

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AN EXPLORATION LICENCE

Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) Act 1990 – Section 15(5)

Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) (Mineral Industries) Regulations 2019 – Regulation 22(1) and Schedule 1

1. Name and address of applicant(s):

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3. Applicant's Website (see notes) Further information about this application is available:

www.amets.com.au/victoria-tenements/ and <https://resources.vic.gov.au/licensing-approvals/have-your-say>

4. Details of the application:

Application number: EL008989

Locality of the land to which the application relates: 11km west of Werribee, 11km north of Lara, 23km south of Bacchus Marsh

Approximate area of the application (Graticular Sections): 63

Date of the application: 11 June 2026

Term the licences are applied for: 5 years

Outline of the proposed programs of work: Desktop studies, historical data studies, target refinement, field testing, potential drilling

5. Objections and Comments:

Any person may object or comment to a licence being granted by:

- a. putting the objection or comment in writing; and
- b. including the grounds on which it is made

Objections or comments must be lodged within 21 days after the latest date on which the application was advertised and can be lodged online or posted to:

The Minister for Energy and Resources c/- Manager Licensing
Resources Victoria
PO Box 500
East Melbourne Victoria 8002

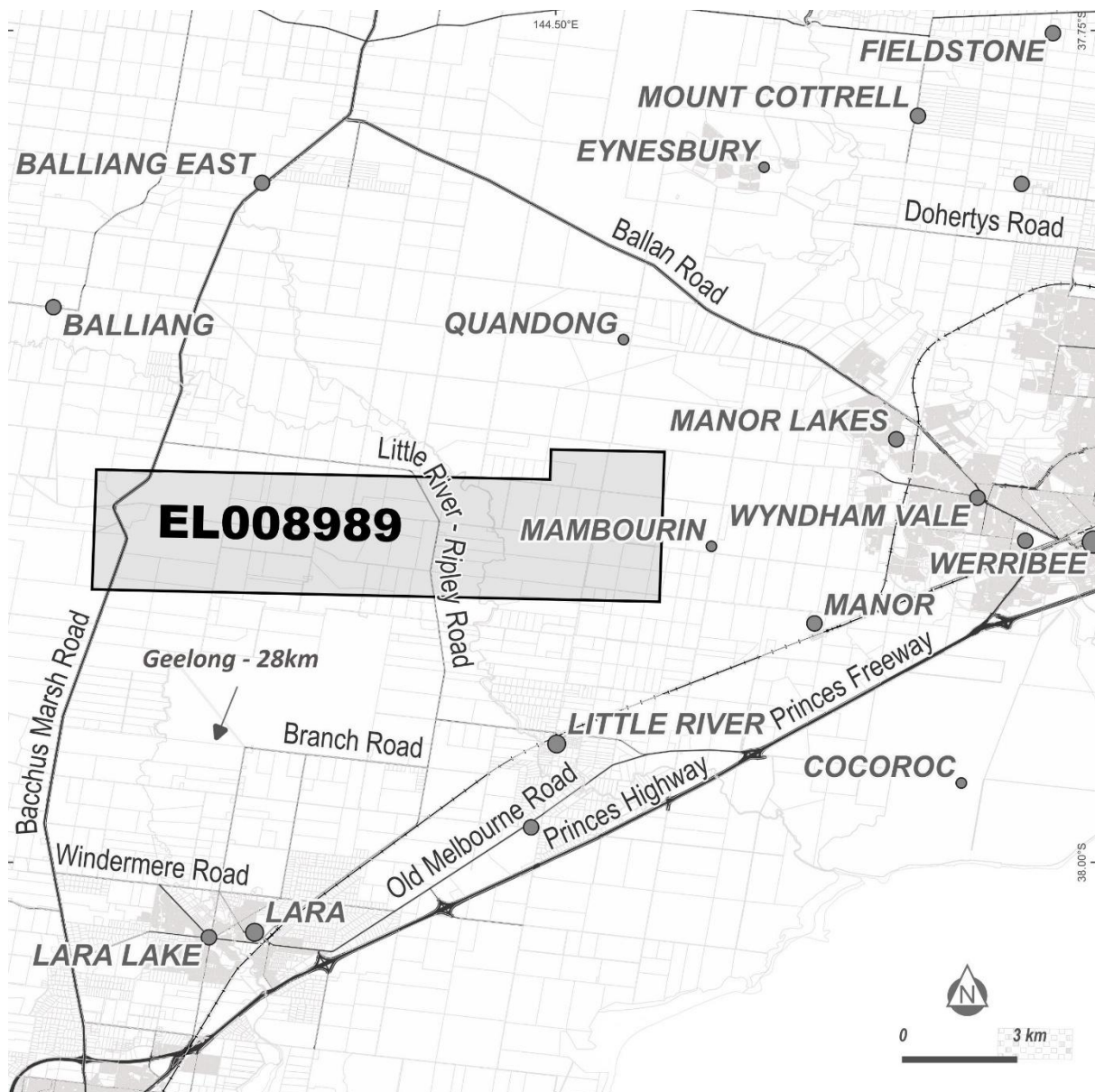
It is recommended that objections or comments are lodged online to ensure timely consideration:

