

ANNUAL COMPLIANCE REPORT 2023

EPBC APPROVAL 2008/4454

**YALLOURN COAL FIELD REALIGNMENT, LATROBE
VALLEY, VIC**

**REMOVAL AND OFFSET OF *EUCALYPTUS
STRZELECKII* (STRZELECKI GUM)**



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Introduction

This Annual Compliance report is a requirement of EnergyAustralia Yallourn's EPBC 2008/4454 Approval as part of the Yallourn Coal Field Realignment project. Realignment of the mining footprint resulted in an impact to 523 *Eucalyptus strzeleckii* (Strzelecki Gum), a species listed as 'vulnerable' under the Environmental Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act, 1999 (EPBC Act) and as such its removal was conditional based on Federal Department approval.

Description of Activities

EnergyAustralia owns and operates the Yallourn Mine and adjacent Power Station in the Latrobe Valley in Victoria. The Yallourn Power Station has a nameplate generation capacity of 1480 megawatts, supplying approximately 22% of Victoria's electricity. Coal mining in the Yallourn Open Cut commenced in 1924 following overburden removal during the previous three years. Since then, over one billion tonnes of coal has been mined. To continue mining, EnergyAustralia Yallourn, then TRUenergy Yallourn, began the planning process for changing the design of the Maryvale Field as part of the Yallourn Coal Field Re-alignment project in 2007.

Approval for the removal of Strzelecki Gums was granted by the Department of Sustainability, Environment, Water, Populations and Communities (DSEWPC) on the 15th of February 2011, subject to conditional requirements detailed in approval document EPBC 2008/4454. In 2021, a stability incident at the Morwell River Diversion triggered a change to nominated offset areas. This trigger led to a review of the entire Offset Management Plan with new approval conditions. The requirements of these conditions are listed within Table 1: EPBC Approval Conditions Compliance Table with detail describing the compliance activities undertaken.

Commencement of operations is defined by the removal of the first Strzelecki Gum on January 29, 2016; however offset work including revegetation, weed control, pest animal control, fencing and on-title protection has been ongoing since the approval date of 15 February, 2011. Compliance with Condition 2 of the EPBC 2008/4454 approval required EnergyAustralia Yallourn to enter into three Land Owner Agreements and a single Crown Land Licence with

the Victorian Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning (DELWP) which included the requirements of the Offset Management Plan. Three Land Owner Agreements were required due to the distance between each of the vegetation communities at the Morwell River, Latrobe River and Morwell West Drain. Appendix C: Annual Bushbroker Reporting to Victorian DELWP provides a record of annual activities completed to October 2022 to demonstrate compliance with the Offset Management Plan requirements. Prior to agreements with DELWP, weed and pest control was previously embedded within other EnergyAustralia Yallourn conservation management programs prior to commencement of operations; however, areas containing Strzelecki Gum are now tracked exclusively to meet Department of Environment (DoE) and DELWP requirements.

This is the seventh Annual Compliance Report prepared by EnergyAustralia Yallourn to demonstrate enhancement of the local Strzelecki Gum population and compliance with EPBC 2008/4454 approval requirements.

2022 Compliance Summary

In 2022 EAY are compliant with all conditions of the approval. A revised 2021 Offset Management Plan has been submitted to the DoE due to changes triggered by the Morwell River Diversion stability incident. Further compliance detail is provided overleaf in the 2022 Compliance Table.

2022 Compliance Table

Table 1: EPBC Approval Conditions Compliance Table

Condition Number / Reference	Condition	Project compliance with condition in 2022	Evidence/Comments
1	The person taking the action must not clear more than 523 <i>Eucalyptus strzeleckii</i> individuals in the project area .	Compliant	EnergyAustralia Yallourn (EAY) is mining within the approved project footprint. 523 Strzelecki Gum were recorded within the project footprint.
2	To offset impacts on the EPBC Act listed <i>Eucalyptus strzeleckii</i> , the person taking the action must place a legally binding conservation covenant over the offset areas , or other land parcels as may be approved in writing by the Minister , to protect these offset areas in perpetuity. The remaining areas not identified as offset areas in the land titles at Appendix 3 are to be managed in accordance with any state government approval requirements.	Compliant	EnergyAustralia Yallourn is now compliant with this condition by providing on-title protection to Strzelecki Gum OMP zones. Appendix A: Department of Environment Letter Detailing Contravention of Condition 2 for evidence and history.

Condition Number / Reference	Condition	Project compliance with condition in 2022	Evidence/Comments
	The person taking the action must execute the conservation covenant within 2 years of the date of this approval decision. The covenant must prohibit any development or clearing within the offset areas .		
3	<p>To offset the impacts to <i>Eucalyptus strzeleckii</i>, the person taking the action must, before commencement of operations, obtain the Minister's approval of an Offset Management Plan for the offset areas.</p> <p>The Offset Management Plan must include details of: management actions to: Plant no less than 2000 <i>Eucalyptus strzeleckii</i> individuals (seedling stock) in the area of EnergyAustralia Yallourn's (formerly known as TRUenergy Yallourn) mining licence along the Latrobe and Morwell Rivers; Plant no less than 3230 <i>Eucalyptus strzeleckii</i> individuals in the planned Morwell West Drain diversion; and Protect no less than 1480 existing <i>Eucalyptus strzeleckii</i> individuals.</p>	Compliant	<p>Original Offset Management Plan developed and approved in 2011 with a major revision submitted in 2021 due to the Morwell River Diversion stability incident.</p> <p>A summary of the management actions completed during 2022 in protected offset areas is given in Appendix C: Annual Bushbroker Reporting to Victorian DELWP.</p> <p>Error! Not a valid result for table. also gives a summary of the works completed during year 7 of the program.</p>

