



Mr Ralph Northey
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Dear Mr. Northey

**Bulga Optimisation Project (SSD-4960)/ Bulga Underground Mine (DA376-8-2003)
Bulga Coal Complex - Water Management Plan**

I refer to the Water Management Plan which was submitted in accordance with Condition 28 of Schedule 3 of the Development Consent for the Bulga Optimisation Project (SSD-4960) and Condition 14 of Schedule 4 of the Development Consent for the Bulga Underground Mine (DA 376-8-2003).

The Department has carefully reviewed the document and is satisfied that it meets the requirements of the relevant conditions of consent.

Accordingly, the Secretary has approved the Water Management Plan (Version 4, dated July 2021). Please ensure that the approved plan is placed on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Wayne Jones on (02) 6575 3406.

Yours sincerely

Stephen O'Donoghue
Director
Resource Assessments (Coal & Quarries)
As nominee of the Secretary