

## Government of Western Australia Department of Environment Regulation

# **Annual Audit Compliance Report Form**

Environmental Protection Act 1986, Part V

Section A – Licence	e Details		
Licence number:	L6640/1994/11	Licence file number:	SWB 1993-05
Licence holder:	Water Corporation		
Trading as:	Gnarabup Wastewa	ater Treatment Plant	
ABN:	28 003 434 917		
Registered address:	629 Newcastle Stre	eet, LEEDERVILLE, WA	6007
Reporting period:	01/07/2020 to 3	30 / 06 / 2021	

### Section B - Statement of Compliance with Licence Conditions

Did you comply with all of your licence conditions during the reporting period? (please tick the appropriate box)

□Yes – please complete:

- section C;
- section D if required; and
- sign the declaration in Section F.

⊠No – please complete:

- section C;
- section D if required;
- section E; and
- sign the declaration at Section F.

### Section C – Statement of Actual Production

Provide the actual production quantity for this reporting period. Supporting documentation is to be attached.

Prescribed Premises Category	Actual Production Quantity
54	118 m³/day (details provided in Annual Report)

#### Section D - Statement of Actual Part 2 Waste Discharge Quantity

Provide the actual Part 2 waste discharge quantity for this reporting period. Supporting documentation is to be attached.

Prescribed Premises Category	Actual Part 2 Waste Discharge Quantity
Not applicable	

### Section E1 – Details of Non-Compliance with Licence Condition

Please use a separate page for each condition with which the licence holder was non-compliant at a time during the reporting period.

Condition no: <u>*</u> W3 and W4(a)	Date(s) of non- compliance:	1 July 2020 – 21 May 2021
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Details of non-compliance:

(\* note these condition numbers relate to the licence version which was current when the noncompliance was first reported)

Monitoring bores 1/99 and 2/99 are not being maintained to allow representative water samples to be collected, as the bores are dry. DWER issued a field notice (number 3159), dated 25 February 2016, as part of a site audit.

What was the actual (or suspected) environmental impact of the non-compliance?

**NOTE** – please attach maps or diagrams to provide insight into the precise location of where the noncompliance took place.

No environmental impact.

Cause (or suspected cause) of non-compliance:

Monitoring program – dry bores.

Action taken to mitigate any adverse effects of non-compliance and prevent recurrence of the non-compliance:

These bores have been replaced by new bores 4/17 (Upstream), 1/17 and 2/17 (Midstream) and 3/17 (Downstream). Quarterly monitoring commenced in July 2017 with results being provided in the Annual Environmental Reports. A licence amendment application was submitted to DWER on the 14<sup>th</sup> December 2020 to ensure that the monitoring points listed on the licence reflect operations on site. A final amended licence was issued by DWER on 21 May 2021.

Was this non-compliance previously reported to DER?

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Reported to DER verbally	Date: / /
Reported to DER in writing	Date: 01 / 09 / 2016

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Condition no:	Condition 2 Table 2	Date(s) of non- compliance:	1 July 2020 – 30 June 2021	
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Details of non-compliance:

The licence states that sludge must be sent to an appropriate landfill facility. However, during the reporting period, sludge from the plant (24t) was sent to VMS composting facility in Busselton.

What was the actual (or suspected) environmental impact of the non-compliance?

**NOTE** – please attach maps or diagrams to provide insight into the precise location of where the noncompliance took place.

No negative environmental impact.

Cause (or suspected cause) of non-compliance:

This licence condition is considered an administrative error.

Action taken to mitigate any adverse effects of non-compliance and prevent recurrence of the non-compliance:

A licence amendment will be sought to enable sludge/biosolids from the Gnarabup WWTP to be disposed to either an approved landfill or composting facility.

Was this non-compliance previously reported to DER?

Yes, and

Reported to DER verbally	Date: / /
Reported to DER in writing	Date: / /

## Section F - Declaration

I/We declare that the information in this Annual Audit Compliance Report is true and correct and is not false or misleading in a material particular<sup>1</sup>. I/We consent to the Annual Audit Compliance Report being published on the Department of Environment Regulation's (DER) website.

Name: (printed)
Position:
Date:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> It is an offence under section 112 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* for a person to give information on this form that to their knowledge is false or misleading in a material particular.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> AACRs can only be signed by the licence holder or an authorised person with the legal authority to sign on behalf of the licence holder.