Condition Number / Reference	Condition	Project compliance with condition in 2022	Evidence/Comments
	<p>the desired outcomes/objectives of implementing the plan;</p> <p>the location, protected matters and boundaries for each offset area, through maps and / or textual descriptions as well as accompanying shapefiles;</p> <p>details on the mechanism being implemented for protection in perpetuity of the offset areas and the mechanism of management of areas in Appendix 3.</p> <p>management actions for the long-term protection of the <i>Eucalyptus strzeleckii</i>;</p> <p>the timing, responsibilities and performance criteria for such actions;</p> <p>the development and implementation of a monitoring program;</p> <p>a process to report to the Department the offset area management actions undertaken and the outcome of those actions, identifying any need for improved management. For the five years after the commencement of operations, reports are to be submitted annually on or before the anniversary of the commencement of operations.</p>		

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	<p>Subsequently, reports are to be submitted every fifth year on or before the anniversary of the commencement of operations;</p> <p>a description of the potential risks to successful management and rehabilitation in the offset areas, and a description of the contingency measures that would be implemented to mitigate these risks; and</p> <p>details of parties responsible for monitoring, reviewing and implementing the plan.</p> <p>The person taking the action must implement the version of the Offset Management Plan most recently approved by the Minister in writing.</p>		
4	<p>Within 14 days after commencement of operations, the person taking the action must advise the Department in writing of the actual date of commencement of operations.</p>	Compliant	<p>Letter sent from EAY on February 3, 2016, five days after commencement of operations.</p> <p>See Appendix B: EnergyAustralia Yallourn Letter Advising of Commencement of Operations</p>

Condition Number / Reference	Condition	Project compliance with condition in 2022	Evidence/Comments
5	On or before every 12 month anniversary of the commencement of the operations, the person taking the action must submit to the Department an annual report addressing compliance with the conditions of this approval. Each annual report must list each approval condition and the actions taken to address each approval condition. Annual reports must be provided until the Minister is satisfied that the person taking the action has complied with all conditions of the approval.	Compliant	This report has been submitted prior to the seventh anniversary of the commencement of operations on 29 January 2016.
6	On the direction of the Minister , the person taking the action must ensure that an independent audit of compliance with these conditions of approval is conducted and a report submitted to the Minister . The independent auditor and audit criteria must be approved by the Minister prior to the commencement of the audit. The audit report must address the criteria to the satisfaction of the Minister . The report of the independent auditor may be made publicly available on the internet by the Department .	Compliant	No request received from the minister.

Condition Number / Reference	Condition	Project compliance with condition in 2022	Evidence/Comments
7	If the Minister believes that it is necessary or desirable for the better protection of <i>Eucalyptus strzeleckii</i> to do so, the Minister may request that the person taking the action make specified revisions to the Offset Management Plan approved pursuant to these conditions. The person taking the action must comply with any such request. The revised Offset Management Plan must be implemented.	Compliant	No request received from the minister. Revision of OMP completed in 2021/22.
8	If commencement of operations has not occurred within 5 years of the date of this approval, the person taking the action must not commence operations without the written agreement of the Minister.	Compliant	Letter sent from EAY on February 3, 2016, five days after commencement of operations. See Appendix B: EnergyAustralia Yallourn Letter Advising of Commencement of Operations
9	The person taking the action may, at any time, apply to the Minister for a variation to the Offset Management Plan by submitting an application in accordance with the requirements of section 143A of the EPBC Act .	Compliant	Variation request submitted in 2021. Revised OMP is being implemented as agreed.

Condition Number / Reference	Condition	Project compliance with condition in 2022	Evidence/Comments
	<p>If the Minister approves a revised Offset Management Plan then the approval holder must implement the revised Offset Management Plan.</p> <p>Without limitation to the previous paragraph of this condition 9, on or before 29 October 2021 the person taking the action must submit such an application to the Minister for a variation to the Offset Management Plan to reflect:</p> <p>an increase in the requirement under condition 3(a)(i) of these conditions that the person taking the action plant no less than 2020 <i>Eucalyptus strzeleckii</i> individuals (seedling stock) in the area of EnergyAustralia Yallourn’s mining licence along the Latrobe and Morwell Rivers; and a requirement that the reporting required under condition 3(h) of these conditions be amended to require that on and from 29 January 2023 reports are to be submitted annually on or before the anniversary of the</p>		

Condition Number / Reference	Condition	Project compliance with condition in 2022	Evidence/Comments
	commencement of operations (with, for the avoidance of doubt, the first such report being due on 29 January 2023).		
10	The person taking the action must: submit plans electronically to the Department for approval by the Minister , publish each plan on the website within 20 business days of the date the plan is approved by the Minister, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the Minister. Exclude or redact sensitive ecological data from plans published on the website or provided to a member of the public and keep plans published on the website until the end date of this approval.	Compliant	This report satisfies condition 10
11	The person taking the action must notify the Department in writing of any: incident ; non-compliance with the conditions; or non-compliance with the commitments made in plans . The notification must be given as soon as practicable, and no later than 2 business days after becoming aware of the incident or non-compliance. The notification must specify:	Compliant	Notification made to DoE requesting change to offset areas in 2021.

Condition Number / Reference	Condition	Project compliance with condition in 2022	Evidence/Comments
	<p>any condition which is or may be in breach</p> <p>a short description of the incident and/or non-compliance</p> <p>the location (including co-ordinates), date, and time of the incident and/or non-compliance. In the event the exact information cannot be provided, provide the best information available.</p>		
12	<p>The person taking the action must provide to the Department the details of any incident or non-compliance with the conditions or commitments made in plans as soon as practicable and no later than 10 business days after becoming aware of the incident or non-compliance, specifying:</p> <p>any corrective action or investigation which the approval holder has already taken or intends to take in the immediate future</p> <p>the potential impacts of the incident or non-compliance</p> <p>the method and timing of any remedial action that will be undertaken by the approval holder.</p>	Compliant	

Previous Compliance Record

1. Raised in 2017, non-compliance of Condition 2 was based on the timing of implementing a conservation covenant being longer than the specified two years. This was raised by EnergyAustralia Yallourn with detail given in Appendix A. Condition 2 is now compliant.
2. Raised in 2017, non-compliance of Condition 3 was limited to changes within the approved Offset Management Plan. All management actions and planting numbers remain as per the approved plan, however the proposed planting area within the Morwell West Drain Diversion has slightly deviated from the original plan. Planting of the drain itself increased the likelihood of a public road being subject to flooding; therefore the planting area was shifted to higher ground adjacent to the Morwell West Drain Diversion. The 2021 report identifies EAY being compliant with this condition with revised offset areas agreed in the 2021 OMP revision.

