

Our ref: SSI-33143123

Mr Gary Brassington
Manager Approvals
Illawarra Metallurgical Coal

Via: Major Projects portal

21/06/2022

Subject: Response to Submissions

Dear Mr Brassington

The exhibition of the development application and environmental impact statement (EIS) for the Dendrobium Mine Extension Project (SSI-33143123) ended on 14 June 2022.

We have placed all submissions on the NSW planning portal at <https://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/projects/dendrobium-mine-extension-project-0>.

We now require a written response to issues raised in the submissions, as required under section 5.17(6) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*.

The written response must be in the form of a submissions report that has been prepared having regard to the *State Significant Infrastructure Guidelines including Appendix C - Preparing a Submissions Report*.

We also require a response to the issues raised by agencies and the Independent Expert Scientific Committee in their advice. This response may be incorporated into the submissions report.

Please lodge your submissions report by 12 August 2022 via the NSW planning portal <https://majorprojects.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/>.

If you have any questions, please contact Gabrielle Allan, on 02 9585 6078 or via email at gabrielle.allan@dpie.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,



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