁸	Restricted 8
Special rural - minimum lot size = 1 hectare			
(un-sewered) ⁵	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted 8
Urban residential	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible ⁶

Note: Subdivision of land to lots of any size is incompatible within Priority I areas.

SPORT AND RECREATION

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Equestrian centres	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible
Golf courses	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Irrigated recreational parks	Incompatible	Restricted	Restricted
Motor sports ie permanent racing facilities	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Public Swimming Pools	Incompatible	Restricted	Restricted
Rifle Ranges	Restricted	Restricted	Compatible
Temporary recreational activities (active)			
eg four wheel driving, car rallies	Incompatible	Restricted ³	Restricted ³
Temporary recreational activities (passive)			
eg. horse riding, bush walking	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted

STORAGE OF TOXIC AND HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES (THS)

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Above ground storage of THS	Restricted 13	Restricted 13	Restricted 13
Bulk Storage Facilities for THS	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted 12
Underground storage tanks for THS	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted

TOURISM ACCOMMODATION

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Bed and Breakfast accommodation	Incompatible	Restricted	Compatible
Caravan Parks	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted ⁶
Holiday accommodation eg farm chalets	Incompatible	Restricted 9	Compatible ⁶
Motels, lodging houses, hostels	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible ⁶

WASTE TREATMENT AND MANAGEMENT

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Deep well injection of liquid wastes	Incompatible	Incompatible	Incompatible
Class I, II and III Landfills	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Class IV and V Landfills	Incompatible	Incompatible	Incompatible
Recycling depots	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Refuse transfer stations	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Sewers (Gravity)	Incompatible	Incompatible	Compatible
Sewers (Pressure Mains)	Incompatible	Restricted	Compatible
Sewage pump station	Incompatible	Restricted 13	Restricted
Used tyre storage / disposal facilities	Incompatible	Incompatible	Incompatible
Wastewater treatment plants	Incompatible	Incompatible	Restricted
Water treatment plants	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted

OTHER DEVELOPMENTS

Land use	Priority I	Priority 2	Priority 3
Caretaker's housing	Restricted	Restricted	Compatible
Construction projects (not tabled)	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Forestry	Restricted ¹	Compatible	Compatible
National Parks	Compatible	Compatible	Compatible
Nature Reserves	Compatible	Compatible	Compatible
Communications receivers / transmitters	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Major Transport Routes	Incompatible	Restricted 10	Compatible

Table reference notes:

- I. Restrictions apply to fertiliser application rates, with strict controls on the application of pesticides and field operations.
- 2. Restrictions apply to the storage of fuels and chemicals, with strict guidelines for rehabilitation.
- 3. Restrictions on the use of fuel and chemicals apply.
- 4. Subject to conditions placed on lease.
- 5. Special rural development requires appropriate planning justification, including provisions in the town planning scheme text.
- 6. Must be connected to deep sewerage, where practical, or otherwise to an approved waste disposal system that meets water quality protection objectives.
- 7. May be permitted if this use is incidental to the overall land use in the area and consistent with planning strategies.
- 8. Restrictions apply to siting of effluent disposal systems in areas with poor land capability and a shallow depth to groundwater.
- 9. Restrictions apply on density of accommodation.
- 10. Restrictions apply on road design and construction and the types of goods that may be carried.
- 11. Restrictions apply to stocking levels.
- 12. May be permitted if the type, volume and storage mechanisms for chemicals are compatible with water quality protection objectives.
- 13. Activity is incompatible in wellhead protection zones.