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STATEMENT THAT A PROPOSAL MAY BE IMPLEMENTED (PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT 1986)

Forest Management Plan 2014-2023

- Proposal: Forest Management Plan 2014-2023 (as described in Table 1 of this Statement)
- Proponent: Conservation Commission of Western Australia

Proponent Address: 17 Dick Perry Avenue, Kensington, WA 6151

Assessment Number: 1921

Report of the Environmental Protection Authority Number: 1483

This Statement authorises the implementation of the Proposal described and documented in Table 1 of Schedule 1. The implementation of the Proposal is subject to the following implementation conditions.

1 Amendments to the Proposed Forest Management Plan 2014-2023

- 1-1 The proponent shall amend the Proposal in accordance with conditions 1-1 (1) to (9) prior to it being transmitted to the Minister for Environment under the Conservation and Land Management Act 1984 in line with the following:
 - (1) Amend management activity 121 to include a target completion date within the first half of the implementation of the Forest Management Plan for the development of a protocol for each key performance indicator to specify how the measurement of each key performance indicator will be undertaken;
 - (2) Amend management activity 130 to include target completion dates for the mid-term and end-of-term performance reviews, and to require that the reviews are made publicly available on completion;
 - (3) Amend management activity 14.2 to include a target completion date within the first quarter of the implementation of the Forest Management Plan for the preparation of *Goals for Understorey Structural Diversity*;

- (4) Amend management activity 17.1 to include a target completion date within the first quarter of the implementation of the Forest Management Plan for the revision of *Guidelines for Selection of Fauna Habitat Zones*;
- (5) Amend management activity 118.1 to include a target completion date within the first quarter of the implementation of the Forest Management Plan for the preparation of a regulation policy to confirm the regulatory framework around timber harvesting;
- (6) Amend management activity 6.3 to include a target completion date within the first quarter of the implementation of the Forest Management Plan for the preparation of a procedure to identify and demarcate old-growth forest;
- (7) Amend management activity 118.2 to include the target completion date of 31 December 2014 for the development and implementation of formal working arrangements between the Department of Parks and Wildlife and the Forest Products Commission;
- (8) Amend management activity 61 so that any proposal to increase the average annual yield of logs above the quantities stipulated in Tables 4 and 5 and up to the upper limits stipulated in Table 6 is to be approved by the Minister for Environment; and
- (9) Amend management activity 4 to reference the correct Appendix

[Signed 21 November 2013]

Albert Jacob MLA MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT; HERITAGE

Schedule 1

Table 1: Summary of the Proposal

Proposal Title	Forest Management Plan 2014-2023
Short Description	Proposed Forest Management Plan 2014 – 2023 dated April 2013 which applies to land vested in the Conservation Commission within the Swan, South West and Warren regions of the Department of Environment and Conservation, and the lands collectively referred to as 'Redmond' forest block within the South Coast Region (refer to Figure 1). Implemented in accordance with conditions of this statement.

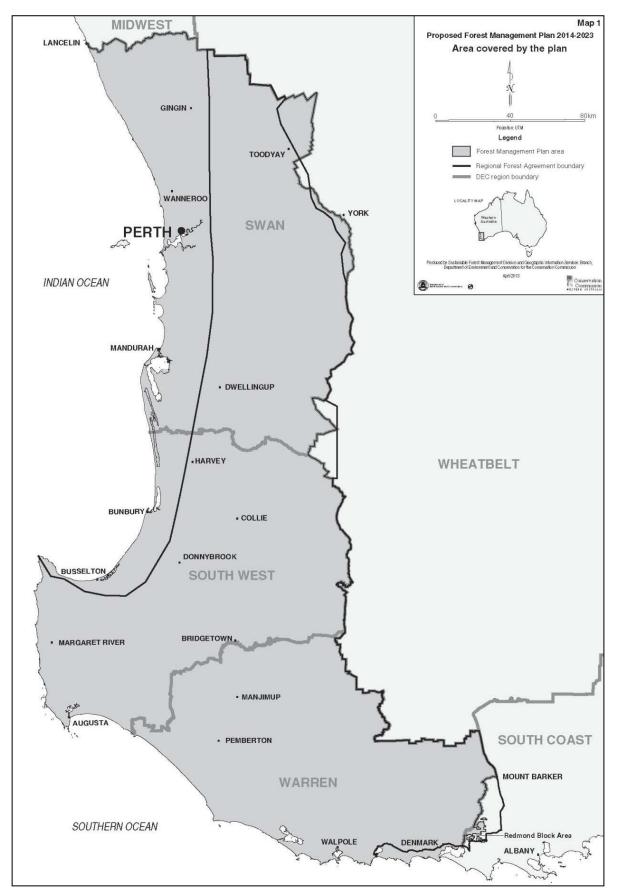


Figure 1: Area covered by the Proposed Forest Management Plan 2014-2023