

Mr Tony Dwyer
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Dear Mr Dwyer,

**Maules Creek Coal Project (MP10_0138)
Heritage Management Plan**

I refer to your request (MP10_0138-PA-34) for the Planning Secretary's approval of suitably qualified persons to prepare revisions to the Heritage Management Plan for the Maules Creek Coal Project (MP10_0138).

The Department has reviewed the nomination and information you have provided and is satisfied that this expert is suitably qualified and experienced. Consequently, I can advise that the Planning Secretary approves the appointment of Dr Matthew Whincop to prepare revisions to the Heritage Management Plan.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Callum Firth at callum.firth@dpie.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



Stephen O'Donoghue
Director
Resource Assessments

As nominee of the Planning Secretary