# **Application form**

**Environmental Protection Act 1994** 

## Application for review of original decision

This document is the approved form that is to be used when a person is dissatisfied with an original decision made by the administering authority under schedule 2 of the Environmental Protection Act 1994, or section 144 of the Environmental Protection Regulation 2019, and is seeking a review of that decision under section 521 of that Act.

#### Checklist for making an application

You must complete this checklist before you continue with the application form.

| Checklist questions   |               | Guidance  |
|---|---------------|---|
| Do you fit the definition of a dissatisfied person under section 520 of the EP Act?   | ⊠ YES         | If no, you cannot make this application as only a person who meets the dissatisfied person definition can apply for a review of an original decision. |
| <ul> <li>Is this application being lodged within either:</li> <li>Ten business days after the day on which you received notice of the original decision; or</li> <li>A longer period, as specifically stated in the notice of the original decision?</li> </ul> | ⊠ YES<br>□ NO | If no, you cannot make this application.  |



#### GUIDE

If more space is required for any responses, please attach additional information as a separate page.

#### **Application details**

#### 1. Applicant details

INDIVIDUAL OR BUSINESS NAME (INCLUDE TRADING NAME IF RELEVANT)

ISAAC REGIONAL COUNCIL

ABN/ACN/AN (IF RELEVANT)

39 2741 426 00

RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS OR REGISTERED BUSINESS ADDRESS (NOT A POST OFFICE BOX ADDRESS)

1 BATCHELOR PARADE MORANBAH

POSTAL ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE)

PO BOX 97 MORANBAH QLD 4744

**CONTACT PERSON** 

JEFF-STEWART HARRIS

PHONE

EMAIL

07 4846 3215

RECORDS@ISAAC.QLD.GOV.AU

State the original decision that you want reviewed. A full list of all original decisions can be found under schedule 2 of the EP Act, and section 144 of the Enviornmental Protection Regulation 2019.

The original decision reference number will be shown on the top of the notice of decision as 'our reference'.

### 2. Details of the original decision

ORIGINAL DECISION

APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORITY - PETROLEUM LEASE PL1034, PL1038, PL1045

ORIGINAL DECISION REFERENCE NUMBER

A-EA-NEW-100196712

DATE YOU RECEIVED NOTICE OF THE ORIGINAL DECISION

14 April 2023

If you reference any supporting information, please attach to this application.

Section 521(2)(b) provides that the application must be supported by enough information to enable the administering authority to decide the application.

3. State the reasons why you believe the decision is unreasonable or inappropriate.

As per Council's submission, the proponent has failed to fully consider the Traffic Impact Assessment associated with the activity, specifically -

- 1. Accessing the site through an unconstructed road this is likely to leave Council with an unreasonable cost burden in upgrading a road for no critical community purpose.
- 2. Accessing the site via an intersection (Unconstructed Road/Peak Downs Highway) that has not been suitably designed to cater for the increase in project traffic and nature of project traffic e.g. long vehicles carrying drill pipes. This creates an ongoing road safety issue that needs to be considered.

Refer attached council's original submission to the EIS

#### **Privacy statement**

The Department of Environment and Science and the Department of Argiculture and Fisheries (the administering authorities) are collecting information on this form in accordance with and as authorised by Chapter 11 of the Environmental Protection Act 1994 (EP Act).

Pursuant to section 521(3) of the EP Act, the administering authority must send to other persons who were given a Notice of the original decision, a Notice of this application and either: (1) a copy of this application and supporting documents; or (2) details of where a copy of this application and supporting documents may be inspected or acessed.

All information supplied on this form may be disclosed publicly in accordance with the *Right to Information Act 2009* and *Evidence Act 1977*. For queries about privacy matters email:

privacy@des.qld.gov.au or telephone: 13 74 68.

#### 4. Declaration

**Note:** If you have not told the truth in this application you may be liable for prosecution under the relevant Acts or Regulations.

#### I declare that:

- I am applying for the review of the original decision made by the administering authority as detailed in this application.
- The information provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
- I understand that it is an offence under section 480 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1994* to give to the administering authority, or an authorised person, a document containing information that I know, or ought reasonable to know, is false or misleading in a material particular.
- I understand that under section 480A of the Environmental Protection Act 1994 that, if I am required to give a document to the administrating authority or an authorised person, it is an offence to give a document that I know, or ought reasonable to know, contains incomplete information in a material particular.
- I understand that all information supplied on or with this application form may be disclosed publicly in accordance with the *Right to Information Act 2009* and the *Evidence Act 1977*.

| NAME                    |                |
|-------------------------|----------------|
| Jeff Stewart-Harris PSM |                |
| SIGNATURE               |                |
| POSITION OF SIGNATORY   |                |
| CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER | DATE 11/5/2023 |
| ISAAC REGIONAL COUNCIL  | /              |
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| Applicant checklist  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Application form has been signed and completed.                |  |  |  |
|  | Question 3: Supporting documentation attached (if applicable). |  |  |  |
| Please submit your completed application kit to:                               |  |  |  |  |
| For original decisions in relation to ERA 2, ERA 3 or ERA 4  Email: Enquiries: |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Box 102  |  |  |  |
| TOC  | DWOOMBA QLD 4350   |  |  |  |

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Email:

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