

RESERVE ACTION SHEET - CONSERVATION RESERVES

RESERVE A47436 (Beharra Springs), Shire of Irwin

Tenure: Nature Reserve

REASON FOR ACTION

Reserve 47436, located in the Shire of Irwin, has been created as a class A nature reserve vested in the Conservation Commission of WA for the purpose "Conservation of Flora and Fauna". It comprises Lot 12819 on Deposited Plan 82825 (previously Victoria Location 4818).

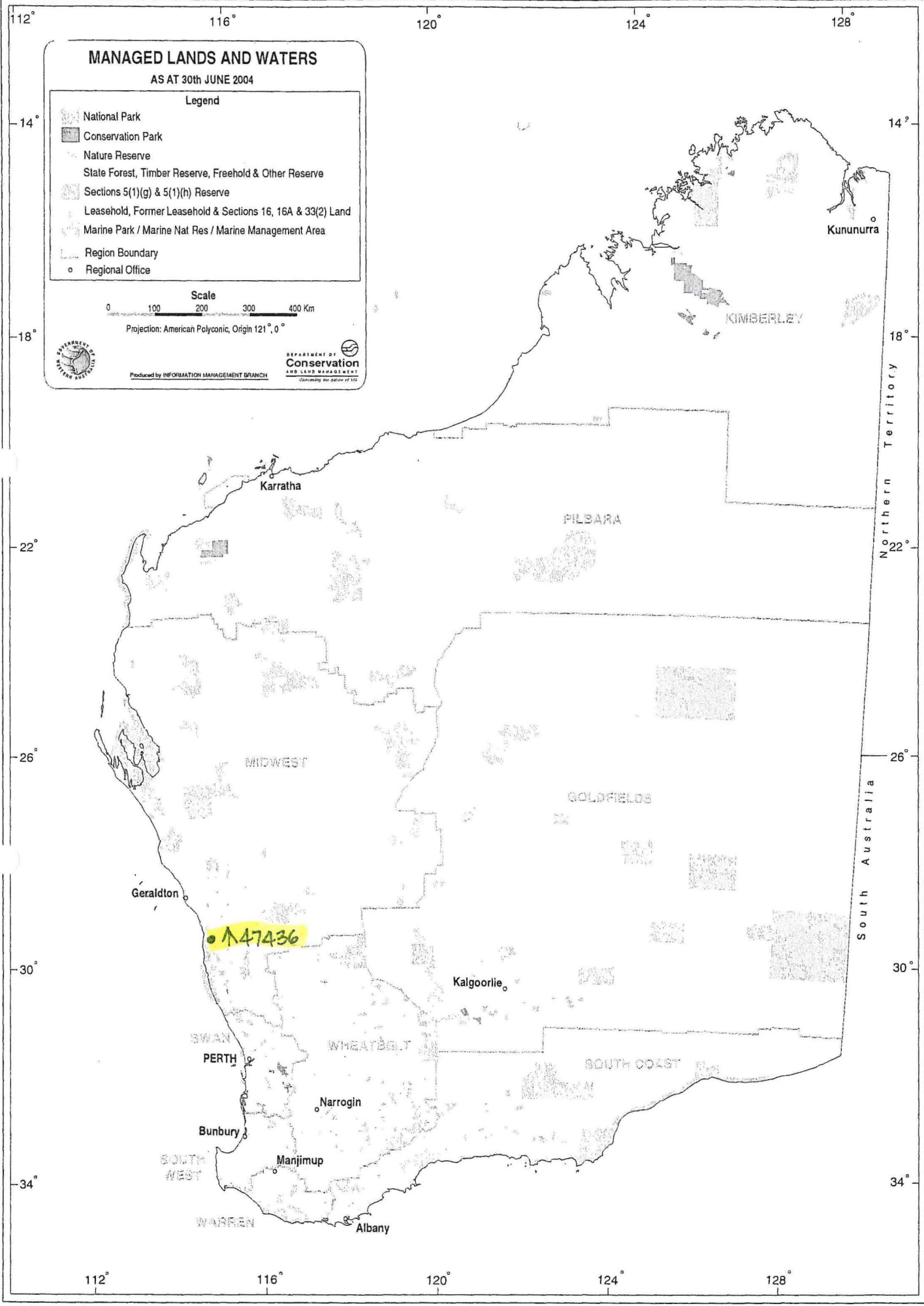
Area: 64.7 hectares

This area was partly purchased from the Department's central land acquisition funds, with two-thirds of the funding also provided by the Commonwealth Government through the National Reserve System Program of the Natural Heritage Trust. The proposal originated from the refusal for a land-clearing application by the previous owners, and instead, this Department purchased the land on 27 June 2002. The intention