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Environmental Management Strategy for Maules Creek Coal Mine (MP10_0138)

Dear Mr. Dwyer

I refer to the Environmental Management Strategy (Edition 3 [Revision 2], 2022) submitted to the Department of Planning and Environment (the Department) as required under the conditions of approval for the Maules Creek Coal Mine.

I note the Environmental Management Strategy has been:

- Reviewed by Maules Creek Coal and no issues have been raised with the Department; and
- Contain the information required by the conditions of approval.

As nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the Environmental Management Strategy (Edition 3 [Revision 2], 2022).

Please ensure that the approved plan is placed on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Brittany Golding on 02 9995 5742

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "W Jones".

Wayne Jones
Team Leader - Post Approval
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As nominee of the Planning Secretary