FORM 2

WESTERN AUSTRALIA
Offshore Minerals Act 2003
Offshore Minerals Regulations 2010
(Sec. 132)

APPLICATION FOR RETENTION LICENCE

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APPLICANT:
For each applicant:
(a) Full name and ACN/ABN No.
(b) Address
(c) No. of shares
(d) Total No. of shares

(a) & (b)	(c) shares
(d) total	

(e) Signature of applicant or agent (if agent, state full name and address)

(e) ..... Date .....

(f) Address for Notices

(f) ……..
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OFFICIAL USE

Received at …….. a.m. /p.m. on ……20 …..with fees of:

Application $ ……
TOTAL $ ……

Executive Director – Resource Tenure

NOTES:

RETENTION LICENCE (Sec. 138(1))

(i) Attachment 1 forms a part of every application for a Retention Licence and must be lodged with this form.
(ii) An application for a Retention Licence shall be accompanied by details of:
  a. The reasons why the applicant is applying for a retention licence rather than a mining licence; and
  b. The mineral deposit that the applicant has identified and evaluated and that the applicant believes is commercially viable in the longer term;
  c. The applicant's assessment of the present and potential commercial viability of the mineral deposit; and
  d. The overall work programme that the applicant has already carried out under the exploration licence on the blocks covered by the application;
  e. The amount of money that the applicant has already spent under the exploration licence on and in connection with the blocks covered by the application; and
  f. The activities that the applicant intends to carry out on the block or blocks covered by the application; and
  g. The amount of money that the applicant intends to spend on those activities; and
  h. The technical qualifications of the applicant and of the applicant's employees who are likely to be involved in activities authorised by the licence; and
  i. The technical advice available to the applicant; and
  j. The financial resources available to the applicant.
(iii) This application form shall be accompanied by a map that relate to the blocks, and comply with the regulations. (Sec. 138(1)(e) and Reg. 15)