

Environmental Protection Authority

Public record pursuant to s. 39 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*

Proposal title: Cooljarloo Mineral Sands Project – Osprey Expansion (Section 40AA significant amendment to the Cooljarloo West Titanium Minerals Project)

Proposal location: 20 km northwest of Cataby

CMS number: APP-0027509

Date referral received: 07-03-2025

Date more information received: 30-04-2025

Referrer: Tronox Management Pty Ltd

Proponent: Tronox Management Pty Ltd

Potential significant effects:

There are potential impacts on: flora and vegetation and terrestrial fauna from clearing of native vegetation; inland waters from the disturbance of acid sulfate soils, groundwater abstraction and dredge mining.

Preliminary key environmental factors: flora and vegetation, terrestrial fauna and inland waters

Public comment on referral information:

Do not assess: 0

Assess: a) Referral information 0

b) Environmental review - no public review 0

c) Public environmental review 4

Total submissions: 4

Decision: s. 38G(1) – Assess

Level of assessment:

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

Other details

Public review period for additional assessment information (4 weeks)

Explanation of decision:

Several preliminary key environmental factors are complex. Detailed assessment is required to determine the extent of the proposal's direct, indirect and cumulative impacts, and whether the EPA environmental factor objectives can be met. The EPA consider that the proposal is likely to have a degree of public interest that warrants public review.

Appeals: Decision is not appealable.



Mr. Darren Walsh

CHAIR

Delegate of the Environmental Protection Authority

Date: 18 June 2025