Declaration of Accuracy

In making this declaration, I am aware that sections 490 and 491 of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (Cth) (EPBC Act) make it an offence in certain circumstances to knowingly provide false or misleading information or documents. The offence is punishable on conviction by imprisonment or a fine, or both. I declare that all the information and documentation supporting this compliance report is true and correct in every particular. I am authorised to bind the approval holder to this declaration and that I have no knowledge of that authorisation being revoked at the time of making this declaration.

Signed



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Appendix A: Department of Environment Letter Detailing Contravention of Condition 2



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**ENERGY AUSTRALIA
CONTRAVENTION OF ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION AND BIODIVERSITY
CONSERVATION ACT 1999**

Further to your letter dated 16 December 2015, the Department of the Environment (the Department) has assessed the potential contravention of Section 142 of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act); specifically regarding a breach of condition 2 attached to the Yallourn Coal Field Realignment Project (EPBC 2008/4454).

Condition 2 requires the finalisation of a conservation covenant on offset land parcels within two years of the approval date (i.e. by 15 February 2013). Based on the available information, I am satisfied that there has been a contravention of Section 142 of the EPBC Act.

I note the administrative nature of this contravention, delays caused by third parties, the action not having commenced, and you proactively bringing this matter to the attention of the Department on behalf of the approval holder.

Noting the above, and that the matter did not result in an impact to matters of national environmental significance, I have considered the public interest in this matter as well as the options available under the Department's EPBC Act Compliance & Enforcement Policy¹ and in this instance; I believe that an appropriate response is for the Department to take no further action at this time beyond a reminder that all conditions of approval must be complied with. The Department may take this matter into account should there be any subsequent contravention of conditions of approval.

Should you have any questions please contact Chris Oates directly on (02) 6275 9691.


Kyran Gowland
Director
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Compliance & Enforcement Branch

15 January 2016

¹ The policy is available at <http://www.environment.gov.au/resource/compliance-and-enforcement-policy-environment-protection-and-biodiversity-conservation-act>

Appendix B: EnergyAustralia Yallourn Letter Advising of Commencement of Operations

3 February 2016



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Dear Mr Oates

EnergyAustralia – Yallourn Coal Field Realignment, Latrobe Valley, Vic (EPBC 2008/4454)

I refer to the approval (**Approval**) granted to EnergyAustralia Yallourn Pty Ltd (**EnergyAustralia**, formerly TRUenergy Yallourn Pty Ltd) pursuant to sections 130(1) and 133 of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* on 15 February 2011. The Approval has been the subject of recent correspondence between Davis Advisory (on behalf of EnergyAustralia) and the Department of the Environment, most recently a letter to yourself dated 19 January 2016 (**Davis Advisory Letter**).

Condition 4 of the Approval requires EnergyAustralia to advise the Department in writing of the actual date of commencement of operations within 14 days of that having occurred.

Consequently, and as foreshadowed in the Davis Advisory Letter, I can confirm that the commencement of operations in the form of the removal of *Eucalyptus strzeleckii* gums commenced on 29 January 2016.

Yours faithfully

Ron Mether
Manager Mining
EnergyAustralia Yallourn

Appendix C: Annual Bushbroker Reporting to Victorian DELWP

Department of Environment Land, Water & Planning Annual Report Form

Landowner Name: EnergyAustralia Yallourn Pty Ltd

Site Code: D1A, D2A, D4A, D5A

Management Year: 7

Management Agreement: BB-2778/LAO1 (Remnant)

