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ATTENTION:

Director - Mining Projects

Dear Sir:

Longwall coal mining in the Dooralong and Yarramalong Valleys **Central Coast**

As a resident of Dooralong Valley, I am extremely concerned that the Wallarah 2 Long wall Coal mine proposed by the South Korean government owned company, Kores, will have grave consequences for the water catchment of the Central Coast.

Dooralong and Yarramalong Valleys represent approximately 50% of the Central Coast's water catchment.

The Central Coast's water storage facilities at Mangrove Creek Dam and Mardi Dam are critical to the ever increasing demands by the growth of the population of the Central Coast.

Therefore I appeal to you **not** grant a longwall coal mining lease to Kores, as it would impact adversely on the integrity of our water catchment and the environment of this pristine area.

Yours faithfully

& Of Malie E.T. McVie (Mrs)