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**State Development,
Infrastructure and Planning**

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Gallium QLD Pty Ltd
C/- Richard Smith
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Dear Mr Smith

REQUIREMENT NOTICE

RPI25/005: Gallium QLD Pty Ltd – Glenlea Project

(given under section 44 of the *Regional Planning Interests Act 2014*)

I refer to the assessment application which was properly made on 24 April 2025 under section 29 of the *Regional Planning Interests Act 2014* (RPI Act). The application is seeking a regional interests development approval (RIDA) for a resource activity: mining and other resource activities (not petroleum and gas) for the Glenlea Project in the Wide Bay Burnett Strategic Environmental Area (SEA).

Application details

Applicant	Gallium QLD Pty Ltd
Project	Glenlea Project
Description	Exploration activities for minerals
Area of regional interest	Wide Bay Burnett SEA
Proposed disturbance area	20.0 ha

Site details

Real property description	Lot 29 on RW89, Lot 30 and 31 on RW90, Lot 9 on RW431, Lot 44 on RW90 and Lot 45 on RW85
Local government area	North Burnett Regional Council

Information Requirement

Pursuant to section 44 of the RPI Act, you are advised that further information is required to assist in the assessment of the application against the assessment criteria contained in the RPI Act and the Regional Planning Interests Regulation 2014 (RPI Regulation).

The further information required is detailed in **Attachment A**.

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The period in which the information must be provided is a maximum of three months from the date of this notice. An extension to this period may be requested if necessary.

Another requirement notice may be given if, for example, the response to this requirement notice does not provide sufficient information to assess and decide the application or in response to matters raised in a submission.

Public notification requirement

Pursuant to section 34(4) of the RPI Act, it has been determined that the application requires notification. The reason for the decision is that the delegate for the chief executive has determined that it is in the public interest for the application to be publicly notified.

In accordance with section 35 of the RPI Act, you are required to:

- publish a notice about the application '*at least once in a newspaper circulating generally in the area of the land*' as prescribed in section 13 of the RPI Regulation
- where not the owner of the land, give the owners of the land notice about the application.

Please provide proof of delivery of notice about the application to landowners to RPIAct@dsdilgp.qld.gov.au

Public notification must be undertaken within 10 business days of providing the response to the requirement notice to the Department of State Development, Infrastructure and Planning (DSDIP). The notification period is 15 business days after the notice about the application is first published, with the closing date being a day that is after the end of the notification period.

The approved form for public notification is available on DSDIP's website at [rpi-regional-interests-dev-approval-template.doc \(live.com\)](http://rpi-regional-interests-dev-approval-template.doc.live.com). Please provide a copy of the notice as it appears in the newspaper circulating generally in the area to RPIAct@dsdilgp.qld.gov.au

You are also referred to the RPI Act Statutory Guideline 06/14 Public notification of assessment applications at [RPI Act - Statutory Guideline 06/14 \(windows.net\)](http://RPI Act - Statutory Guideline 06/14 (windows.net)) for further information.

If you require any further information, or have any queries, please contact Mr Darren Brewer, Manager – Appeals and Regional Interests, Planning Group, DSDIP on (07) 3452 7472 or by email at RPIAct@dsdilgp.qld.gov.au who will be pleased to assist.

Yours sincerely



Phil Joyce
A/Executive Director
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Encl. Attachment A

ATTACHMENT A

Information required for assessment against SEA criteria – Schedule 2, Part 5 of the Regional Planning Interests Regulation 2014

1.	<p><u>Protected Plants</u></p> <p><u>Issue:</u></p> <p>Figure 5 in the RPI Act Development Application Supporting Information report (Arden Group Pty Ltd - April 2025) shows potential exploration activities in high-risk areas for protected plants. However, section 3.1 of the report states that the proposed activities have been revised to avoid these high-risk areas.</p> <p><u>Actions:</u></p> <p>Clarify if proposed exploration will affect high-risk protected plants, any impacts on these communities, and proposed mitigation measures. Amend the proposal and reports accordingly.</p>
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