

Public record pursuant to s39(1) of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*

Proposal Title: Quarry at Lot 150 Clydesdale Road, Grass Valley

Proposal Location: Lot 150 Clydesdale Road, Grass Valley

Case Number: CMS 17570

Date referral received: 20-02-2019

Date more information received: 31-01-2020

Referrer: Third Party

Proponent: Resource Group (WA) Pty Ltd

Potential significant effects:

There are potential impacts on: Flora and Vegetation from the clearing of 8.2 hectares, Terrestrial Fauna from the clearing of potential fauna habitat and from road collisions, Social Surroundings from construction and operational noise; and Air Quality from dust emissions.

Public comment on referral information:

Do not assess:	0
Assess: a) Referral information	0
b) Environmental review - no public review	0
c) Public environmental review	8
<i>Total submissions:</i>	8

Decision: s. 39A – Not Assess

Referral Examined, preliminary investigations and inquiries conducted. Proposal not to be assessed under Part IV of the EP Act – Advice given.

Explanation of decision:

The EPA considers that the likely environmental effects of the proposal are not so significant as to warrant formal assessment due to historic disturbance for agricultural purposes at the proposed site; and the extent and consequence of the predicted impacts as a result of the proposal, are predicted to be of a small scale.

The EPA is of the view that the potential impacts of the proposal can be adequately managed through implementation of the proposal in accordance with the referral documentation, the proponent's management and mitigation measures and associated legislation.

The EPA considers that emissions such as dust and potential impacts from clearing activities can be adequately regulated through other statutory processes including Part V Division 1 (Clearing of Native Vegetation) and Division 2 (Works approval and licence) of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*, and the Extractive Industry Licence administered under the *Planning and Development Act 2005*.

Appeals:

This decision is appealable. Appeals close 30-03-2020. Appeals are administered by the Office of the Appeals Convenor.



Dr Tom Hatton

CHAIRMAN

Delegate of the Environmental Protection Authority

Date: 11 March 2020