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Mr P. Freeman
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Dear Mr Freeman

Re: Myuna Colliery Modification - Response to Wyong Shire Council Submission

A submission from Wyong Shire Council was received by Centennial Myuna on 3 February 2015 in regards to the proposed modification to the Myuna Colliery Project Approval (PA10_0080). The submission from Wyong Shire Council considers that Centennial Myuna should be required to contribute towards community improvements which assist in mitigating the negative impacts of the project.

To trigger a voluntary planning agreement under the Environment Planning and Assessment Act 1979 (EP&A Act) there needs to be a demonstrated nexus between the project and its impact on community infrastructure/services. This proposed modification has no negative impacts, particularly for Wyong Shire Council, with the pit top being located in the Lake Macquarie City Council Local Government Area. The proposed modification does not change the existing surface footprint or any surface infrastructure.

This minor modification is required to reflect the increased production required to support the people redeployed from Newstan Colliery when it was moved to care and maintenance in July 2014.

Yours sincerely

James Wearne
Environment and Community Coordinator - Projects