

I am writing to lodge my objection to the Glendell Mine – Mod 4 – Minor Extension Modification to DA 80/952.

This application should be refused for the following reasons:

1. The air quality assessment failed to apply the new NEPM standards
2. The air quality assessment failed to apply the EPA 2017 guidelines of assessing air quality
3. The air quality assessment failed to identify cumulative ambient air quality at Camberwell and surrounding districts. In the last five years the area has had critical levels of air pollution impacting on human health when measured under the new national standards.
4. The project leaves a final void and lowers the class of agricultural land in the final landform from class 1V or V down to class V111. This lowers the land value and productivity for future users
5. The modification proposes to change the mine operational time from June 2024 to Year 2024.
6. Failure to administer new NEPM standards to acquisition rights especially in relation to cumulative impacts
7. Failure to identify water concerns for the residents on tank water, with less rain fall and climatic changes in weather patterns
8. Glencore misled the Community Consultative Committee on the matter of public exhibition for this modification.

Regards,

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