## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

#### **EP301**

### **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT 1986**

# ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AMENDMENT REGULATIONS 1995

Made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council on the recommendation of the Authority.

### Citation

1. These regulations may be cited as the Environmental Protection Amendment Regulations 1995.

# Regulation 2B inserted

2. After regulation 2A of the Environmental Protection Regulations 1987\* the following regulation is inserted —

## Inspection of minutes

2B. (1) In this regulation -

"minute" means a minute of proceedings of a meeting of the Authority.

- (2) Subject to subregulation (4), a minute relating to a matter is to be made available for public inspection after the expiration of 6 months from the day on which the minute was made.
- (3) The Authority may before the expiration of the period referred to in subregulation (2) determine that a particular minute
  - (a) relates to a matter that has yet to be resolved by the Authority; or
  - (b) contains information that the Authority considers to be confidential (whether for commercial reasons or otherwise),

and stamp the minute accordingly.

- (4) A minute that is the subject of a determination referred to
  - (a) in subregulation (3)(a) is to be made available for public inspection after the expiration of 12 months from the day on which the minute was made; and
  - (b) in subregulation (3)(b) is to be made available for public inspection after the expiration of 5 years from the day on which the minute was made.

- (5) Minutes are to be made available for public inspection during normal office hours at the following places (each of which is located at 141 St George's Terrace, Perth, Western Australia)
  - (a) the head office of the Authority; and
  - (b) the public reading room of the Department.
- [\* Published in Gazette of 20 February 1987 at p. 447-9. For amendments to 29 December 1994 see 1993 Index to Legislation of Western Australia, Table 4, p. 67, and Gazette of 10 June 1994.]

Recommended by the Environmental Protection Authority.

Dr RAY STEEDMAN, Chairman.

By His Excellency's Command,

M. C. WAUCHOPE, Clerk of the Council.