Year	Month Works Completed	Zone	Management Action / Commitments	Standard	Timing	Description of Action Completed	Action Completed (Yes/No)	Supporting Evidence of action being completed / comments / observations
Fencing								
2021-2022	-	All	Maintain fencing in good condition around entire boundary of whole lotting cells or as required	Maintain fencing to DEPI fencing standards	Ongoing	Fence inspected during site visits.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM site audit. No fencing issues recorded from conservation work crews or during IDEM site audit. Standard currently being achieved.
Woody Weeds								
2021-2022	October, December, September	All	Monitor for any re-sprouting or seedlings and eradicate (either spot spray or hand pull)	<1% cover of all listed woody weeds at the end of year 10.	Various	Spot sprayed Rubus fruticosus spp. (Blackberry) in all zones, Genkva monspeliensis (Cape Broom) spot sprayed in zone 4A.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM Site Audit; herbicide logs. 4 weed control runs were undertaken totalling 10 operator days. No mature plants observed or controlled. IDEM Site audit estimated the cover of woody weeds in all zones to be <1%. Standard currently being achieved.
2021-2022	October, December, September	All	Eliminate all new and emerging woody weeds	<1% cover of all woody weeds at the end of year 10.	Ongoing	No new and emerging weeds identified in zones	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM Site audit. IDEM completed a site audit in Oct 2022 which recorded a single Prunus sp. (Prunus) germinates in 5A. All zones estimated to have <1% cover of new and emerging woody weeds. Standard currently being achieved.
Herbaceous Weeds								
2021	October	4A & 5A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 30% (4A) No increase in cover beyond 40% (5A)	Various	Spot sprayed Cirsium vulgare (Spear Thistle), Cirsium sp. (Cleavers), Cirsium purpureum (Large-flowered Wood-sorrel) and Myosotis sp. (Forget-me-not)	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; herbicide log. 1 weed control run was undertaken totalling 2 operator days. Progression towards standard completed.
2021	December	1A & 2A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 60% (1A) No increase in cover beyond 30% (2A)	Various	Sprayed Spear Thistle, Verbena bracteolata (Purple-top), Cleavers and Brassica spp. (Brassica)	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; herbicide log. 1 weed control run was undertaken totalling 2 operator days. Progression towards standard completed.
2022	January	4A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 30% (4A)	Various	Spot sprayed Spear Thistle, Forget-me-not and Tridax repens (Tridax)	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; herbicide log. 1 weed control run was undertaken totalling 5 operator days. Progression towards standard completed.
2022	July	2A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 30% (2A)	July-November	Spot sprayed Spear Thistle	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; herbicide log. 1 weed control run was undertaken totalling 3 operator days. Progression towards standard completed.
2022	September	2A, 4A & 5A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 30% (2A) No increase in cover beyond 35% (4A) No increase in cover beyond 40% (5A)	Various	Spot sprayed Spear Thistle, Cleavers, Forget-me-not, Tridax repens, Brassica, Sanicula oleracea (Sow-thistle) and Euphorbia sp. (Spurge)	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; herbicide log. 2 weed control runs were undertaken totalling 7 operator days. Main focus was Thistles before they could flower. Progression towards standard completed.
2022	September	All	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 60% (1A) No increase in cover beyond 30% (2A) No increase in cover beyond 35% (4A) No increase in cover beyond 40% (5A)	Ongoing	IDEM site audit completed	Yes	Written observations from IDEM site audit. IDEM Site audit estimated the cover of herbaceous weeds as follows: 1A = 85%, 2A = 80%, 4A = 60%, 5A = 100%. Zone 1A is meeting the standard, whilst zones 2A, 4A & 5A currently are not. See attached accompanying evidence for further detail.
2021-2022	October, September	All	Eliminate new & emerging herbaceous weeds	<1% coverage of all new and emerging herbaceous weeds at the end of year 10.	Ongoing	Spot sprayed Aster ruberatus (Wild Aster) in 2A. Spot sprayed Allium triquetrum (Angled Onion) in 4A. Spot sprayed Delphinium ajacis (Cape Ivy) in 5A.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM site audit; herbicide logs. 3 weed control runs were undertaken totalling 9 operator days. The IDEM site audit estimated the cover of all new & emerging herbaceous weeds to be <1%. Standard currently being achieved.
Pest Animals								
2021-2022	-	All	Monitor and control rabbits and foxes	Control numbers of rabbits and foxes	Ongoing	No fox and rabbits noted on site whilst on-ground works completed.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM Site audit. No rabbit or fox observations made from conservation work crews. Evidence of fox (scats) in 1A observed during IDEM site audit. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	March - May	All	Control Rabbits and Foxes	No surface disturbance No active rabbit warrens to be present No active fox dens to be present No rubbish Minimal artificial piles of logs and rocks	Ongoing	Pest animal monitoring for rabbits, hares and foxes undertaken as part of EA's pest animal management program.	Yes	Pest Animal annual report; bait take records. Whilst no specific monitoring, bait stations or control undertaken within these specific zones, the Energy Australia site has a pest animal monitoring and control program operating which prioritises pest animal activity in 1A. This was completed between March and May 2022 with bait stations for rabbit and fox control within 30m of the site. The bait stations adjacent to the LR had 138g of 1080 baits consumed for an estimated 2-50 rabbits controlled and 4 short-tailed 1010 baits taken for an estimated 4 foxes controlled. Standard currently being achieved.

2021-2022	-	All	Monitor and control all new and emerging pest animals	Control numbers of any new and emerging pest animals	Ongoing	NIL	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; IDEM site audit. Deer prints observed during works in zone 2A recorded by conservation work crews. Deer prints observed during IDEM site audit in zone 4A.
Supplementary Planting								
2021	December	2A	Collect indigenous seed on site and/or place order with local indigenous nursery.	Collect seed / propagate tubestock (seedlings) for species listed in Table 2 (86-2778 Supplementary Planting)	Years 6-8	Plant order placed with nursery & delivered for planting	Yes	Nursery Orders, Invoices.
2022	February, March	2A	Prepare the site to ensure establishment of the vegetation	To ensure plants have greatest chance of survival, planting areas should have minimal or no weed cover	Years 6-8	Site slashed in February Planting circles sprayed in March	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; Invoices; Herbicide Log; Planting Programs Planting Preparation required the exotic understorey on site to be slashed before circles could be sprayed with a non-selective herbicide and pre-emergent herbicide prior to planting.
2022	June	2A	Sow seeds / plant seedlings with species specified for the Zone and guard seedlings if required.	By the end of Year 10 – ensure 100% of survival target is met	Years 6-8	There were nursery supply issues so only 682 tube stock planted	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; Invoices; Planting Programs; Planting Record Sheets.
2022	July, September	2A	Minimum survival targets and minimum species diversity targets are met.	By the end of Year 10 – ensure 100% of survival target is met.	Years 6-8	Exotic grasses hand-weeded and spot sprayed around plantings.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; Invoices; Planting Programs; Planting Record Sheets. Cue notes record observations of deer tracks through zone and browsing of unguarded and sleeve guarded shrub species. 3 month monitoring shows 82% survival of plantings.
Annual Reporting								
2021-2022	September	All	Prepare and submit an annual report.	-	At least 1 month prior to agreement date	Report completed	Yes	Report completed.

