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Jessie Evans  
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**Re: Wongawilli Colliery Modification 2 - DPIE Water Group Request for Additional Information**

Dear Jessie,

I refer to the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (DPIE) correspondence dated 1 November 2021, in which further information is requested to effectively address additional matters raised by DPIE Water Group in regard to the proposed Wongawilli Colliery Modification 2 (MP09\_0161\_Mod2).

Wollongong Coal Pty Ltd (WCL) has considered and responded to each of the additional matters raised by DPIE Water Group NSW, within the attached updated Supplementary Groundwater Impact Assessment (SGIA).

The below specifically details how each of the matters raised by DPIE Water Group have been addressed within the updated SGIA:

- Provide independence declaration of the peer reviewer in regard to the Groundwater Impact Assessment (GIA) and SGIA – A letter confirming the independence of Dr Doug Weatherill relating to the peer review of the groundwater model, and relevant reports, has been included within the peer review report available within Appendix C of the updated SGIA attached.
- Correct error in identification of cross sections lines in Figure 2-8 in the SGIA – Figure 2-8 within the updated SGIA has been updated to correctly identify cross sections demonstrated within the figure.

Should you have any questions or queries in relation to the content of this letter please do not hesitate to contact me on 0404 972 746.

Yours sincerely

**Richard Sheehan**  
Wollongong Coal Group Environment Manager

Enc Supplementary Groundwater Impact Assessment