



Government
of South Australia

Department for
Energy and Mining

Mr Clancy Smith
Heathgate Resources Pty Ltd
Level 7 / 25 Grenfell Street
Adelaide SA 5000



Dear Mr Smith

Mining Act 1971 – Notification of approved Program for Environment Protection and Rehabilitation for Mining Lease (ML) 6402 – Four Mile Uranium Mine

The Program for Environment Protection and Rehabilitation (the Program) for ML 6402, as submitted on 3 November 2023, has been approved by the Department for Energy and Mining (DEM) as Program No. MPEPR2023/038, in accordance with Section 70C(5) of the *Mining Act 1971* (the Mining Act).

You are reminded that you must always implement and comply with this approved Program.

This approval does not constitute endorsement of the systems that you have in place to manage the mining operations in compliance with the Mining Act. Whilst your capability to undertake this activity has been considered in this approval, the responsibility for compliance with the Mining Act always remains with the tenement holder.

Native Vegetation

The native vegetation clearance and payment into the Native Vegetation Fund (or purchase of Significant Environmental Benefit (SEB) offset credits from an Accredited Third-Party Provider), as set out in the Program is approved in accordance with my delegated powers under the *Native Vegetation Regulations 2017*.

The Program includes a native vegetation management plan for the clearance of 320.7 ha of vegetation on ML 6402. This is made up of 225 ha of new clearance and 95.7 ha of historic clearance. The SEB for the removal of 225 ha of native vegetation has been calculated as \$316,347.01. Please note that this payment must be provided or SEB credits purchased before any clearance is undertaken.

DEM notes that SEB credits have been previously purchased for the historical clearance of 95.7 ha.

Please notify DEM if you would like an invoice for the SEB to be raised by the Native Vegetation Council and forwarded to you so that payment can be made.

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Compliance Reporting

You are required to submit an annual compliance report. The reporting period commenced from 26 April and the compliance report must be submitted within 2 calendar months of the recurring anniversary of the reporting period (before 25 June annually). Please refer to the [DEM website](#) for more information on the reporting requirements.

Work, Health and Safety Act 2012

In accordance with Chapter 10 of the *Work Health and Safety Regulations 2012* (SA), you must meet the requirements for mine operators in South Australia, which include a notification for mining operations, the establishment of a Safety Management System, the identification of Principal Mining Hazards and development of a Principal Mining Hazard Management Plan. Further information on your responsibilities, including a guide to Chapter 10, and the Mine Operator Notification Form, is available on the [SafeWork SA website](#).

Should you require any further assistance, please contact Daniel Radulovic, Program Leader Olympic Dam and Uranium Regulation on 8429 2434 or email: DEM.MiningRegRehab@sa.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "PD".

Paul De Ionno
DIRECTOR MINING REGULATION
DELEGATE OF THE MINISTER FOR ENERGY AND MINING
DELEGATE OF THE NATIVE VEGETATION COUNCIL

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