

# 10 STEPS



## to stopping Rio Tinto from mining in the Northern Jarrah Forests

Rio Tinto has just submitted applications for 10 exploration permits in the Northern Jarrah Forests. It is not clear what the controversial mining company wants to explore for, and it is not obliged to disclose this information, but whatever it wants to do, we cannot and will not allow Rio Tinto, or any other mining company, to get a foothold in the precious and unique Northern Jarrah Forests.

**We need as many people as possible to submit objections. It is a reasonably complex legal process, so we have set out some clear steps below for you to follow.**

**We will get through this together and keep Rio Tinto out of the Northern Jarrah Forests.**

**Please read these instructions in full before proceeding.**

To make things easier for individuals, we will be assisting objections by serving/lodging affidavits (see step 7) on your behalf, but only for objections within the agreed timeframe – this is because of the two-week timeframe to 'serve' Rio Tinto from the date of objection.

**Please complete your online objection by the 14th of March 2022.**

**Any objections outside of this window will be required to 'serve' and arrange your own affidavit.**



*These instructions are for submitting online.*

*If online is not possible for you, you can get in touch with Nelson Gilmour at WAFA, on 0490 939 204 or email [nelsonblake89@gmail.com](mailto:nelsonblake89@gmail.com), for help submitting by mail.*

### Submitting an online objection

This is recommended to ensure your objection is received in time. It will take you about an hour to complete – hang in there!

There are several steps required. If you require assistance, contact Scott Montgomery (DMIRS) on 9222 3111. If you are having trouble getting in touch with Scott or need additional help, you can call Nelson.

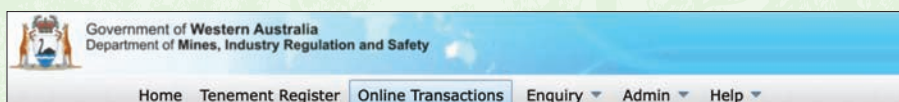
If you have never used the Mineral Titles Online system before, you will have to register following the steps below. If you already have an account, go to step 2.

- 1 Register as an online user of Mineral Titles Online:  
[https://forms.dmp.wa.gov.au/lfserver/anonymous/Client\\_Registration](https://forms.dmp.wa.gov.au/lfserver/anonymous/Client_Registration)  
- select the 'Mineral Titles Online' option.

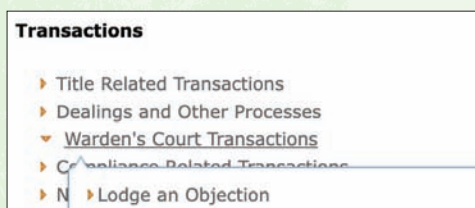


Complete your registration by going to your email and clicking the link they provide.  
A second email will be sent with your User ID.

- 2 Go to: <https://emits.dmp.wa.gov.au/emits/enquiry/home2.xhtml>  
and login with the User ID provided in the email  
Select 'Online Transactions' from the menu bar across the top.



- 3 From the menu bar down the side, select 'Warden's Court Transactions' and a drop-down menu appears.  
Select 'Lodge an Objection'



- 4 Select 'Tenement Application' - click on the 'Next' button on the bottom right of your screen.

A form titled "Step 1 - Objection Type". Below the title is the question "What do you wish to lodge an Objection against?". There are five radio button options: Tenement Application (selected), Exemption From Expenditure, Forfeiture, Restoration, and Survey.

- 5 You now need to enter the Tenement ID. Start with the first ID in the list below (E 70/6049)

A form titled "Step 2 - Tenement Selection". On the left is a sidebar with three steps: 1 Objection Type (checked), 2 Tenement Selection (active), and 3 Objectors. The main area contains the text "Please enter the Tenement ID that is subject to the objection:" followed by a text input field containing "E 70/6049".

There are 9 tenement applications. You will need to complete steps 2 through 5 in this guide for each tenement. **You will be lodging 9 separate objections.**

The tenement IDs are:

E 70/6049	E 70/6051	E 70/6053	E 70/6055	E 70/6057
E 70/6050	E 70/6052	E 70/6054	E 70/6056	E 12/13

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Once you've entered the tenement ID, click on the 'Next' button and fill in your details. Each time you click on 'Next' it will take you to the next screen where you fill in the required information.

When you get to step 4 online – you can use this list of grounds for objection [here](#) that can be copied and pasted in.

1 Objection Type	✓
2 Tenement Selection	✓
3 Objectors	✓
4 Grounds	←
5 Signing Party	
6 Attach Documents	
7 Review	

**Step 4 - Grounds**

**Please enter reasons for the objection:**

- Adverse impacts on Drinking Water Protection Areas
- Potential impacts on adjacent formal conservation reserves
- Adverse impacts on important waterways and wetlands
- Adverse impacts on EPA Redbook recommended conservation reserve
- Adverse impacts on EPA Environmentally Sensitive Areas
- Adverse impacts on Old-growth Jarrah

This tenement application cannot be removed from the context of 8 other tenement applications by the same company applied for at the same time, and the associated cumulative adverse impacts.

'Attachment A' lists the conservation values that will be adversely impacted.

Given the significant adverse impacts on multiple conservation values, I trust that this application will be rejected.

