Australian Government

Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment

Notification of CHANGE OF DESIGNATION OF PROPONENT

Aurukun Bauxite Project, Queensland (EPBC 2020/8624)

This decision is made under section 78(5) of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (Cth) (EPBC Act).

Person designated as the proponent under section 75 of the EPBC Act (First proponent)

First proponent	Glencore Bauxite Resources Pty Ltd ABN 50 603 233 272
Proposed action	To construct and operate an open-cut bauxite mine, coastal loading facility and load-out jetty in western Cape York, approximately 23 kilometres south-west of Aurukun, Queensland. [as described in EPBC Act referral 2020/8624 received on 25 February 2020 and determined as a controlled action on 11 June 2020].

Change of designation of proponent to another person (Later proponent)

Reconsideration of decision	Pursuant to sections 78(5) of the EPBC Act, I, Laura Smith, A/g Assistant Secretary, Environment Approvals Division, Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment, a delegate of the Minister for the Environment for the purposes of the EPBC Act, revoke the designation of Glencore Bauxite Resources Pty Ltd as proponent of the controlled action and designate Glencore Bauxite Resources Pty Ltd and MDP Bauxite Pty Ltd as proponent of the controlled action.
Later proponent	Glencore Bauxite Resources Pty Ltd ABN 50 603 233 272 MDP Bauxite Pty Ltd ABN 55 646 550 129
Name and position	Laura Smith Acting Assistant Secretary Environment Approvals Division
Signature	
Date of decision	21 December 2021