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Dear Mr Peng,

Supplementary submission regarding the proposed modification 4 of Emirates Wolgan Valley Resort (MP06_0310)

Wilderness Australia supports Blue Mountains City Council submission regarding alleged misstatements in the modification report that:

- sought to secure a permanent increase in flight volumes compared to their previous approval (Modification 2); and
- Your Department was misled into treating the proposed permanent expansion as a temporary variation, and contends that this scale of helicopter traffic means these proposed helicopter movements are no longer "substantially the same development."

I am sure your Department will investigate Council's considered allegations thoroughly.

Public submissions in the attached file

Please find attached a csv file of 58 submissions to proposed modification 4 of Emirates Wolgan Valley Resort (MP06_0310). These have been emailed to you to the above address, but the attached file may be of assistance when reviewing the public submissions.

I trust that these attached submissions will be accepted, as they comply with the requirements of a formal submission by containing: a political donations declaration; personal details; a declaration of the type of submission (support or objection); details of the submission; and a signature.

I believe potential respondents are discouraged by the initial login process to your website where you are required to create a username and password. The login process should instead follow the submission making process. Those who have responded should have a choice to opt-out of the login process and still make a valid submission. The Department should ensure that the submission process is as user friendly as

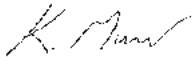
possible and that those who are older, or who do not like Government holding information on them have a fair chance to comment.

As previously explained many potentially affected people in the lower Mountains did not know of this proposal until the final days of the exhibition. Wilderness Australia has helped people in the Blue Mountains make submissions during the last few days of the exhibition period via webform.

Please consider the submission (file name: Final draft Wilderness Aust obj Mod 4 Emirates.pdf) and this supplementary submission to complete Wilderness Australia's contribution to the public comment process.

Thank you for the opportunity to make submissions and be a part of the review process for this proposal.

Yours sincerely,



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