

Aislinn Farnon  
Environment and Community Manager  
United Collieries Pty Ltd

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**Subject: Timing of Management Plan Reviews**

Dear Ms Farnon,

I refer to your request seeking agreement from the Department to submit a consolidated revision of relevant strategies, plans and programs required under SSD 7142, noting that condition E7 of Schedule 2 of SSD 7142 requires review and, if necessary, revision of the relevant strategies, plans and programs within 3 months following submission of an audit report or annual review.

The Department understands that United Wambo submitted the latest Independent Environmental Audit on 27 December 2023, and are currently in the process of preparing the Annual Review for the 2023 calendar year.

In order to avoid numerous reviews of the relevant strategies, plans and programs required under SSD 7142, the Department considers that it would be appropriate to combine the review, and potential revision, of the relevant strategies, plans and programs to cover both the Independent Environmental Audit and Annual review in a single consolidated revision.

Accordingly, the Department agrees that the review and, if necessary, revision of the relevant strategies, plans and programs is required to be undertaken by **16 August 2024**.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Joe Fittell on (02) 4908 6896.

Yours sincerely



**Stephen O'Donoghue**  
**Director**  
**Resource Assessments**

As nominee of the Secretary