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Statement No. 1227

STATEMENT TO AMEND THE IMPLEMENTATION CONDITIONS APPLYING TO A PROPOSAL (Section 46 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*)

CAPE RICHE SEAWATER DESALINATION PLANT

Proposal: The proposal is to construct and operate a 12 GL/annum seawater desalination plant in order to supply water to Grange Resource's Southdown Magnetite operations.

Proponent: Grange Resources Limited
Australian Company Number 009 132 405

Proponent address: 34a Alexander Street
BURNIE TASMANIA 7320

Report of the Environmental Protection Authority: 1764

Preceding Statements relating to this proposal: 904 and 1061

Pursuant to section 45 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*, as applied by section 46(8), it has been agreed that the implementation conditions set out in Ministerial Statement No. 904 (as amended by Ministerial Statement No. 1061), be amended as specified in this Statement.

Condition 3 of Ministerial Statement 904 (as replaced by Ministerial Statement 1061) is deleted and replaced with:

3 Time Limit for Proposal Implementation

3-1 The proponent shall not commence implementation of the proposal after the expiration of five (5) years from the date of this Statement, and any commencement, within this five (5) year period, must be substantial.

3-2 Any commencement of implementation of the proposal, within five (5) years from the date of this Statement, must be demonstrated as substantial by providing the **CEO** with written evidence, on or before the expiration of five (5) years from the date of this Statement.

Table 1: Abbreviations and definitions

Acronym	Definition
CEO	The Chief Executive Officer of the Department of the Public Service of the State responsible for the administration of section 48 of the <i>Environmental Protection Act 1986</i> , or his/her delegate.

[signed on 01 July 2024]

HON DR. TONY BUTI MLA
ACTING MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT; CLIMATE ACTION

Affected decision-making authorities consulted under section 46(8A):
Minister for Aboriginal Affairs Minister for Lands