

## EXHIBITION OF STATE SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENT MODIFICATION APPLICATION

### Maules Creek Coal Mine Modification 8

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<b>Application No</b>	MP10_0138 Mod-8
<b>Location</b>	17 Kilometres north east of Boggabri
<b>Applicant</b>	Maules Creek Coal Pty Ltd
<b>Council Area</b>	Narrabri Shire
<b>Consent Authority</b>	Minister for Planning and Public Spaces

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#### Description of the proposed modification

The Maules Creek Mine is an existing open cut coal mine in the Gunnedah Coalfield, approved to extract coal at a rate of up to 13 million tonnes per annum (Mtpa) of run-of-mine (ROM) coal until 31 December 2034. The proposed modification involves the use of mobile coal sizing equipment in the existing ROM coal stockpile area and the open cut pit, mobile rock crushing equipment in the Northern Emplacement Area, and disposal of used heavy vehicle tyres in waste rock emplacement areas.

#### About the exhibition

An exhibition process allows any individual or organisation to have their say about a proposed development.

The Department of Planning, Industry and Environment is exhibiting an application to modify the abovementioned approved State significant development (SSD). The application and accompanying documents (including the Modification report) are on exhibition from **Friday 8 October 2021** until **Thursday 21 October 2021**.

You can view the documents online at [www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/projects/on-exhibition](http://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/projects/on-exhibition).

At the time of publishing this advertisement, the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces has not directed that a public hearing should be held.

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#### Please include:

- your name and address, at the top of the letter only
- the name of the application and the application number
- a statement on whether you 'support' or 'object' to the proposal or if you are simply providing comment the reasons why you support or object to the proposal
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**For more information:** Contact (02) 8275 1036 or 1300 305 695

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