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Subject: Approval of Bulga Coal Complex Biodiversity Management Plan

Dear Mr Northey

I refer to the revised Bulga Biodiversity Management Plan, which was submitted in accordance with Condition 34 of Schedule 3 of the consent for the Bulga Optimisation Project (SSD-4960) and Condition 44 of Schedule 4 of the consent for the Bulga Underground Mine (DA 376-8-2003).

The Department has carefully reviewed the revised document and is satisfied that it is consistent with the relevant conditions of consent. Accordingly, the Planning Secretary has approved the Bulga Biodiversity Management Plan (Revision 7.0, Dated May 2022).

You are reminded that if there are any inconsistencies between the Biodiversity Management Plan and the conditions of approval, the conditions prevail.

Please ensure you make the document publicly available on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please don't hesitate to contact me on 02 4908 6896

Yours sincerely



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As nominee of the Planning Secretary