

## **APPENDIX 8**

Metronet Project Ranford Road, Canning Vale, Western  
Australia – Auditor Endorsement

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Dear Stuart,

**Public Transport Authority (PTA) - Metronet Project, Ranford Road, Canning Vale, Western Australia - Auditor Endorsement**

Dr. Stuart Campbell of Public Transport Authority (PTA) contacted Prensa Pty Ltd (Prensa) on 10 August 2018 requesting formal Auditor acceptance of the following documents:

- GHD (June 2016), *Public Transport Authority, Lots 302, 303 and 500 Ranford Road, Canning Vale, Preliminary Site Investigation (PSI)*; and
- GHD (October 2017), *Public Transport Authority, Ranford Road Metronet, Sampling and Analysis Quality Plan (SAQP) for Detailed Site Investigation (DSI)*.

Nick Owen of Prensa, a Department of Water and Environmental Regulation (DWER) accredited Contaminated Sites Auditor, reviewed the abovementioned reports (including later revisions)<sup>1</sup> and provided the Auditor comments<sup>2</sup> to PTA and Assessment Consultant, GHD.

Based on the Auditor's review of the latest version of the PSI report (September 2018) and SAQP (November 2017), the Auditor acknowledges that comments provided to GHD have generally been considered and/or addressed to the satisfaction of the Auditor, however it is noted that several comments within the PSI report (September 2018) were unable to be addressed pending further assessment (which the Auditor understands will be undertaken at a later stage [as part of the DSI]).

Although the current status of selected Auditor comments remain open, the Auditor endorses the PSI (September 2018) and SAQP (November 2017) and will ensure any outstanding Auditor comments are addressed and closed as part of future assessment works and confirmed during any reviews conducted by the Auditor.

<sup>1</sup> PSI (September 2018 [Rev 1]) and SAQP (November 2017 [Rev 1]).

<sup>2</sup> Prensa references: 25874 L1 PSI & SAQP 241017 dated 24 October 2017 (PSI and SAQP);  
25874 L2 SAQP dated 9 November 2017 (SAQP);  
28150 L1 SAQP Auditor Comments 09102018 dated 9 October 2018 (SAQP); and  
28150 L2 PSI Auditor Comments 09102018 dated 9 October 2018 (PSI).

Should you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact me on (03) 9508 0100.

Yours sincerely,

**Prensa Pty Ltd**



**Nick Owen**

**Contaminated Sites Auditor**

**Appointed pursuant to the *Contaminated Sites Act 2003***

### **Statement of Limitations**

This interim correspondence has been prepared in response to specific instructions from Public Transport Authority to whom the correspondence has been addressed. The work has been undertaken with the usual care and thoroughness of the consulting profession. The interim correspondence is based on the investigation and analytical results by the assessment consultant. The work is based on generally accepted standards and practices of the time the work was undertaken.

This interim correspondence has been prepared for consideration by the Assessor and for the benefit of Public Transport Authority. The use of this correspondence by other parties may lead to misinterpretation of the issues contained within.