17th November 2013

Dubbo Zirconia Mine – Toongi

Environmental Impact Statement EIS

Our Questions relate to the disturbance area on the North Eastern boundary to Cockleshell Corner, Toongi containing the solid residue storage facility.

- 1. What will be the noise level of the conveyers and hours of the day and frequency to the depositing and removal of this solid residue of salt?
- 2. Can there be monitoring equipment to detect any ground water leakage or contamination from these deposits before it impacts on the adjoining property of Cockleshell Corner. This was asked at the community meeting held at Toongi and we were under the impression from Ian Charmers that this was something that would be looked into.
- 3. What plans are in place to compensate the adjoining landholders if stock is contaminated by substances known now or in the future which will effect the sale of livestock or cereal crops either wind born or leakage from the Toongi Mine site.
- 4. What sort of fencing will be in place to separate and define the area of the mine and land that has been acquired by the mine.
- 5. Why has there never been any noise monitoring equipment placed at either of the residences of Cockleshell Corner when these are some of the closest homes that are affected by the Toongi plant and trucks accessing the residue salt facility.

Yours faithfully

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