I hereby declare that the supplied information is accurate and complies with reporting requirements under Section 6 - Obligations of the Landowner in the Bushbroker Landowner Agreement

Signed: 

Date: 25/10/2022

Landowner Name: EnergyAustralia Yallourn Pty Ltd

Management Agreement: BB-2778/LA02 (Revegetation)

Site Code: 03A, 06A

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2021-2022	September	All	Prepare and submit an annual report	-	At least 1 month prior to agreement date	Report completed	Yes	Report completed.
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I hereby declare that the supplied information is accurate and complies with reporting requirements under Section 6 - Obligations of the Landowner in the Bushbroker Landowner Agreement

Signed:



Date:

25/10/2022

Management Year: 7
Management Agreement: BB-2779 / LA01 (Remnant)

Department of Environment, Land, Water & Planning Annual Report Form
Landowner Name: EnergyAustralia Yallourn Pty Ltd.
Site Code: 03A, 03B, 04A, 05A, 06A, 07A, 08A, 09A, 10A

Year	Month Works Completed	Zone	Management Action / Commitments	Standard	Timing	Description of Action Completed	Action Completed (Yes/No)	Supporting Evidence of action being completed / comments / observations
Fencing								
2021-2022	-	All	Maintain fencing in good condition around entire boundary of all sites where fencing exists or is required.	Maintain fencing to DEPI fencing standards	Ongoing	Fence inspected during site visits	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM Site audit. No fencing issues recorded from conservation work crews or during IDEM site audit. Standard currently being achieved.
Woody Weeds								
2021-2022	September, June	7A	Monitor for re-sprouting or seedlings and eradicate (either spot spray or hand pull)	<1% cover of all listed woody weeds at the end of year 10.	Ongoing	Spot sprayed <i>Rubus fruticosus</i> spp. agg. (Blackberry) and <i>Genista monspeliensis</i> (Cape Broom). Cut and painted Madeira Winter Cherry.	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; Herbicide logs. 2 weed control runs undertaken totalling 5 operator days. Standard currently being achieved.
2021	November	3A, 3B & 4A	Monitor for re-sprouting or seedlings and eradicate (either spot spray or hand pull)	<1% cover of all listed woody weeds at the end of year 10.	October - March	Spot sprayed Blackberry.	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; IDEM site audit; herbicide logs. 1 weed control run was undertaken totalling 2 operator days. IDEM Site audit estimated the cover of woody weeds in these zones to be <1%. Standard currently being achieved.
2021-2022	December, March	5A	Monitor for re-sprouting or seedlings and eradicate (either spot spray or hand pull)	<1% cover of all listed woody weeds at the end of year 10.	Various	Spot sprayed <i>Solanum pseudocapsicum</i> (Madeira Winter Cherry) and Blackberry	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; herbicide log. 2 weed control runs were undertaken totalling 7 operator days. Crews noted that woody weed cover was sparse. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	April	6A	Monitor for re-sprouting or seedlings and eradicate (either spot spray or hand pull)	<1% cover of all listed woody weeds at the end of year 10.	Various	Spot sprayed Blackberry, Cape Broom & <i>Genista trifloria</i> (Flax-leaved Broom)	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; herbicide log. 1 weed control run undertaken totalling 4 operator days. Site audit estimated the cover of woody weeds in this zone to be <1%. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	July	5A, 7A	Monitor for re-sprouting or seedlings and eradicate (either spot spray or hand pull)	<1% cover of all listed woody weeds at the end of year 10.	Ongoing	Hand pulled Madeira Winter Cherry	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; herbicide log. 1 weed control run was undertaken totalling 4 operator days. The Madeira Winter Cherry were noted as immature perennials. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	August	10A	Monitor for re-sprouting or seedlings and eradicate (either spot spray or hand pull)	<1% cover of all listed woody weeds at the end of year 10.	Ongoing	No woody weeds observed on site	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM site audit; herbicide log. 1 weed control run undertaken totalling 4 operator days. IDEM Site audit estimated the cover of woody weeds in this zone to be <1%. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	September	5A, 7A, 8A	Monitor for re-sprouting or seedlings and eradicate (either spot spray or hand pull)	<1% cover of all woody weeds at the end of year 10.	Various	Spot sprayed Blackberry. Hand pulled Madeira Winter Cherry.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM site audit; herbicide log. 1 weed control run was undertaken totalling 3 operator days. IDEM Site audit estimated the cover of woody weeds for these zones to be <1%. Standard currently being achieved.
2021-2022	-	All	Eliminate new & emerging woody weeds	<1% cover of all new and emerging woody weeds at the end of year 10.	Ongoing	NIL	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM site audit. IDEM Site audit did not identify any new and emerging woody weeds for these zones. Standard currently being achieved.
Herbaceous Weeds								
2021	September	6A, 7A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 25% (6A) No increase in cover beyond 75% (7A)	Ongoing	Spot sprayed <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> (Spotted Thistle).	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; Herbicide logs. 2 weed control runs undertaken totalling 7 operator days. Standard currently being achieved.
2021	November	3A, 3B, 4A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 40% (3A) No increase in cover beyond 35% (3B) No increase in cover beyond 10% (4A)	Ongoing	Spot sprayed Spear Thistle in all zones.	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; IDEM site audit; Herbicide logs. 1 weed control run undertaken totalling 2 operator days. IDEM Site audit estimated the cover of herbaceous weeds for these zones to be: 3A = 40%; 3B = 35%; 4A = 10% Standard currently being achieved.
2021-2022	December, March	5A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 25% (5A)	Ongoing	Spot sprayed Spear Thistle and <i>Galium aparine</i> (Cleavers)	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; Herbicide logs. 2 weed control runs undertaken totalling 7 operator days. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	April	6A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 25% (6A)	Ongoing	Spot sprayed Spear Thistle.	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; IDEM site audit; Herbicide logs. 1 weed control run undertaken totalling 4 operator days. IDEM Site audit estimated the cover of herbaceous weeds for this zone to be 25%. Standard currently being achieved.

