## Form 605

**Corporations Act 2001** 

#### Section 671B

# Notice of ceasing to be a substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme	Western Areas Limited		
ACN/ARSN <u>A</u>	ACN 091049357		

#### 1. Details of substantial holder (1)

Name	Wellington Management Group LLP ("Wellington Management"), and its related bodies corporate		
ACN/ARSN (if applicable)			
The holder ceased to be a substan	tial holder on	24/02/17	
The previous notice was given to the company on		22/02/17	
The previous notice was dated		20/02/17	

#### 2. Changes in relevant interests

Particulars of each change in , or change in the nature of, a relevant interest (2) of the substantial holder or an associate (3) in voting securities of the company or scheme, since the substantial holder was last required to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme are as follows:

Date of change		Consideration given in relation to change (5)	Class (6) and number of securities affected	Person's votes affected
See Exhibit	A			

#### 3. Changes in association

The persons who have become associates (3) of, ceased to be associates of, or have changed the nature of their association (7) with, the substantial holder in relation to voting interests in the company or scheme are as follows:

Name and ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	Nature of association
N/A	

#### 4. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address
5 5	c/o Wellington Management Company LLP, 280 Congress Street, Boston MA 02210, USA

### Signature

print name	John D. Norberg	capacity	Authorized Person
sign here		date	27/02/17

# <u>Exhibit A</u>

#### 2. Changes in relevant interests

Particulars of each change in , or change in the nature of, a relevant interest (2) of the substantial holder or an associate (3) in voting securities of the company or scheme, since the substantial holder was last required to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme are as follows:

Date of change	Person whose relevant interest changed	Nature of change (4)	Consideration given in relation to change (5)	Class (6) and number of securities affected	Person's votes affected
21/02/17	Wellington Management	Sale	-985,872 AUD	-380,000 Common Stock	-380,000
22/02/17	Wellington Management	Sale	-612,524 AUD	-237,100 Common Stock	-237,100
23/02/17	Wellington Management	Sale	-1,243,595 AUD	-497,306 Common Stock	-497,306
24/02/17	Wellington Management	Sale	-873,714 AUD	-361,514 Common Stock	-361,514