

Appendix A: Change notice – Regulation 22

<b>Interest holder</b>	Tamboran B2 Pty Ltd	<b>EMP Title</b>	Beetaloo Basin Kyalla, Civil Construction EP117 N2	<b>Unique EMP ID</b>	ORI1-1	<b>Mod #</b>	3	<b>Date</b>	10 July 2023
<b>Brief Description</b>	Increase to the surface disturbance of the Kyalla 117 N2 lease pad area from 4.5 ha to 4.75 ha.								
<b>Geospatial files included?</b>	Attached. Refer file: <a href="#">Kyalla 117 N2 lease pad extension.kmz</a>								
<b>Does the proposed change result in a new, or increased, or potential or actual environmental impact or risk?</b>	<b>If an INCREASE in the existing potential or actual environmental risk, is it provided for in the EMP?</b>	<b>Does the proposed change require additional mitigation measures to be included?</b>	<b>Has additional stakeholder engagement been conducted?</b>	<b>Does it require additional environmental performance standards and measurement criteria?</b>	<b>Does it affect compliances with Sacred Site Authority Certificates?</b>	<b>Does it affect current rehabilitation, weed fire, wastewater, erosion and sediment control, spill or emergency response plans?</b>	<b>Will the environmental outcome continue to be achieved and will the impacts and risks be managed to ALARP and acceptable?</b>		
No. There is no material increase in environmental impact or risk, as the vegetation within the proposed 0.25 ha area is of the same condition and type as that surrounding the existing lease pad area.	N/A. No increased impact or risk with sufficient baseline land condition assessment being completed at the new site.	No. Existing mitigation measures are in place covering land clearing, erosion and sediment control.	N/A This is a minor increase in surface disturbance to the existing lease pad area. This activity is covered under “ongoing stakeholder engagement”. <a href="#">Refer attached email dated 29 June 2023.</a>	No. Environmental performance standards for the protection of ecology and soils are sufficient.	No. Activity covered under the existing AAPA certificate C2019/014 and the newly issued C2023/049.	No. Tamboran operates all sites under a suite of management plans which contain common elements for all operating sites.  Existing plans remain valid and appropriate to cover any potential risk covered under the proposed modification in alignment with the existing approved EMP.	Yes. Tamboran only intends to clear sufficient surface area to place a larger wastewater pond, in preparation for drilling and hydraulic fracturing of wells approved under a separate EMP. <sup>1</sup>  Environmental outcomes pertaining to the protection of soils, surface water, groundwater, ecology and community are covered in the existing EMP and will not be impacted.		
<b>Additional contextual information</b>	<p><b>Modification to the approved Kyalla 117 N2 lease pad.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Two previous regulation 22 notifications have been made to this EMP, including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Haul road and helipad modification, 11 September 2019 (2.10 ha).</li> <li>Fence line modification 26 September 2019 (0.56 ha).</li> </ol> </li> <li>Total approved surface disturbance under this EMP (including 0.4 ha for the Stuart Highway intersection upgrade) is currently 9.26 ha. This regulation 22 will increase the overall disturbance area under this EMP to 9.51 ha <a href="#">and represents an increase of &lt;3% of the total footprint.</a></li> <li><a href="#">Kyalla 117 N2 is an existing lease pad on the EP 117. The NT Land Clearing Guidelines have been considered as follows:</a> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">Initial site selection / placement was assessed against the environmental considerations outlined in the NT Land Clearing guidelines, including but not limited to biodiversity, cultural heritage, soil, vegetation, weeds, etc.</a></li> <li><a href="#">There are no major creeks, sensitive vegetation or cultural heritage areas in the vicinity of the existing lease pad.</a></li> <li><a href="#">Soils are strongly leached lateritic and non-dispersive in nature with an overall erosion rating of very low.</a></li> </ol> </li> </ol>								

<sup>1</sup> Refer to the *Beetaloo Sub-basin Kyalla 117 N2 Multi-well Drilling, Hydraulic Fracturing and Well Testing Program* EMP (ORI6-3), approved 22 February 2021.

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- d. Directional flow across the lease pad is from the south-west to north-east. The proposed location of the clearing is in keeping with directional flow towards the sediment basin located in the north-east of the lease pad.
- e. Weed management is covered by the existing Weed Management Plan.
- f. The proposed cleared area will be incorporated into the existing site bunded area.
- g. As highlighted by fauna camera surveys of the site, fauna interactions resulting in impacts or mortalities are very low.

