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Dear Ms Hawkeswood

Bowdens Silver – Bilateral assessment

Thank you for your e-mail dated 24 August 2022 to the Biodiversity, Conservation and Science Directorate (BCS) of the Department of Planning and Environment requesting a bilateral assessment under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (EPBC) for the Bowdens Silver project.

The biodiversity assessment for Bowdens Silver has been done in accordance with the Framework for Biodiversity Assessment (FBA). Due to this, the bilateral assessment uses the FBA template rather than the latest Biodiversity Assessment Method (BAM) template.

The bilateral assessment is provided in Attachment A.

If you require any further information regarding this matter, please contact Liz Mazzer, Conservation Planning Officer, via liz.mazzer@environment.nsw.gov.au or (02) 6883 5325.

Yours sincerely

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Attachment A: Assessment of EPBC Act listed threatened species and communities using the NSW Framework for Biodiversity Assessment