


**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AUTHORITY**

**Weekly record of determinations for  
development proposals**

<b>Title:</b>	BHP Billiton Iron Ore - Pilbara Expansion Strategic Proposal, Shire of East Pilbara and Town of Port Hedland			<b>Determination:</b>
<b>Referral ID:</b>	A521585	<b>Date Received:</b>	06/07/2012	<b>Assess:</b> Public Environmental Review
<b>Referrer:</b>	BHP Billiton Iron Ore Pty Ltd			PER Public Review Period: 12 weeks
<b>Proponent:</b>	BHP Billiton Iron Ore Pty Ltd			Assessment No: 1934
<b>Contact:</b>	Mr Gavin Price			<b>Procedure:</b>
<b>Telephone:</b>	6224 4024			Strategic Proposal: Proponent-prepared Environmental Scoping Document
<b>LGA:</b>				ESD Public Review Period: 4 weeks
<b>Environmental Factors:</b>	Water (surface and ground); Flora and vegetation; Fauna and habitat; Rehabilitation and closure; Air emissions; Greenhouse gas emissions.			
<b>Potential Significant Impacts:</b>	Potential cumulative and regional scale impacts to water resources, air quality and biodiversity values.			
<b>Public comments on referral information:</b>	Not Assess		0	
	Assess (no public review)		0	
	Assess (with public review)		1	
	TOTAL COMMENTS		1	
<b>Explanation of Decision:</b>	The scale and the duration of the strategic proposal warrant assessment at the highest level with extensive public review period.			<b>Chairman's initials:</b> 
<b>Officer:</b>	Nyomi Bowers			<b>Date Signed:</b> 25-7.12