

26th September, 2019

Philip Nevill, Environmental Assessment Officer Energy and Resources | Planning and Assessment, Department of Planning Industry & Environment GPO Box 39 Sydney NSW, 2001

Our ref: 10.121.046 Your ref: MP06 0295 MOD 13

Dear Philip,

Cadia East Mod13 (MP06_0295)

DSC has reviewed the relevant documents for the Cadia Hill Tailings Completion – Modification Report (MP06_0294) MOD 13 and has the following comments. The Modification involves the construction of additional buttressing of the STSF (Southern Tailings Storage Facility) embankment. This dam has been 'prescribed' by the Dams Safety Committee of NSW.

- Information concerning the proposed buttressing of STSF has been provided to the Dams Safety Committee.
- The Committee is awaiting receipt of the final design report for the proposed buttressing.

The Dams Safety Committee has no comment on the modifications at present.

Further queries should be directed to Engin Hizbas at the DSC. Engin can be contacted at <u>engin.hizbas@damsafety.nsw.gov.au</u> or on 98428082.

Yours faithfully

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