



GOVERNMENT OF
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S48A Referrals

Environmental Protection Authority

Title: Shire of Derby West Kimberley Local Planning Scheme 9 (LPS 9)

Location: Whole of Scheme Area

Description: The Shire of Derby West Kimberley proposes to replace its existing planning schemes with LPS 9, which is consistent with updates to the *Planning and Development (Local Planning Scheme) Regulations 2015* and aligns with the Shire of Derby West Kimberley Local Planning Strategy.

Ref ID: CMS18188

Date Received: 11/04/2022 **Date Sufficient Information Received:** 24/05/2022

Responsible Authority: Shire of Derby West Kimberley PO Box 94 Derby WA 6728

Contact: Robert Paull

Preliminary Environmental Factors: Social Surroundings, Inland Waters, Benthic Communities and Habitats, Marine Environmental Quality, Terrestrial Environmental Quality, Flora and Vegetation and Terrestrial Fauna.


Potential Significant Effects: Potential impacts from future development including waste facilities may cause hydrological impacts (to water bodies, marine environments, and drinking water sources), soil contamination, odour and dust emissions, disturbance of Aboriginal Heritage sites, and clearing of vegetation and potential fauna habitat.

Management: Potential impacts can be managed through proposed scheme provisions. Future planning processes and development requirements can also manage potential impacts. Future proposals may require referral under Part IV and/or V of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*.

Determination: **Referral Examined, Preliminary Investigations and Inquiries Conducted. Scheme Amendment Not to be Assessed Under Part IV of EP Act. Advice Given. (Not Appealable)**

The Environment Protection Authority (EPA) has carried out some investigations and inquiries before deciding not to assess this scheme. In deciding not to formally assess schemes, the EPA has determined that no further assessment is required by the EPA.

This Determination is not appealable.

Chair's Initials: 

Date: 15 June 2022