2022	June	7A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 75% (7A)	Ongoing	Cut and painted <i>Phytolacca octandra</i> (Red-ink Weed).	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; Herbicide logs. 1 weed control run undertaken totalling 3 operator days. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	July	5A, 7A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 25% (5A) No increase in cover beyond 75% (7A)	Ongoing	Spot sprayed Spear Thistle and Cleavers.	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; Herbicide logs. 1 weed control run undertaken totalling 4 operator days. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	August	10A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 80% (10A)	Ongoing	Spot sprayed Spear Thistle	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; Herbicide logs. 1 weed control run undertaken totalling 4 operator days. Site audit estimated the cover of herbaceous weeds for the zone to be 96%. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	September	5A, 7A, 8A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 25% (5A) No increase in cover beyond 75% (7A) No increase in cover beyond 85% (8A)	Ongoing	Spot sprayed Spear Thistle and Cleavers.	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; Herbicide logs. 1 weed control run undertaken totalling 3 operator days. Site audit estimated the cover of herbaceous weeds for these zones to be: 5A = 25%; 7A = 75%; 8A = 86%. Standard currently being achieved.
2021-2022	September 2021, September 2022	6A, 8A	Eliminate new and emerging herbaceous weeds	<1% cover	Ongoing	Spot sprayed <i>Alopecurus triquetrum</i> (Angled Crick) and spot sprayed <i>Silybum marianum</i> (Variegated Thistle) in 6A. Spot sprayed <i>Arctostaphylos cuneata</i> (Cape Weed) in 8A.	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; IDEM site audit; Herbicide logs. 2 weed control runs were undertaken totalling 8 operator days targeting all of these new & emerging herbaceous weeds to ensure they were eliminated. The IDEM site audit estimated the cover of new and emerging herbaceous weeds to be <1% across all zones. Standard currently being achieved.
Pest Animal								
2021-2022	-	All	Monitor and control rabbits and foxes	Control numbers of rabbits and foxes	Ongoing	No rabbits noted on site whilst on-ground work completed. Fox presence noted by conservation work crews in 7A.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM site audit. No rabbit observations made from conservation work crews. Evidence of fox (scats) in 6A and 7A observed during IDEM site audit. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	March - May	All	Control Rabbits and Foxes	No surface disturbance No active rabbit warrens to be present No active fox dens to be present No rubbish Minimal artificial piles of logs and rocks	Ongoing	Pest animal monitoring for rabbits, foxes and feral cats undertaken as part of EA's pest animal management program.	Yes	Pest Animal annual report; bait take records. Whilst no specific monitoring, bait stations or control undertaken within these specific zones, the Energy Australia site has a pest animal monitoring and control program operating which prioritises pest animal activity hotspots. This was completed between March and May 2022 with 3 bait stations for rabbit and 4 bait stations for fox control within 1km of the site. The bait stations adjacent to the MRR had 546g of 1080 baits consumed for an estimated 6-210 rabbits controlled and 22 shill-shill 1080 baits taken for an estimated 22 foxes controlled. See accompanying evidence for the location of bait stations within the EA site. Standard currently being achieved.
2021-2022	-	All	Monitor and control all new and emerging pest animals	Control numbers of any new and emerging pest animals	Ongoing	Nil.	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; IDEM site audit. Deer prints observed during works in zone 5A recorded by conservation work crews. Deer prints observed during IDEM site audit in zones 3A and 5A.
Supplementary Planting								
2021-2022	-	5A	Plant late stock or seedlings and guard if required to ensure targets are met	Ensure that 100% of the Survival and Diversity Targets are met for the Zone	Ongoing	Plant maintenance works	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; Invoices; Planting Records. General weed control continues to be undertaken within supplementary planting area as part of weed control activities completed throughout the year. Internal planting audit in Year 8 will determine if 100% survival has been attained and whether additional in-fill planting is required. Standards currently being achieved.
Obligations of Landowner								
2021-2022	-	6A	Compliance with the Obligations of the Landowner	Ensure protection of native vegetation from any prohibited works	Ongoing	Zone 6A impacted by earthworks, water construction and piling construction.	No	DELWP letter of consent for impacts dated 21 September 2021. See discussion in the attached accompanying evidence.
Annual Reporting								
2021-2022	September	All	Prepare and submit an annual report	-	At least 1 month prior to agreement date	Report completed	Yes	Report completed

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Date: 25/10/2022

25/01/2023

Department of Environment Land, Water & Planning Annual Report Form
Landowner Name: EnergyAustralia Yallourn Pty Ltd.
Site Code: 01A, 02A, 11A

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2021-2022	September	All	Prepare and submit an annual report.	-	At least 1 month prior to agreement date	Report completed	Yes	Report completed
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Management Year: 7
Management Agreement: BB-2780 / LA01

Department of Environment Land, Water & Planning Annual Report Form
Landowner Name: EnergyAustralia Yallourn Pty Ltd.
Site Code: 01A, 02A, 03A, 04A, 05A, 06A

