

## DIVISION OF RESOURCES & GEOSCIENCE ADVICE RESPONSE

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Dear Melanie

**Project: Mangoola Continued Operations Project**  
**Stage: Response to Submissions**  
**Development Application: SSD-8642**

I refer to your correspondence dated 19 December 2019 inviting the Division of Resources & Geoscience (the Division) to provide comments on the Mangoola Continued Operations Project (the Project) submitted by Mangoola Coal Operations Pty Limited (the Proponent).

The relevant units internal to the Division have been consulted where required in generating this advice. Further, the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment - Planning & Assessment Division and the Proponent should be aware that matters pertaining to rehabilitation, environmental impacts of final landform design, subsidence, subsidence management, mine operator and safety are not assessed by the Division and advice should be sought from the Resources Regulator.

The Division advises that the information provided in the Response to Submissions adequately addresses the issues raised in the Division's submission on the EIS and has no further comment at this time. The Division requests to review the draft conditions of approval prior to finalisation and any granting of development consent.

For further enquiries and advice in relation to this matter, please contact Adam W. Banister, Senior Advisor Assessment Coordination – Resource Assessments on 02 4063 6534 or [assessment.coordination@planning.nsw.gov.au](mailto:assessment.coordination@planning.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely



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