Buru Energy (ASX:BRU) secures exploration areas in onshore Carnarvon Basin

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The two areas are in the Northern Carnarvon Basin and the Merlinleigh Sub-basin, lying immediately to the south of the EP 510 permit that Buru shares with EnRes.

The application is part of Buru's long-term strategy to leverage its proprietary knowledge of the Palaeozoic petroleum systems of the Canning Basin to expand into underexplored and prospective onshore petroleum acreage outside the Canning Basin.

CEO Thomas Nador said the areas substantially advance Buru's strategy to leverage its "considerable" in-house geoscience expertise to grow its exposure to future onshore energy developments.

"The recent activity in the Perth Basin both geologically and corporately illustrates the major impact that gas discoveries can have, particularly in these underexplored basins close to infrastructure." Mr Noor said.

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BRU by the numbers

