

28 October 2015

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Dear Ms Venn:

**REQUEST TO AMEND REGIONAL INTERESTS DEVELOPMENT APPROVAL (RPI15/002/
 PHOSPHATE INTERNATIONAL – BARR CREEK PROJECT)**

I refer to the Regional Interests Development Approval (RPI15/002/Phosphate International) for exploration activities associated with the Barr Creek Project. Phosphate International (the proponent) is seeking to amend the approval to allow drilling of four (4) additional RC holes in the D8 target area (refer attached map).

The additional drill holes will be located within access tracks already cleared under the current approval. It is also worth noting that the approved disturbance footprint (3.64 ha) is based on drill pads of 20 m x 20 m (0.04 ha) in size. However, the actual drill pad size is currently averaging around 8 m x 12 m (0.01 ha) due to the relatively flat and sparse nature of the terrain and the rigs deployed. The dimensions shown in the generic layout plan (Figure 2 of the RIDA) are therefore taken to represent a maximum disturbance area.

Phosphate International therefore proposes an amendment amend **Table 1: Approved activities** of the RIDA as follows:

Table 1: Approved Activities

Area of regional interest	Location	Resource activity	Total area of disturbance (ha)
Strategic environmental area	Lot 4 Crown Plan UN803944	38 Reverse Circulation (RC) drill sites	1.4ha
		3 Diamond drill sites	0.12ha
		Access tracks	2.04 ha
		Campsite	0.04ha
		Laydown storage	0.04ha
		Total area of disturbance	3.64ha



Please do not hesitate to contact me on mobile 0466 618 357 or email at kate@orangegum.com.au if you require further clarification regarding the proposed amendment.

Yours sincerely,

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