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Dear Chris

PORT KEMBLA COPPER DEMOLITION PROJECT (MP 08_0191)

Thank you for your letter of 25 November 2013 requesting confirmation in writing from the Illawarra District Emergency Management Committee that it has been consulted and/or involved by Port Kembla Copper (PKC) in the preparation of the Evacuation Management Plan (EMP) for the project, as required by Condition 21c of Schedule 3.

I wish to confirm previous advice from Assistant Commissioner Gary Worboys, Regional Emergency Operations Controller, NSW Police Force (copy attached) that, as a result of legislative changes, the delegation of the former District Emergency Management Committee has been transferred to the Illawarra Local Emergency Management Committee (LEMC).

I can confirm that the Illawarra Local Emergency Management Committee established a Working Group in July 2013 to assist PKC to prepare an Evacuation Management Plan for the demolition of the Port Kembla stack. This Working Party was led by Inspector Gordon Dunlop of NSW Police Force, and involved representatives from PKC, Wollongong Council and relevant emergency service agencies and organisations including:

FRNSW
Ambulance Service of NSW
NSW Police Force
SES

VRA
Transport NSW
DPI
Dept Family & Community Services

As Chair of the Illawarra LEMC, I can confirm that comprehensive consultation has occurred between the LEMC Working Group and PKC in the development of the Evacuation Management Plan and that the LEMC is satisfied that the plan addresses all issues relating to emergency management.

Following your Department's advice of approval for the demolition and announcement of a demolition date, refinements to specific agency actions and final planning for the evacuations will occur.

Please contact me on 4227 7487 should you wish to discuss this matter further.

This letter is authorised by

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**Illawarra South Coast
Regional Emergency Management Committee**

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20 August 2013

Dear Mr Wilson,

Re: Port Kembla Copper Stack Demolition

I have been informed that the Dept of Planning requires assurances that the development approval (DA) conditions for the demolition of the PKC chimney stack have been complied with. I am therefore providing this correspondence to confirm the emergency management consultation requirements of the approval.

The DA stipulated consultation was required with the Illawarra District Emergency Management Committee. Since the release of the approval conditions legislative amendments has resulted in the Illawarra DEMC no longer existing and the Illawarra South Coast Emergency Management Region (REMC) is now the regional EM oversight committee.

As a result of these legislative changes the responsibility for consultation of Emergency Management matters was transferred from the REMC to the Illawarra Local Emergency Management Committee (LEMC) which is appropriate within the EM structure. This transfer of responsibility has been oversighted by the REMC who have also been actively engaged in the consultation process.

I, as the Chair of the REMC, can verify that comprehensive consultation has occurred between the Local Emergency Management Committee and Port Kembla Copper management in order to address all issues related to emergency management.

Sincerely

Assistant Commissioner Gary Worboys
Regional Emergency Operations Controller
NSW Police Force

cc. Chair, Illawarra LEMC, Mike Dowd
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