

## Carl Dumpleton

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**To:** Carl Dumpleton  
**Subject:** Bengalla Mine Continuation Project - Mod 1

Dear Carl,

### **Re: Bengalla Mine Continuation Project - Mod 1**

The DSC has reviewed the Environmental Impact Statement for the Bengalla Mine Continuation Project - Mod 1. There is already an existing prescribed dam on the Project site (the Bengalla Staged Discharge Dam), and as part of the Continuation Project two new dams will be built which have also been prescribed by the DSC, these are the new Bengalla Staged Discharge Dam and the Bengalla Cleanwater Dam. The DSC has already delineated notification areas around each of these three dams and prior to mining proceeding within these notification areas, Bengalla Mine needs to gain permission from the Minister.

Bengalla has already been in consultation with the DSC and has gained DSC endorsement for mining within the notification areas and DSC is in the process of informing the Minister of their endorsement of the Project. During the course of the Continuation project a major void is also being developed to divert water away from the operational pit. The proposed void has no embankments and is therefore not of concern to the DSC.

If there are any queries in regard to the above please do not hesitate to contact Heather Middleton on 98428076.

Kind regards

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