is for this reserve to be added to the proposed Arrowsmith Lake Nature Reserve, the creation of which is an EPA Red Book Recommendation 5.7: Arrowsmith Lake Area.

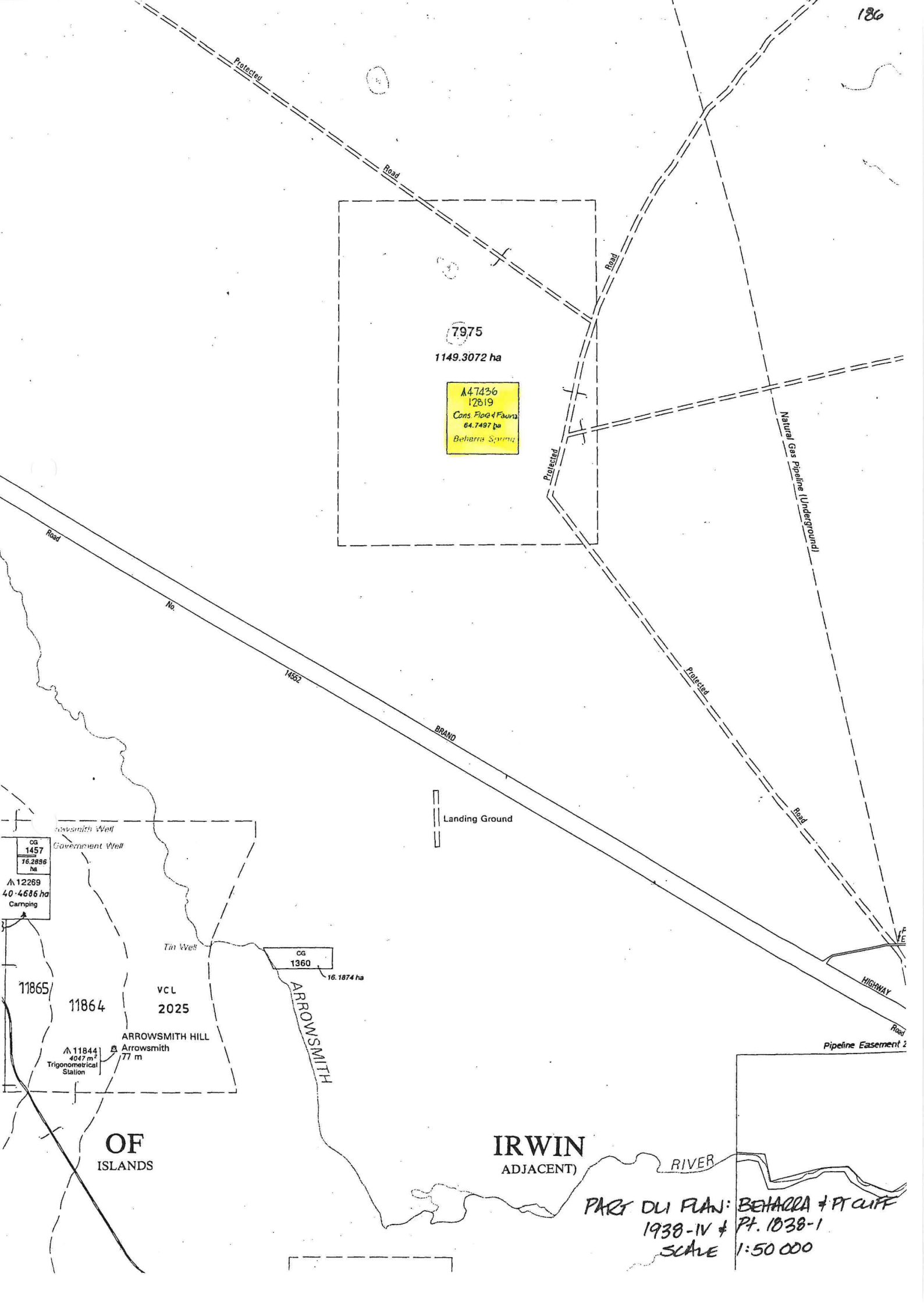
Reserve 47436 contains a wetland type that is not well represented in the conservation estate. The wetland is thought to be the result of a depression in the underlying limestone rock, or of a collapsed area in the limestone. The associated diatomaceous earth supports a thicket of *Melaleuca thyoides* with some forest of river red gum. This vegetation type is highly restricted in occurrence, with less than 5% protected in conservation reserves. The remainder of the Location comprises scrub-heath with scattered emergent banksias, prickly bark and sandplain woody pear on deep sandy flats. Less than 10% of this vegetation type is protected in conservation reserves.

