



Application for Works Approval Amendment

Part V Division 3 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*

Works Approval Number	W6543/2021/1
Works Approval Holder	Paulsens East Iron Ore Pty Ltd
ACN	643 291 230
File Number	APP-0030325
Premises	<p>Paulsens East Iron Ore Project</p> <p>Nanutarra-Munjina Road</p> <p>NANUTARRA WA 6751</p> <p>Legal description –</p> <p>Mining Tenements M47/1583 and L47/938</p> <p>As defined by the Premises maps attached to the Revised Works Approval</p>
Date of Report	05 August 2025 (FINAL)
Decision	Revised works approval granted

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1. Decision summary

This Amendment Report documents the amendments made pursuant to section 59 and 59(B) of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (EP Act). The Delegated Officer has determined to make amendments to Works Approval W6543/2021/1. The amendments are administrative in nature therefore they do not alter the risk profile of the Premises, providing that activities, emissions and receptors as stated in existing approvals remain unchanged.

2. Scope of assessment

2.1 Regulatory framework

In amending the works approval, the department has considered and given due regard to its Regulatory Framework and relevant policy documents which are available at <https://dwer.wa.gov.au/regulatory-documents>.

2.2 Amendment summary

Works Approval W6543/2021/1 is held by Paulsens East Iron Ore Pty Ltd (Works Approval Holder) for the Paulsens East Iron Ore Project (the Premises), located within mining tenements M47/1583 and L47/938, Nanutarra, Western Australia.

The Premises relates to the categories and the assessed production capacity under Schedule 1 of the *Environmental Protection Regulations 1987* (EP Regulations) which are defined in existing Works Approval W6543/2021/1.

On 30 July 2025, the Works Approval Holder submitted an application to the department to amend Works Approval W6543/2021/1 under section 59B of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (EP Act).

The Works Approval Holder is applying for a time extension as the Premises has experienced a number of delays during commissioning phases, due primarily to market conditions for iron ore. The amendment is limited to the extension of the expiry date from 06 August 2025 to 06 August 2026.

3. Consultation

The Works Approval Holder was provided with the draft Amendment Report on 04 August 2025. On 05 August 2025 the Works Approval Holder waived the comment period.

4. Conclusion

Based on the assessment in this Amendment Report, the Delegated Officer has determined that an amended works approval will be granted, subject to conditions commensurate with the determined controls and necessary for administration and reporting requirements.

4.1 Summary of amendments

Table 1 below provides a summary of the proposed amendments and will act as a record of implemented changes. All proposed changes have been incorporated into the Revised works approval as part of the amendment process.

Table 1: Summary of works approval amendments

Condition no.	Proposed amendments
Duration	Expiry date changed from 06/08/2025 to 06/08/2026