



Mr Craig White
Environment Superintendent
Bengalla Mining Company Pty Limited
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Dear Mr White

**Bengalla Continuation Project Modification 5 (SSD 5170-Mod-5)
Response to Submissions Report**

The public exhibition of the Modification Report for the hard rock processing and site layout changes concluded on Wednesday 2 February 2022. All public submissions and agency advice can be viewed on the Department's website
<https://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/project/42326>.

Please note, the Department is expecting further advice from Muswellbrook Shire Council, the NSW Resources Regulator and the Water Division within the Department (DPE Water). A copy of the outstanding agency advice will be made available to you as soon as possible, once received.

I now request you prepare and submit a Submissions Report, detailing your responses to all matters raised in submissions and the agency advice, including any requests for clarification and/or further information.

If you have any questions, please contact Sarah Clibborn on 02 8837 6095 or via email at sarah.clibborn@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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Stephen O'Donoghue
Director
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as delegate for the Planning Secretary