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Subject: Corrimal Coke Works - Stage 2A - Built Form (SSD-83789711) – Response to Submission (RTS)

Dear Delia Galao,

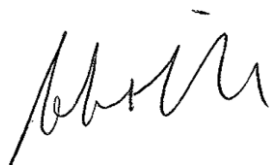
I refer to your request for advice sent on 6 June 2026 to the NSW Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water (DCCEEW) Water Group about the above matter.

NSW DCCEEW Water Group has reviewed the EIS and has a recommendation on water licensing.

Please see **Attachment A** for details.

Should you have any further queries in relation to this submission please do not hesitate to contact the Water Assessments team at water.assessments@dcceew.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rob Brownbill".

Rob Brownbill,
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Attachment A

Detailed advice to DPHI Planning & Assessment regarding the Corrimal Coke Works - Stage 2A - Built Form (SSD-83789711) – Response to Submission (RTS)

1.0 Water supply, take and licensing

1.1 Recommendation – post approval

DPHI should request the proponent obtain a water access licence (WAL) to account for the maximum predicted water take for construction and operation activities unless an exemption applies under the *Water Management (General) Regulation 2025*.

Explanation

The proponent has estimated maximum take as 2.682 ML/year during construction and 1.284 ML/year ongoing.

Under the *Water Management Act 2000*, if groundwater is intercepted a WAL must be obtained prior to any water take occurring unless an exemption under the *Water Management (General) Regulation 2025* applies. The proponent states they intend to claim the exemption to a WAL under Section 19 of Schedule 4 of the *Water Management (General) Regulation 2025*. To claim this exemption, mandatory monitoring and reporting requirements must be met. The proponent must be aware this exemption ceases on 30 June 2029.

Should the proponent not meet these mandatory requirements, they are required to obtain a WAL with sufficient entitlement to account for maximum take.

Further information on these requirements and other information on licensing and approvals and exemptions, including a form to report and record water taken can be found at:

https://water.dpie.nsw.gov.au/licensing-and-trade_and_Groundwater_access_licence_exemptions | NSW Government Water.

End Attachment A