Year	Month Works Completed	Zone	Management Action / Commitments	Standard	Timing	Description of Action Completed	Action Completed (Yes/No)	Supporting Evidence of action being completed / comments / observations
Fencing								
2021 - 2022	-	All	Maintain fencing in good condition around entire boundary of site where fencing exists or is required	Maintain fencing to DEPI fencing standards	Ongoing	Fence inspected during site visits.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM site audit. No fencing issues recorded from conservation work crews or during IDEM site audit. Standard currently being achieved.
Woody Weeds								
2021 - 2022	October, December	1A, 2A, 3A & 5A	Eliminate Woody Weeds	<1% cover of all woody weeds at the end of Year 10	Various	Sprayed <i>Rubus fruticosus</i> spp. agg. (Blackberry) germinates.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; Herbicide logs. 2 weed control runs undertaken within this period totalling 5 operator days. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	January, March, August	4A, 6A	Eliminate Woody Weeds	<1% cover of all woody weeds at the end of Year 10	October - March	Rij sprayed <i>Salix</i> sp. (Willow), cut and painted <i>Meteloua hirsuta</i> (Snow-in-Summer), <i>Acacia howittii</i> (Slick Wattle), <i>Callistemon</i> sp. (Callistemon), <i>Prunus</i> sp. (Prunus) and <i>Eucalyptus globulus</i> (Blue Gum). Spot sprayed Blackberry.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; Herbicide logs. 3 weed control runs undertaken within this period totalling 8 operator days. Woody weeds and those identified in the DELWP audit (2021) eliminated from the zones. IDEM completed a site audit in Oct 2022 which estimated the cover of woody weeds in all zones to be <1%. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	October, December, January, March, August	All	Eliminate new & emerging woody weeds	<1% cover	All year	No new and emerging weeds identified in zones during completion of works across the year and the IDEM site audit.	Yes	Written records from crew notes; IDEM site audit; Herbicide logs. IDEM completed a site audit in Oct 2022 which estimated the cover of woody weeds in all zones to be <1% with no new or emerging weeds recorded. Standard currently being achieved.
Herbaceous Weeds								
2021 - 2022	September, October, December	1A, 2A, 3A, 5A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 85%	Various	<i>Cirsium vulgare</i> (Spear Thistle), <i>Sonchus oleraceus</i> (Sow Thistle), <i>Pharus aquilae</i> (Toowoomba Canary-grass) and <i>Bromus</i> spp. (Brome) knapsack sprayed.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM site audit; Herbicide logs. 3 weed control runs undertaken within this period totalling 8 operator days. IDEM site audit estimated the cover of herbaceous weeds as follows: 1A = 85%; 2A = 75%; 3A = 70%; 5A = 65%. Standard currently being achieved.
2021 - 2022	September, March, August	4A, 6A	Control all herbaceous weeds	No increase in cover beyond 75% (4A) & 65% (6A)	Various	Sow Thistle, Spear Thistle, <i>Pennisetum clandestinum</i> (Ryegrass), <i>Gallium aparine</i> (Clovers), <i>Phytolacca octandra</i> (Red-ink Weed) and <i>Ranunculus repens</i> (Creeping Buttercup) knapsack sprayed.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM site audit; Herbicide logs. 3 weed control runs undertaken within this period totalling 13 operator days. Crew noted that Clovers and Thistles are the predominant threat to these zones with approximately 4% cover. IDEM site audit estimated the cover of herbaceous weeds as follows: 4A = 65%; 6A = 50%. Standard currently being achieved.
2021 - 2022	September, October, August	All	Eliminate new & emerging herbaceous weeds	<1% cover	Ongoing	<i>Andropogon scoparius</i> (Capeweed) knapsack controlled in all zones; Clovers controlled in Zones 1A, 2A, 3A & 5A; <i>Nasturtium officinale</i> (Watercress), <i>Silybum marianum</i> (Variegated Thistle) and <i>Solanum nigrum</i> (Black Nightshade) controlled in Zones 4A & 6A.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM site audit; Herbicide logs. Capeweed first identified in Year 1 of implementation of LOA and is therefore likely to have been present but not recorded during the initial assessments. Adjacent agricultural land has very dense patches of Capeweed so there is a high chance that this weed will continue to be an on-going issue. IDEM site audit estimated the cover of new & emerging herbaceous weeds in all zones to be <1%. Standard currently being achieved.
Pest Animals								
2021-2022	-	All	Monitor and control rabbits and foxes	Control numbers of rabbits and foxes	Ongoing	No fox and rabbit noted on site whilst on-ground works or IDEM site audit completed.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; IDEM site audit. No rabbit or fox observations made from conservation work crews or during site audit. Standard currently being achieved.
2022	March - May	All	Control Rabbits and Foxes	No surface disturbance No active rabbit warrens to be present No active fox dens to be present No rubbish Minimal artificial piles of logs and rocks	Ongoing	Pest animal monitoring for rabbits, hares and foxes undertaken as part of EA's pest animal management program.	Yes	Pest Animal annual report; bait take records. Whilst no specific monitoring, bait stations or control undertaken within these specific zones, the Energy Australia site has a pest animal monitoring and control program operating which prioritises pest animal activity hotspots. This program was completed between March and May 2022 with bait stations for rabbit and fox control within 1km of the site. The bait stations adjacent to the MWD had 37kg of 1000 oals consumed for an estimated 4-142 rabbits controlled and 10 shell-stable 1000 fox baits taken for an estimated 10 foxes controlled. Standard currently being achieved.

2021-2022	-	All	Monitor and control all new and emerging pest animals	Control numbers of any new and emerging pest animals	Ongoing	NIL	Yes	Written records from conservation work crews; IDEM site audit. No new and emerging pest animals were recorded by conservation work crews or during site audit. Standard currently being achieved.
Revegetation Planting								
2021 - 2022	September, December, March, May	All	Minimum survival targets and minimum species diversity targets are met	By the end of Year 10 – ensure 100% of survival target is met	Year 6 - 10	Hand-weeding of exotic grasses from planting plots, especially around native grasslands.	Yes	Written records from Conservation work crews; Invoices; Planting Programs; Planting Record Sheets. \$5 weed control runs undertaken within this period totalling 26 operator days to control any threats to planted trees, shrubs and grasses. Standard currently being achieved.
Annual Reporting								
2021-2022	September	All	Prepare and submit an annual report	-	At least 1 month prior to agreement date	Report completed.	Yes	Report completed.

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Appendix D: Strzelecki Gum Offset Plan Reporting Sheet

YEAR: 7

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Remnant Tree Health

Site	Monitoring point #	Canopy Health (% average)	Deaths observed (# per size class)
Latrobe River	1	80	Large – 1 Small – 0
Latrobe River	2	80	Large – 1 Small – 0
Morwell River	1	80	Large – 1 Small – 5
Morwell River	2	80	Large – 0 Small – 0
Morwell River	3	70	Large – 1 Small – 6
Morwell River	4	70	Large – 0 Small – 2

Fencing

Site	Fenced? (✓)	Year installed
Latrobe River	Yes	2010
Morwell River	Yes	2011, 2013 & 2014
Morwell West Drain	Yes	2011, 2012 & 2013

Revegetation

Site	Total Planted	Date(s) Planted	Est. Success Rate (%)
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Latrobe River	2,072	8/6/2022, 9/6/2022, 10/6/2022, 28/6/2022 & 30/6/2022	85%
Morwell River	0	NA	NA
Morwell West Drain	4,200	3/6/2022, 15/6/2022, 16/6/2022 & 2/8/2022	90%

