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**Subject: Maxwell Underground Exploration and Surface Infrastructure Management Plan**

Dear Ms McLaughlin,

I refer to your submission dated 5 August 2022 requesting approval of the Exploration and Surface Infrastructure Management Plan.

I note the Exploration and Surface Infrastructure Management Plan has been prepared in accordance with condition B73 of Schedule 2 of SSD 9526, and that it complies with the relevant parts of this condition.

As nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the Exploration and Surface Infrastructure Management Plan (version 1, dated 14 July 2022) under Condition B73 of Schedule 2 of SSD 9526.

You are reminded that if there is any inconsistency between the approved document and the conditions of approval, then the requirements of the conditions of approval prevail.

Please ensure that the approved plan is placed on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Sarah Clibborn on (02) 8837 6095 or via email at [sarah.clibborn@planning.nsw.gov.au](mailto:sarah.clibborn@planning.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely



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*As nominee of the Planning Secretary*