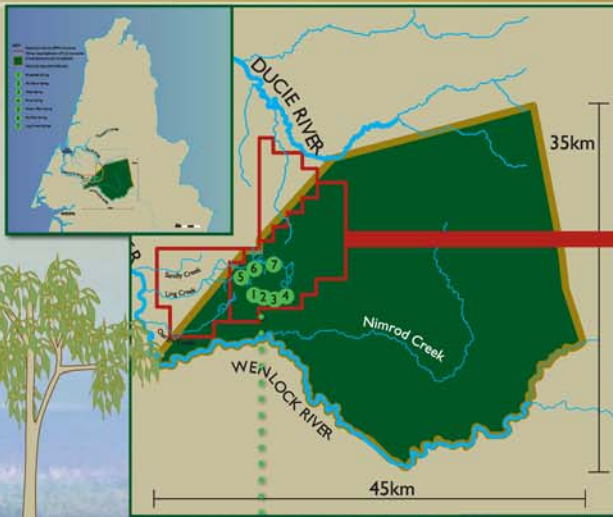


The STEVE IRWIN WILDLIFE RESERVE is being threatened by strip mining

Cape Alumina Pty Ltd has lodged mining lease applications which include approximately 12,300 ha of the Reserve.

This is the equivalent of 12,300 football fields!



Cape Alumina company documents indicate an intention to mine 100 plus million tons over a 15 year period commencing 2011.

The greater part of this mine is on the **STEVE IRWIN WILDLIFE RESERVE**

The proposed area for mining on the **STEVE IRWIN WILDLIFE RESERVE** contains the head waters of irreplaceable waterways and unique biodiversity which **WILL NOT RECOVER** after mining operations are finished.



The bauxite plateau links with and is crucial in the role of driving the "perched springs"

How you can help:

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