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Dear Matthew

SSD-5144 Schedule 6, Condition 7(d): Revision of Strategies, Plans and Programs

Introduction

SSD-5144 Mod 8 regarding the approval to increase the maximum number of full-time equivalent (FTE) employees from 470 to 815 and increase its onsite parking from 228 to 460 car spaces was approved on 17 January 2020. The approved modification also includes an upgrade an electrical substation to convert electricity generated onsite from 11 kilovolts (kV) to 33 kV for use either by the mine or to be fed into the State grid.

Schedule 6, Condition 7(d) of SSD-5144 requires that within 3 months of any modification to the conditions of consent the applicant must review, and if necessary revise, the strategies, plan and programs required under this consent. As required by Condition 7(d) the applicant must then within 4 weeks of conducting any such review, advise the Secretary of the outcome of the review, and provide any revised documents to the Secretary for review and approval. This letter aims to satisfy this condition with regard to SSD-5144 Mod 8.

Modification 8

The approved modification, which permits the increase in the maximum number of full-time equivalent (FTE) employees from 470 to 815, an increase in onsite parking from 228 to 460 car spaces and an upgrade to an electrical substation to convert electricity generated onsite from 11 kilovolts (kV) to 33 kV, was assessed with regard to the environmental impacts resulting from the proposed modification.

Following a review of the outcomes of the Mod 8 approval, a Construction Traffic Management Plan (CTMP) for the Mod 8 construction activities as required by SSD-5144 Schedule 3, Condition 27B is currently being prepared. The CTMP will be updated and submitted to the Department following consultation with the Lake Macquarie City Council and Transport for NSW. An internal Construction Environmental Management Plan (CEMP) will also be developed for the Mod 8 construction activities.

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No other management plans relevant to the Mandalong Mine operations were required to be updated following the approval of Mandalong Mine Mod 8.

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Yours sincerely



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