



Brent Baker
Environmental Superintendent – Narrabri Coal Operations
Narrabri Coal Operations Pty Ltd
Locked Bag 1002
NARRABRI NSW 2390

28/05/2020

Dear Mr Baker

**Narrabri Coal Mine (08_0144)
Appointment of Water Management Plan Experts**

I refer to your letter dated 14 May 2020 seeking the Secretary's approval of suitably qualified experts to review the Water Management Plan for the Narrabri Coal Mine (08_0144).

The Department has reviewed the nominations and information you have provided and is satisfied that these experts are suitably qualified and experienced.

Accordingly, the Secretary approves the following people for the roles nominated below:

- Mr Greg Roads of WRM and Environment to review relevant surface water components of the Water Management Plan; and
- Mr Paul Ryall of Australasian Groundwater and Environmental Consultants to review the relevant groundwater components of the Water Management Plan.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Philip Nevill on (02) 8275 1036.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'SOD'.

Stephen O'Donoghue
Director
Resource Assessments

As nominee of the Planning Secretary