



Office of the Environmental Protection Authority

S38 Referrals, S16 and/or S46 Advice

Title: Gruyere Gold Project

Location: Shire of Laverton

Ref ID: CMS15223

Date Received: 04-03-2016

Date More Information Received:

Referrer: MBS Environmental

Proponent: Gold Road Resources Limited

Contact: Mr Glenn Firth

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Preliminary

Environmental Factors: Subterranean Fauna, Flora and Vegetation, Heritage, Rehabilitation and Decommissioning

Potential Significant Effects: Clearing up to 1200 ha of native vegetation. Dewatering for processing water may result in a lowering of the watertable and impacts to subterranean fauna and habitat. Not all species of the subterranean fauna have been identified elsewhere.

Public	Assess-API-A: 0
Comments	Assess-API B: 0
On Referral	Assess – PER: 0
Information:	Do Not Assess: 0
TOTAL COMMENTS: 1	

Determination: Assess: Assessment on Proponent Information (Category A) (Assessment No. 2083)

Explanation of Decision: Assessment at the level of API Category A is warranted as: the proposal raises a limited number of preliminary key environmental factors that can be readily managed and for which there is an established condition setting framework; at this stage appears to be consistent with established EPA policies and guidelines; the proponent has conducted appropriate stakeholder consultation; and there is limited or local concern about the likely effect of the proposal, if implemented, on the environment.

No appeals.

Chairman's Initials: 

Date:

15/6/16