Note that attachments can be uploaded at the end of each objection (step 6). Please use [this attachment](#).

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2 Tenement Selection	✓
3 Objectors	✓
4 Grounds	✓
5 Signing Party	✓
6 Attach Documents	←

**Step 6 - Attach Documents**

**Please attach any supporting documents for your Objection application.**

Other

Other documentation being submitted in support of the online transaction i.e. covering letter.

📎 Attachment A\_Conservation Values of Forests Compartments Within or Overlapping Nine Exploration Licences with Range E 70\_6049 to E 70\_6057.pdf (82 KB) 🗑 Delete

📎 Attach file...

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As you near completion you will need to add your objection to 'your cart' – Don't be put off, you won't have to pay! You can keep the first objection as a PDF in your cart and go through the process for the others and then once you have all 10 in your cart you can finalise all objections in one 'transaction'.

**Online Transactions**

✓ Your Objection for Submission ID 395031 has been successfully added to the cart.

**I would like to ...**

- Tenement Searches
  - Order an Official Tenement Search (\$ fee payable)
  - Order a Tenement Data Extract (PDF) (\$ fee payable)
  - Lodge an Objection
  - Apply for an Extension of Time
  - Apply for an Application for Forfeiture (\$ fee payable)
- Trans
  - Lodge a Complaint (\$ fee payable)
  - Apply for a Restoration
  - Lodge a Notice Of Appeal under s147
  - Claims and other processes
  - Warden's Court Transactions
  - Compliance Related Transactions
  - Non-title Related Transactions
- Form Relodgement

**Previous Transactions**

**Incomplete** (View All)

Description	Sub ID
Objection Proceedings	394674

**Submitted** First 4 of 10 (View All)

Description	Sub ID
Objection	394561
Objection	394569
Objection	394573
Objection	394577

**Orders** (View All)

Order ID	Requested Date
MT-110014194452-NP	28/02/2022 12:53:51
MT-110014173168-NP	17/02/2022 11:47:55

**Rental Payments** (View All)

Payment ID	Requested Date
No Records	

**Your Cart**

Checkout

Description	Lead Tenement	Sub ID	Date	Qty	Unit Price	Total
Objection	E 70/6049	395031	02/03/2022 11:34:27	1	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Total:</b>						<b>\$0.00</b>

**Documents Awaiting Submission**

Description	Lead Tenement	Sub ID
No Records		

**Please Note - Changes to Online Transactions effective immediately**

- Western Australia (WA) remains in a State of Emergency. Some important measures remain in place to help keep WA safe, including a controlled State border and some regional travel restrictions to remote Aboriginal communities. Information on travel restrictions to remote Aboriginal communities can be found here.

The value of your cart will be \$0. Continue following prompts to complete your online objection. 'Checkout' of cart to review, then sign, and 'Proceed to Payment' and, finally, 'Complete Transaction'. You should receive 10 separate confirmation emails. This may take a few minutes.

**7** After receiving the initial confirmation emails, you will receive an email with the subject Objection Letter – Objector (number). This may take more than an hour to come through, they may take a few days. This email will have a letter attached from DMIRS telling you the date of the hearing and your objection that has an official stamp of Mining Registrar. **Please forward this whole email to [nelsonblake89@gmail.com](mailto:nelsonblake89@gmail.com) so that we receive your letter from DMIRS and your stamped objection and any other attachments you submitted.** Please make sure you forward all emails over the next week or so until all 9 objections have been forwarded.

In the forwarded email please include the words 'Rio Tinto' and your phone number.

This is so that we can easily sort all objections in my inbox because we are expecting quite a few. I'll write back to you with next steps.

**8** Within fourteen (14) days of the lodgement of your objection a hard copy of your objection must be served on the applicant. We are going to do this part for everyone collectively – you just have to submit your objection by the 14th of March and then forward the email with all attachments to us as per the step 6 above.

**9** Add the Mention Hearing to your calendar! It's on the 29th of April 2022 at 10am in Court Room 95, Level 9, Central Law Courts, 501 Hay Street, Perth.

WAFA will organise a representative to represent WAFA and any other objectors who would like to be represented.

Everyone who has lodged must appear or write to the Court no less than 7 days before.

**Please note:** "A party who does not wish to attend in person or by lawyer or agent on the nominated mention hearing date must make written application not less than 7 days before the hearing. Costs may be awarded against a party for non attendance."

Unless you lodge a form to withdraw your objection OR you will self-represent at the warden's court, you will need to complete a [notice of representation / change of representation form](#). You will need to make sure you put all dealing numbers from each objection on this form.

**10** This must also be lodged through the website at the 'lodge supporting documentation relating to a Warden's Court matter.' <https://emits.dmp.wa.gov.au/emits/enquiry/home2.xhtml>

**Give yourself a big old pat on the back and sit tight while we stop Rio Tinto from moving into the Jarrah Forests!**

## Checklist of documents for this whole process:

**Please do not edit any of these files, download them.**

- The instructions you are reading now.
- [Grounds for objection](#) to copy in your objection.
- [Attachment A](#) to attach with objection.
- [Affidavit Form 35](#) to 'serve' the objection on Rio (we will do this for you – this is just here for your info)
- A [Change of Representation](#) form unless you are self-representing.

