



CEO-initiated amendment to licence

Division 3, Part V *Environmental Protection Act 1986*

Licence number	L6826/1994/13
Licence holder	Ausvision Rural Services Pty Ltd
ACN	106 075 763
DWER file number	DER2014/000604
Premises	Beaufort River Meats 46 Macri Road BEAUFORT RIVER WA 6394
Date of report	27 November 2023
Status of report	Final

Scope of amendment

Amendment summary

Ausvision Rural Services Pty Ltd (licence holder) hold licence L6826/1994/13, issued under Part V Division 3 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*. The licence is due to expire on 1 May 2024.

The licence relates to operation of a red meat processing facility in the small rural locality of Beaufort River, about 200 km southeast of Perth. The main activities occurring on the premises include the slaughtering and processing of sheep and goats and management of effluent generated from operations.

The department intended on conducting a licence update as part of replacing the expiring licence in 2023, with a specific focus on wastewater management and disposal practices. However, due to time constraints, the department instead proposes to defer this process for a further 12 months.

Decision

The delegated officer has determined to extend the duration of the existing licence as an administrative change, on the grounds of time constraints to complete a licence update, and that it does not change the obligations of the licence holder in the interim.

The licence duration will be extended by 12 months, now expiring in 2025, in which time it is also anticipated the licence holder will have completed construction works under W6452/2020/1 for a second anaerobic pond and a sludge drying pad, including desludging of the existing anaerobic pond.

Consultation

The draft licence and this report were provided to the licence holder on 21 November 2023, who had no objection to the change listed in the below table.

Summary of changes

The below table provides a summary of the updates and will act as a record of implemented changes. All changes have been incorporated on the licence.

Condition / table	Description
Cover page	Expiry date changed to 01/05/2025