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Dear Mr Brassington

Bulli Seam Operations Project (MP 08_0150)
Appin Mine Extraction Plan LW 709-711 & LW 905 – request for additional information

I refer to the assessment of the Extraction Plan (EP) for Appin Mine's LWs 709-711 and LW 905 and the engagement that the Department has undertaken on it with relevant government agencies.

The Department has carefully reviewed agency advice received to date and requires additional information before it can complete its assessment of the EP. The Department therefore requests that you review and respond to agency advice from:

- Wollondilly Shire Council;
- Biodiversity Conservation Division within the Department; and
- Subsidence Advisory NSW.

I understand that advice from these agencies have already been provided to you via emails. I also understand that the combined advice from DPIE Water and Natural Resources Access Regulator is still outstanding. This advice will be provided to you when received and the Department will at that time seek, if required, responses to any issues raised in it.

Please provide the information, or notify us that you will not provide the information, by Wednesday 12 January 2022. If this timeframe is not achievable, please provide and commit to an alternative timeframe for providing this information.

If you have any questions, please contact Nagindar Singh on 82896873 or via email at Nagindar.Singh@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



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