

**Public record pursuant to s39(1) of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986***

**Proposal Title:** West Erregulla Field Development Program

**Proposal Location:** 234 kilometres (km) north of Perth, and 50 km south-east of Dongara

**Case Number:** CMS 18030

**Date referral received:** 23-06-2021

**Referrer:** Strike Energy Limited

**Proponent:** Strike Energy Limited

**Potential significant effects:**

There are potential impacts on: Flora and Vegetation from the clearing of up to 38.53 ha of native vegetation; Terrestrial Fauna from the clearing of habitat, collision and entrapment in trenches; Terrestrial Environmental Quality from potential contamination; Greenhouse Gas from increased emissions.

**Preliminary key environmental factors:** Flora and Vegetation, Terrestrial Fauna, Terrestrial Environmental Quality and Greenhouse Gas Emissions.

**Public comment on referral information:**

Do not assess:	3
Assess: a) Referral information	0
b) Environmental review - no public review	0
c) Public environmental review	46
<i>Total submissions:</i>	49

**Decision:** s. 39A – Assess

**Level of assessment:**

Referral Information with additional information required under section 40(2)(a) of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (2-week public review).

**Explanation of decision:**

There are several preliminary key environmental factors, and the proposal occurs in an area of high biodiversity. Further information and detailed assessment is required to determine the extent of the proposal's direct and indirect impacts, and how the environmental issues could be managed. Further information is required on the preliminary key environmental factors and an analysis on the cumulative impacts of this proposal, including with existing and foreseeable activities and the proposed West Erregulla Processing Plant and Pipeline. This additional information will be subject to a two-week public review.

**Appeals:** Decision not appealable.



**Professor Mathew Tonts**

CHAIR

Delegate of the Environmental Protection Authority

**Date:** 15 September 2021