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Dear Mr Flood

Wilpinjong Extension Project (SSD-6764)
Extension of time to secure offsets

I refer to your request dated 2 June 2020 for an extension of time to secure Biodiversity Offset Areas 1-5 as required under Condition 32, Schedule 3 of Development Consent SSD-6764 for the Wilpinjong Extension Project.

The Department notes that these offset areas are proposed to be secured by transferring the land to the National Parks and Wildlife Service (NPWS) and that Wilpinjong Coal Pty Ltd continues to prepare the areas for transfer in consultation with NPWS. The Department notes that additional time is required to complete necessary land subdivisions to enable the transfer to NPWS to occur due to delays resulting from COVID 19.

Accordingly, the Planning Secretary has granted an extension of time until 19 September 2021 for the extension of time.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Jack Turner on 02 9995 5387 or at jack.turner@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



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Director
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As nominee of the Planning Secretary