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Application,
McPhillamys gold Project
SSD-9505

As a long time resident of the Village of Kings Plains I am strongly opposed to Regis Resources and McPhillamys gold mine Project and OBJECT strongly to the proposal.

The area in which this mine is situated is surrounded by small historical villages, which attract a huge amount of tourists, the livelihood of a great deal of people.

- That attraction will diminish with the workings of a great mine in our beautiful surroundings, i.e. our visual landscape of very productive farms, the natural spring fed creeks and water ways, including the Belabula river system which in turn feeds our local Carcoar Dam, and irrigates crops all around the town of Canawindra and beyond eventually the Murray Darling Basin.

- Native wildlife will have no chance, contaminated water, noise, light, dust and loss of habitat. Blasting will affect any domestic stock and animals, by noise and ground movement.
- Traffic on the Mid Western Highway has increased greatly in recent years. I feel that the access point for the mine site being off the highway will be a fatal mistake.
- Change of the weather pattern is a major concern, a long term drought has made the Central Tablelands an important section of valuable, sustainable land, that we need to protect for future generations.
- We the residents of Kings Plains enjoy our tranquil lifestyle, but we all feel we are going to see unbearable changes. House and land values will decline, so as to be a financial burden for neighbours.
- Local rain water supplies will be affected by pollution from dust and fumes, we have no town water supply. Owing to the sinking of numerous boxes on the mine site we stand the chance of our personal boxes running dry.

— The Belabula River will be in great danger with the risk of the huge tailings dam which will be laden with contaminants, and situated over the top of numerous springs the source of the river.

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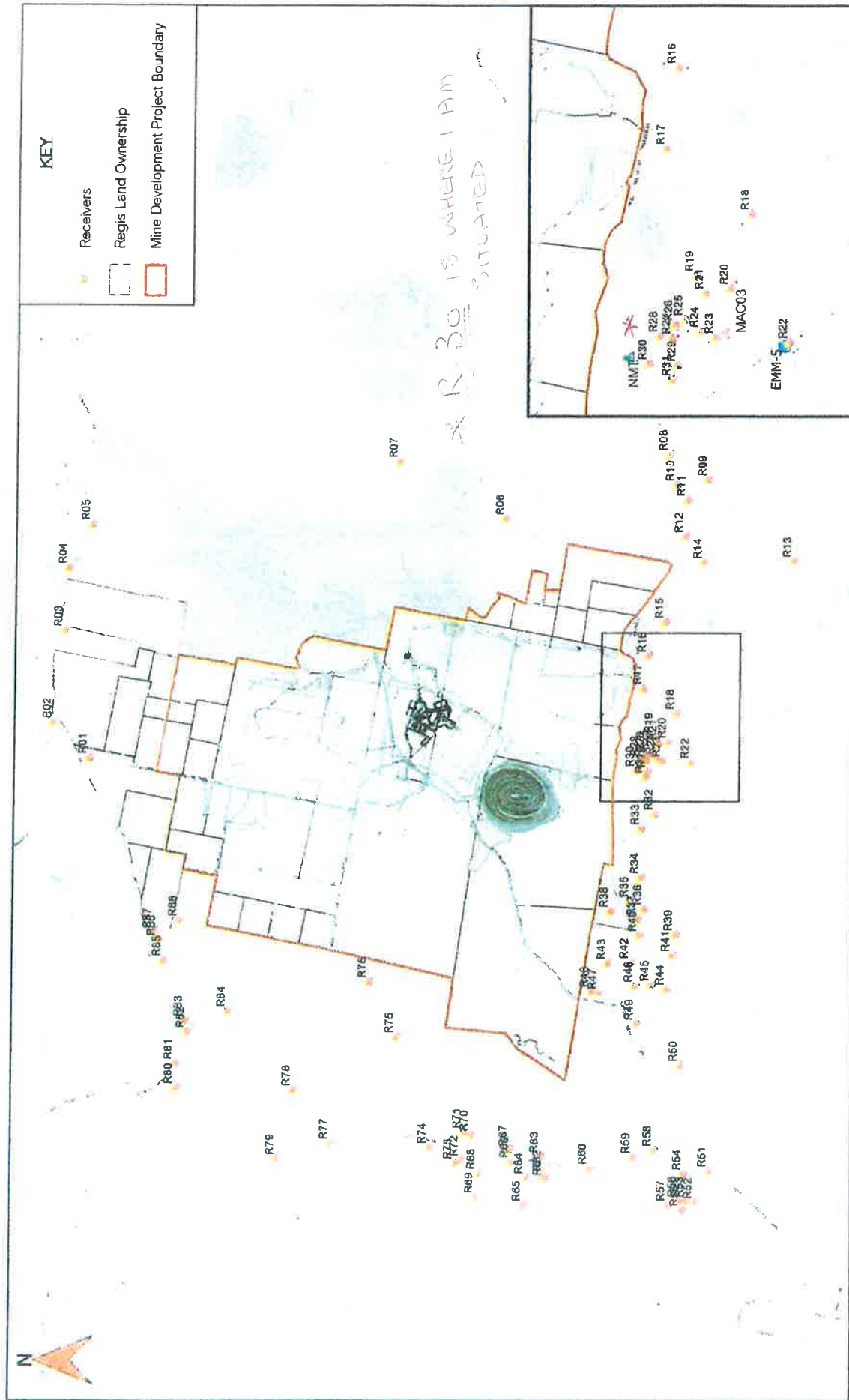


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Receiver Locations

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