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Dear Sir,

RE: Extension of Submission Period & "Claiming Submitters Rights" OBJECTION to Duralie Coal Open Pit Modification, Environmental Assessment to modify approval 08_0203.

1 am "Claiming Submitters Rights" in objection to Duralie Coal Open Pit Modification. The submission period last day is currently Wednesday 30th July 2014, I request an extension. Two weeks notice period is unfair and unacceptable.

I have lodged objections against Duralie Coal previously. Legislation that prevents The Department of Planning & Environment from notifying me in advance by letter of a pending submission period regarding Duralie Coal modification or not is unacceptable!

I am a property owner that is already impacted by Duralie Coal mines DUST and NOISE and this modification will further impact me should Planning approve. The void will be bigger and hold more dirty mine waste water which will flow into the creeks and gullies that all flow into Mammy Johnsons River, Karuah River to Port Stephens/Marine Park.

I am unable to formulate my submission objection letter by Wednesday 30th July 2014. My Claiming Submitters Rights will therefore allow me to forward through my detailed objection submission as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully Name ! Signature Email: