



INTRODUCTION OF PARTICIPANTS

PROCESS OVERVIEW



- The terms and conditions of NIRB project certificates must be implemented by all government departments and agencies in accordance with their authorities and jurisdictional responsibilities.
- The terms and conditions of NIRB project certificates must be incorporated into relevant permits, certificates, licences or other government approvals that the proponent may require.

PROCESS OVERVIEW

Where it has been determined that a project should proceed, the NIRB must issue an amended Project Certificate including any terms and conditions which have been accepted or varied by the Responsible Ministers.

- Terms and Conditions from the Reconsideration Report are carried forward into the Project Certificate
- Term and Condition wording as approved by the Responsible Ministers will not be modified
- Responsible parties and reporting requirements can be clarified *where not already specified by the Responsible Ministers*
- Non-binding commentary can be included where necessary to capture common understanding and provide an interpretive aid for a specific term and condition

A companion document is provided following issuance of the Project Certificate to help parties track the recent changes to the document.

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- Government department and other Authorizing Agencies shall discuss with the NIRB how best to implement the terms and conditions of the NIRB Project Certificates and may provide the NIRB with drafts of permits, certificates, licences and other government approvals.
- The Project Certificate Workshop is the beginning of this dialogue.
 - The NIRB will be tracking the various licencing processes as they progress.
 - The NIRB will seek to coordinate and provide advice on implementation.

MEETING OBJECTIVES

- Bring together the Proponent and relevant Regulatory Authorities to facilitate discussions on the implementation of terms and conditions contained within the Project Certificate into their respective licences, certificates, and permits.
- Provide an opportunity for Authorizing Agencies for Project activities, to confirm which terms and conditions will be implemented by each department or agency,
 - Focus on priority items requiring discussion and potential clarification in the Project Certificate,

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Term and Condition No.	<i>When term and condition was added or modified</i>
Category:	Defines which category the term and condition would apply as grouped in the NIRB's Decision Report
Responsible Parties:	Defines parties that have responsibility in meeting the requirements of the term and condition, regulators, and monitoring
Project Phase:	Defines which stage the term and condition applies: Construction, Operations, Temporary Closure/Care and Maintenance, Closure and Post-Closure Monitoring
Objective:	Provides a short description of the impact or effect being mitigated. Where relevant, expectations regarding the timing for when terms and conditions will be deemed to be satisfied and who has discretion for determining it is satisfied has been provided.
Term or Condition: 	Specific wording of term and condition from the NIRB's Decision Report or Ministers' Decision
Reporting Requirements:	To be coordinated with other licensing processes to the extent possible

Commentary: *Added where required to reflect clarification of the term and condition, recording the common understanding and interpretation resulting from discussions and guidance provided at the Project Certificate workshop.*

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

***VARIED* TERM AND CONDITION**

Where the Ministers have varied the Board's recommendations for a term or condition.

REVISED TERM AND CONDITION

Where, upon reconsideration, the Board has recommended an amendment to the existing terms or conditions in the Project Certificate and the Ministers have accepted the Board's recommendation.

NEW TERM AND CONDITION

Where, upon reconsideration, the Board has recommended that the Project Certificate be amended by adding a new term and condition and the Ministers have accepted the Board's recommendation or the Ministers have considered it necessary to add a term and condition.

