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2 December 2022

Subject: Approval of Mangoola Coal Continued Operations Project Water Management Plan

Dear Mr Palmer

I refer to your submission dated 26 October 2022, seeking approval of the Water Management Plan which was submitted in accordance with Condition B50 of Schedule 2 of the Development Consent for the Mangoola Coal Continued Operations Project (version 1, dated October 2022). I also acknowledge your response to the comments provided by DPE Water.

The Department has carefully reviewed the document, including the appended Erosion and Sediment Control Plan, Surface Water Management Plan and Groundwater Management Plan, and is satisfied that it meets the requirements of the condition.

Accordingly, as nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the Water Management Plan (version 1 dated October 2022).

You are reminded that if there are any inconsistencies between the Water 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 contact Joe Fittell on (02) 4908 6896.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "SOD", written over a light blue circular stamp.

Stephen O'Donoghue
Director
Resource Assessments
as nominee of the Secretary