- Date of creation: 9 February 2004 (p. 184)
- Plans at Folios: pp. 185-187
- Native Title clearance: Previous freehold tenure has extinguished native title
- Recommended IUCN classification: 1a

	OFFICER	ACTION
1	LAND UNIT	Send copies of advice & maps to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lisa Wright, Woodvale _____ - District Manager, Moora District _____ - Regional Manager, Mid West Region _____
2	SENIOR POLICY ADVISOR	To note native title clearance: _____
3	SENIOR POLICY ADVISOR, CRAWLEY	To note: _____
4	A/DIRECTOR, NATURE CONSERVATION	To note: _____
5	CIS	To note: _____
6	CONSERVATION ESTATE OFFICER	Reserve details to inside cover of file: _____



47436



7975

1149.3072 ha

A 47436
 12819
 Cons. Flora & Fauna
 64.7497 ha
 Beharra Springs

cg
 1457
 16.2898
 ha

cg 12289
 40.4686 ha
 Camping

cg
 1360
 16.1874 ha

11865

11864

VCL 2025

ARROWSMITH HILL

11844
 4047 m²
 Trigonometrical Station

Arrowsmith
 77 m

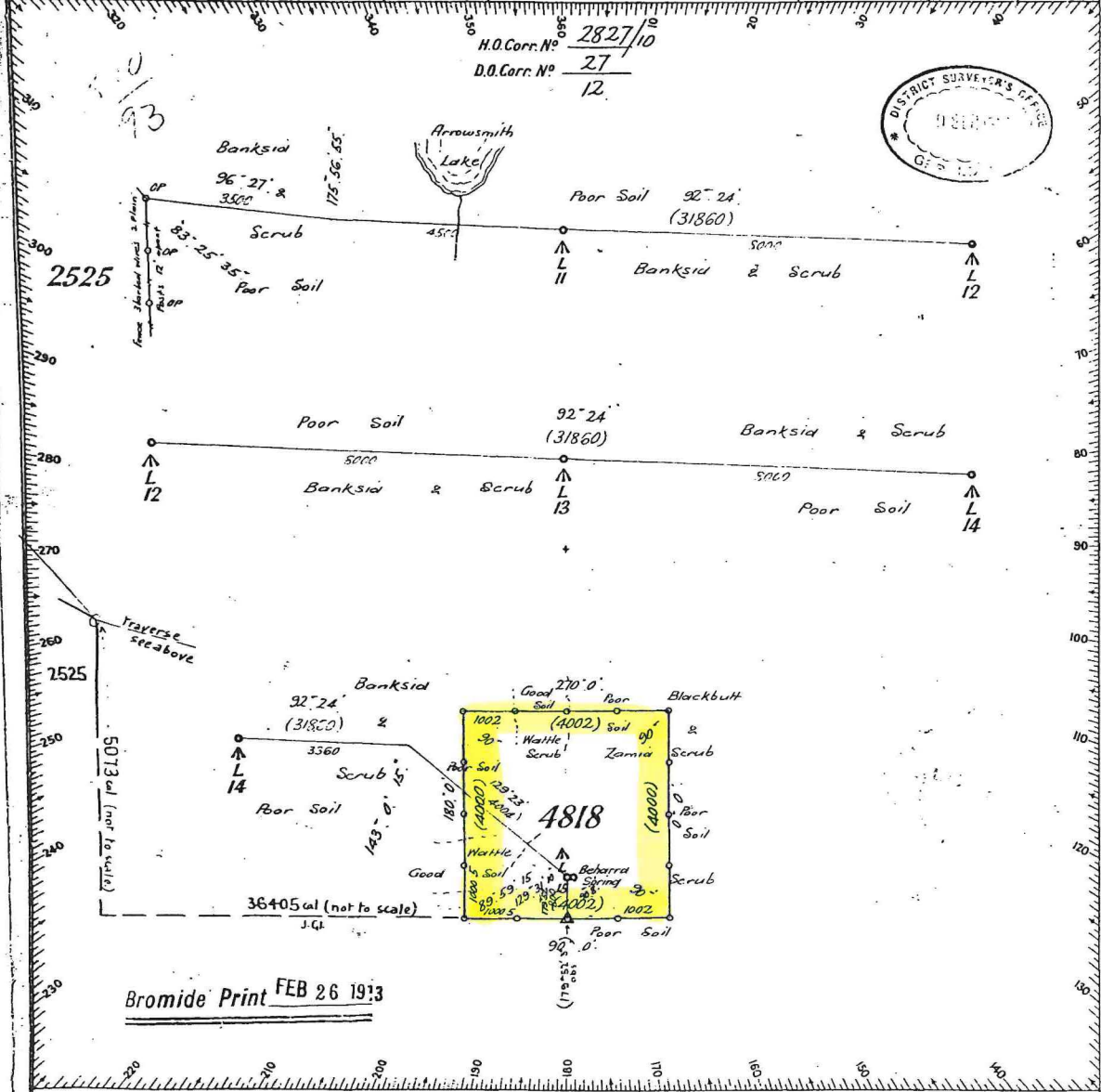
OF ISLANDS

IRWIN (ADJACENT)

RIVER

PART DU PLAN: BEHARRA + PT CLIFF
 1938-IV + Pt. 1038-1
 SCALE 1:50 000

Loc. No. **4818** District **Victoria** C.P. No. **1154/74** Name of Applicant **R. Pell** Acreage **160** Compilation Plan No. **614**
 H.O. Corr. No. $\frac{2827}{10}$
 D.O. Corr. No. $\frac{27}{12}$