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EP117	Stockpile laydown	Hayfield/Shenandoah	53	356435	8137500	0.2
EP117	Access Tracks	Hayfield/Shenandoah	53	356192	8138068	0.5
EP117	Fence line (Reg 22 ORI1-1.1)	Hayfield/Shenandoah	53	356193	8137318	0.56
EP117	Helipad (Reg 22 ORI1-1.2)	Hayfield/Shenandoah	53	356305	8137827	2.1
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**2.4 Project Proponent**

The proponent for the project is Origin as the operator. The key Operator contacts for this plan are provided below. Origin representatives can be contacted on 1800 052 630 or [Community.feedback@originenergy.com](mailto:Community.feedback@originenergy.com)

Name	Title
Tracey Boyes	General Manager- Beetaloo and Growth Assets
Matthew Hanson	Project and Operations Manager

**2.4 Project Proponent**

The proponent for the project is **Tamboran B2 Pty Ltd** as the Operator. **Representatives** can be contacted at [tamboran.contact@tamboran.com](mailto:tamboran.contact@tamboran.com).

Current EMP text		Amended EMP text
Stephanie Stonier	Corporate Affairs Manager	
Matt Kerke	Environment Specialist	
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<p><b>Appendix H Environmental Work Instruction</b></p> <p><b>Scope</b></p> <p><u>Exploration well lease and camp pads</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.5ha well lease pad which includes 20m firebreaks</li> <li>1ha camp pad including irrigation area to irrigate effluent from camps, stimulation and well testing. The irrigation area is to be fenced and not cleared.</li> </ul> <p><u>Drilling Sump</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Drill sump to be constructed on cleared lease pad to support drilling operations; engineered to store drilling fluids, muds and drill cuttings</li> <li>Coletanche liner installed over sump surface to contain all drilling fluids. Coletanche is to be installed as per the provided installation standards.</li> <li></li> </ul> <p><u>Gravel Pits</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gravel pits will be sourced from two existing approved locations. Upon cessation of activities, the gravel pits will be recontoured back to a stable, safe and non-polluting form. Topsoil will be reinstated across the gravel pit and natural revegetation used as the primary vegetation reinstatement measure.</li> </ul> <p><u>Fly Camps</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Temporary portable fly camps will be used to support activity where required</li> <li>All sewerage and rubbish being removed from site for offsite disposal routinely.</li> <li>All fly camps will be in existing disturbed areas and will not require additional clearing.</li> </ul> <p><u>Access Track/Roads</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only access tracks identified in this work instruction shall be used for the activity. For areas where clearing of new access tracks are required, all work will be undertaken under supervision of the OE Construction Superintendent in accordance with this work pack.</li> <li>All vegetation clearing outside of the approved area is prohibited.</li> </ul> <p><u>General</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Water will be sourced from an approved source as directed by OE.</li> <li>If required gravel will be sourced from an existing approved pit with approval from landholder/DPIR or a new nominated pit as outlined in OE EMP.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Appendix H Environmental Work Instruction</b></p> <p><b>Scope</b></p> <p><u>Exploration well lease and camp pads</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.75 ha well lease pad which includes 20m firebreaks</li> <li>1ha camp pad including irrigation area to irrigate effluent from camps, stimulation and well testing. The irrigation area is to be fenced and not cleared.</li> </ul> <p><u>Drilling Sump</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Drill sump to be constructed on cleared lease pad to support drilling operations; engineered to store drilling fluids, muds and drill cuttings</li> <li>Coletanche liner installed over sump surface to contain all drilling fluids. Coletanche is to be installed as per the provided installation standards.</li> <li></li> </ul> <p><u>Gravel Pits</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gravel pits will be sourced from two existing approved locations. Upon cessation of activities, the gravel pits will be recontoured back to a stable, safe and non-polluting form. Topsoil will be reinstated across the gravel pit and natural revegetation used as the primary vegetation reinstatement measure.</li> </ul> <p><u>Fly Camps</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Temporary portable fly camps will be used to support activity where required</li> <li>All sewerage and rubbish being removed from site for offsite disposal routinely.</li> <li>All fly camps will be in existing disturbed areas and will not require additional clearing.</li> </ul> <p><u>Access Track/Roads</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only access tracks identified in this work instruction shall be used for the activity. For areas where clearing of new access tracks are required, all work will be undertaken under supervision of the OE Construction Superintendent in accordance with this work pack.</li> <li>All vegetation clearing outside of the approved area is prohibited.</li> </ul> <p><u>General</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Water will be sourced from an approved source as directed by OE.</li> <li>If required gravel will be sourced from an existing approved pit with approval from landholder/DPIR or a new nominated pit as outlined in OE EMP.</li> </ul>