



## POLICY ENVIRONMENTAL

Western Areas Ltd (WSA) is committed to environmental sustainability. Our mining and exploration activities are undertaken with a responsibility to balance our economical and operational requirements with a responsibility to minimise our impact on the environment and local communities.

This commitment is communicated to our staff, contractors, customers and the local communities through training, statutory reporting and public relations.

WSA strives for continuous improvement of our environmental management systems. These systems are designed to prevent activities and/or conditions that negatively impact the environment.

To achieve these goals, Western Areas Ltd Environmental Policy includes the following key principles:

- Western Areas Ltd decision-making process at Board and Management level must take into account environmental issues as a high priority;
- The Board and Management ensure the availability of resources and management systems to enable compliance with statutory obligations and our own internal standards;
- The Company will report regularly on environmental performance and take remedial action where performance does not meet expectation; and
- Western Areas will actively promote a culture of ethical environmental practice and behaviour including respect for cultural and community values.

The responsibility for the Company's environmental performance lies with the Board and Management as well as all staff, contractors and customers actively working toward environmental sustainability.

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