<https://rram-vic.gov.my.site.com/ObjectionSubmission>

Enquiries can be made by writing to the Manager Licensing at the above address or phoning Resources Victoria on 136 186.

6. Other Statutory Requirements:

- a. Subject to other requirements being satisfied, an exploration licence, if granted, entitles the holder of the licence to explore and search for minerals in the relevant land, but does not entitle the holder to undertake mining.
- b. Further information regarding the statutory requirements that must be complied with prior to work being undertaken on a licence, including landowner and occupier consent requirements, is available on the department's Community & Land Use page: <https://earthresources.vic.gov.au/community-and-land-use>



Work Program

YEAR 1

- review historical data and data compilation
- validate project database, refine geological rationale, and target generation
- geological Mapping

YEAR 2

- landholder identification and initial engagement;
- field reconnaissance of accessible parts of the application area;
- inspection of historical target areas where access is available;
- assessment of roads, tracks, paddock conditions, drainage, access constraints and potential drill locations;
- low-impact sampling where practical and justified;
- further review of available geophysical and geological datasets;
- refinement of structural interpretation and target model.

YEAR 3

- detailed review or reprocessing of available geophysical datasets;
- ground geophysics;
- target definition for drill program planning
- integration of historical geochemistry with geology, structure, cover and access;

YEAR 4 - 5

Subject to results in years 1-3:

- final target ranking;
- landholder access agreements;
- environmental and heritage checks;
- preparation of any required approvals for ground-disturbing work;
- planning of RC/diamond drilling to test gold targets;
- RC/diamond drilling programme.
- geological and assay review;
- update of the geological model;
- petrology or mineralogy;
- assessment of further drilling requirements;
- preparation of recommendations for renewal, further work or partial relinquishment.
- If drilling has not been justified, proposed activities include:
 - final review of all targets;
 - additional low-impact geophysical or geochemical work if warranted;
 - assessment of whether the licence should be renewed, reduced or relinquished.

Environment Strategy

The early stages of the proposed program are primarily desktop-based and low impact. Field reconnaissance and sampling will be undertaken only where access has been arranged and where activities can be conducted with minimal disturbance.

Any ground disturbance associated with drilling or other intrusive exploration will be subject to the applicable statutory requirements, licence conditions, work approvals, rehabilitation requirements and landholder agreements. Disturbed areas will be rehabilitated in accordance with Victorian requirements and licence conditions.

Community Engagement Plan

Community and landholder engagement will be undertaken progressively as the project advances.

The applicant will consult with relevant landholders before undertaking field activities. Land access agreements will be negotiated where required before exploration is undertaken on private land.

Initial engagement will focus on landholders in areas where field reconnaissance, sampling or access assessment is proposed. Broader engagement will be undertaken if the project progresses to drilling or other ground-disturbing work.

The applicant will maintain records of relevant landholder communications, access arrangements and rehabilitation commitments.