

***Environmental Protection Act 1986*****Section 47A****NOTICE OF DECISION TO WITHDRAWAL MINISTERIAL STATEMENT****PERSON TO WHOM THIS NOTICE IS GIVEN**

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(b) Environmental Protection Authority  
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(c) Relevant Decision-Making Authorities, see Attachment 1

**PROPOSAL TO WHICH THIS NOTICE RELATES:**

Proposal Title: Three Mile Hill Gold Project, Nee Coolgardie  
Assessment No. 246 and 246-1  
Statement No(s): 75 and 246

**DECISION**

Pursuant to s. 47A of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (EP Act), the Executive Director, EPA Services as delegate for the Minister for Environment gives approval for the following:

- Ministerial Statements 75 and 246 are withdrawn.

**SUMMARY OF REASONS**

- The Ministerial Statements have been withdrawn under s. 47A(3)(b) of the EP Act. The impacts of the implementation of the proposal can be satisfactorily mitigated by way of licensing or some other form of regulatory control under this Act or another written law.
- The implementation of the proposal can be satisfactorily mitigated under Part V Division 3 of the EP Act (L8249/2008/3) and legislation regulated by the Department of Energy, Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety.

**EFFECT OF THIS NOTICE:**

1. The proposal is withdrawn under s. 47A of the EP Act.

**RIGHTS OF APPEAL:**

There are no rights of appeal under the EP Act in respect of this decision.

[Signed 6 June 2024]

**Robert Hughes**  
**A/Executive Director**  
**EPA Services**

For the Minister for Environment  
Under Notice of Delegation date 22 May 2023.

Attachment 1 – Relevant DMAs.

**Attachment 1**

**Relevant Decision Making Authorities**

- Director General, Department of Water and Environmental Regulation
- Director General, Department of Mine, Industry Regulation and Safety