Maintenance

Site	Insert dates			
	Run 1	Run 2	Run 3	Run 4
Latrobe River	04/01/2022	24/02/2022	05/08/2022	07/12/2022
Morwell River	02/03/2022	22/04/2022 & 21/06/2022	21/07/2022 & 29/09/2022	25/10/2022 & 05/12/2022
Morwell West Drain	05/01/2022 & 10/01/2022	07/03/2022 & 10/03/2022 & 17/03/2022	02/08/2022 & 08/08/2022	25/10/2022 & 13/12/2022 & 15/12/2022

Weed Control

Site	Target species and % cover
Latrobe River	<u>4/1/2022</u> <i>Rubus fruticosus</i> & <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> <u>24/2/2022</u> <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> & <i>Conium maculatum</i> <u>5/8/2022</u> <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> , <i>Galium aparine</i> , <i>Tradescantia fluminensis</i> , <i>Aristea ecklonii</i> , <i>Phytolacca octandra</i> , <i>Arctotheca calendula</i> , <i>Nasturtium officinale</i> & <i>Sonchus oleraceus</i> <u>7/12/2022</u> <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> , <i>Lactuca serriola</i> & <i>Sonchus oleraceus</i>
Morwell River	<u>2/3/2022</u> <i>Rubus fruticosus</i> , <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> & <i>Solanum pseudocapsicum</i> <u>22/4/2022</u> <i>Rubus fruticosus</i> , <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> , <i>Genista monspessulana</i> & <i>Genista linifolia</i> <u>21/6/2022</u> <i>Solanum pseudocapsicum</i> & <i>Phytolacca octandra</i> <u>21/7/2022</u> <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> , <i>Galium aparine</i> & <i>Solanum pseudocapsicum</i>

	<p><u>29/9/2022</u></p> <p><i>Rubus fruticosus</i>, <i>Rubus fruticosus</i>, <i>Galium aparine</i> & <i>Arctotheca calendula</i></p> <p><u>25/10/2022</u></p> <p><i>Cirsium vulgare</i> & <i>Solanum pseudocapsicum</i></p> <p><u>5/12/2022</u></p> <p><i>Cirsium vulgare</i>, <i>Arctotheca calendula</i>, <i>Lactuca serriola</i>, <i>Nasturtium officinale</i> & <i>Chenopodium album</i></p>
Morwell West Drain	<p><u>5/1/2022</u></p> <p><i>Acacia howittii</i> & <i>Melaleuca linariifolia</i></p> <p><u>10/1/2022</u></p> <p><i>Acacia howittii</i>, <i>Callistemon sp.</i> & <i>Melaleuca linariifolia</i>.</p> <p><u>7/3/2022</u></p> <p><i>Rubus fruticosus</i>, <i>Ranunculus repens</i>, <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> & <i>Salix alba</i></p> <p><u>10/3/2022</u></p> <p><i>Rubus fruticosus</i>, <i>Cenchrus clandestinus</i>, <i>Holcus lanatus</i> & <i>Anthoxanthum odoratum</i></p> <p><u>17/3/2022</u></p> <p><i>Rubus fruticosus</i>, <i>Cirsium vulgare</i>, <i>Dipsacus fullonum</i>, <i>Conyza sumatrensis</i>, <i>Aster subulatus</i> & <i>Solanum nigrum</i></p> <p><u>2/8/2022</u></p> <p><i>Cirsium vulgare</i>, <i>Rumex spp.</i>, <i>Galium aparine</i>, <i>Sonchus oleraceus</i>, <i>Solanum nigrum</i> & <i>Aster subulatus</i></p> <p><u>8/8/2022</u></p> <p><i>Galium aparine</i>, <i>Phytolacca octandra</i>, <i>Ranunculus repens</i>, <i>Arctotheca calendula</i>, <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> & <i>Nasturtium officinale</i></p> <p><u>25/10/2022</u></p> <p><i>Arctotheca calendula</i>, <i>Hypochaeris radicata</i> & <i>Sonchus oleraceus</i></p> <p><u>13/12/2022</u></p> <p><i>Galium aparine</i>, <i>Rubus fruticosus</i>, <i>Solanum nigrum</i>, <i>Ranunculus repens</i>, <i>Cyperus eragrostis</i> & <i>Cirsium vulgare</i></p> <p><u>15/12/2022</u></p>

	<i>Rubus fruticosus, Galium aparine, Solanum nigrum & Cirsium vulgare</i>
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Pest Animal Control

Site	Rabbits (dates of control)	Foxes (dates of control)
Latrobe River	17/3/2022 – 6/4/2022	29/4/2022 – 27/5/2022
Morwell River	17/3/2022 – 6/4/2022	29/4/2022 – 27/5/2022
Morwell West Drain	17/3/2022 – 6/4/2022	29/4/2022 – 27/5/2022

Additional Comments

Pest animal baiting programs are conducted across the entire EnergyAustralia site with monitoring cameras setup to record pest animal presence in high traffic areas. One rabbit baiting station and two fox baiting stations were located within the Morwell River corridor whilst the Latrobe River corridor and the Morwell West Drain Diversion were <2.0km from baiting stations-----

STRZELECKI GUM OFFSET PLAN REPORTING SHEET

YEAR: 7

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Planting Species/numbers

Species	Latrobe River	Morwell River	Morwell West Drain
<i>Acacia dealbata</i>	590		
<i>Acacia melanoxylon</i>	100		
<i>Acacia stricta</i>	40		
<i>Acacia verticillata</i>	85		450
<i>Carex appressa</i>			600
<i>Cassinia aculeata</i>	39		
<i>Cassinia longifolia</i>	60		
<i>Eucalyptus strzeleckii</i>	375		
<i>Eucalyptus viminalis</i>	365		
<i>Goodenia ovata</i>	20		200
<i>Gynatrix pulchella</i>			100
<i>Juncus gregiflorus</i>			600
<i>Juncus pallidus</i>			600
<i>Kunzea ericoides</i>	45		600
<i>Leptospermum continentale</i>	60		1050
<i>Ozothamnus ferrugineus</i>	43		
<i>Pomaderris aspera</i>	250		
Totals	2,072	0	4,200