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Dear Mr Perera

**Notification of Approved Program for Environment Protection and Rehabilitation (PEPR) Review**

In reference to your submission dated June 2025, the PEPR has been approved pursuant to section 70C(5) of the [Mining Act 1971](#) (the Mining Act).

The approved PEPR will be made publicly available on the Mining Register and the Department for Energy and Mining (DEM) [website](#). Details of the approved PEPR are listed below.

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| <b>Tenement Holder</b>            | OZM Carrapateena Pty Ltd<br><br>OZ Minerals Carrapateena Pty Ltd   |
| <b>Tenement Type &amp; Number</b> | Mining Lease and Miscellaneous Purposes Licences for the Carrapateena Mine:<br>ML 6471, MPL 149, MPL152, MPL153, MPL154, MPL 156 |
| <b>PEPR Number</b>                | MPEPR2025/011  |
| <b>Name of Operation</b>          | Carrapateena Mine  |

You are reminded that you must always implement and comply with the approved PEPR.

This approval does not constitute endorsement of the systems that you have in place to manage the mining operations in compliance with the Mining Act. Whilst your capability to undertake this activity has been considered in this approval, the responsibility for compliance with the Mining Act always remains with the tenement holder.

The legislative requirements outlined below must be actioned prior to commencement of operations authorised by the PEPR Review.

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| <b>1</b> | <p><b>Compliance Reporting</b><br/>You are required to submit an annual compliance report as per existing reporting requirements. Please refer to the DEM <a href="#">website</a> for more information on the reporting requirements.</p> |
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| 2 | <p><b>Work, Health and Safety Compliance</b></p> <p>In accordance with Chapter 10 of the <i>Work Health and Safety Regulations 2012 (SA)</i>, you must meet the requirements for mine operators in South Australia, which include a notification for mining operations, the establishment of a Safety Management System, the identification of Principal Mining Hazards and development of a Principal Mining Hazard Management Plan. Further information on your responsibilities, including a guide to Chapter 10, and the Mine Operator Notification Form, is available on the <a href="#">SafeWork SA website</a>.</p> |
| 3 | <p><b>Native Vegetation</b></p> <p>The native vegetation clearance and establishment of an on-ground Significant Environmental Benefit (SEB) set out in the PEPR remains unchanged from MPEPR2024/009.</p> <p>SEB will be provided through purchase of SEB offset credits from Nature Foundation SA's Witchelina Reserve. If SEB credits cannot be purchased from Nature Foundation SA, staged payments must be made into the Native Vegetation Fund. (PEPR appendix D section 6.1.8).</p>   |
| 4 | <p><b>Environment Protection Authority (EPA) Authorisation</b></p> <p>Under the requirements of the <i>Environment Protection Act 1993 (SA)</i>, you are required to comply with the conditions of EPA licence number 50463 for this operation.</p>  |

In addition to the requirements under the Mining Act, you are reminded that your operation will have other legislative requirements that you will need to comply with.

If you have any further queries, please contact Greg Tyczenko, Principal Compliance Officer [REDACTED]  
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Yours sincerely



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18 September 2025

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