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I hereby certify that this Survey was performed by me personally (or under my own personal supervision, inspection and field check) in strict accordance with the Regulations for the Guidance of Surveyors and that this plan is in all respects accurate.

D. Rutherford Licensed Surveyor
 Date 6-9-1912

Calculations for Area		N	S	E	W	Multipliers	Double Areas
No. & Page of Field Book	Bearing	Distance					

Dept of Land Administration
 1000 99596

Azimuth observed at _____
 or assumed from 2525
 Date of Marking 15-8-1912
 Field Book No. 79 Pages 1 & 2
 Scale 20 Chains to an Inch
 Working Plan No. 94/80 Division A.1.

REFERENCE TO TREES			
Corner	Bearing	Dist in Links	Description of Trees
A			
B			
C			
D			
E			
F			

OFFICE REFERENCE

Account No. 23 Passed 3.1.13
 Calculation Book No. 19 Folio 18
 Chainage Close N. + .5 W. + .5
 Angular Close -45"
 Area 160.11 a
 Compared with FB of loc 31.1.13
 Examined 3.1.13
 Diagram passed J. M. Rogers
 Draftsman-in-Charge

On D.O. Working Plan M. 13-9-12
 On Standard Plan 30 10 11
 On Working Plan _____
 Survey approved
William Rowley
 for the Surveyor General
 Date 27.2.1913

Date 3.2.1913

588 Diagram No. **588**
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 District Office Head Office
 Regd. 9/19/12 Regd. 13/10/12