Department of Planning and Environment



Mr Simon Coates Superintendent Environment Evolution Mining (Cowal) Pty Limited Lake Cowal Road Lake Cowal NSW 2671

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Subject: Request for Additional Information

Dear Mr Coates

The department requests that you provide additional information/clarification about matters relating to the proposed modification of the Cowal Gold Operations Underground Development (SSD-10367 Mod 1), as outlined below.

- · Section 6.4 of the modification report refers to an increased "processing" rate as a reason for the decreased demand from external water sources. Please clarify this, given the proposed modification does not involve an increase in the processing rate.
- · Please provide a table comparing the approved and predicted water take from each water source.
- · Please provide an updated figure to replace that shown in Appendix 2 of the development consent.

You are requested to provide the information, or notification that the information will not be provided, to the department by Wednesday 5 October 2022. If you cannot meet this deadline or do not intend to provide the additional information, please advise the department via the NSW planning portal.

If you have any questions, please contact Brittany Golding on 02 9995 5742 or via email at Brittany.Golding@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,

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