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Dear Sir/Madam,

## Support for the Wallarah 2 Coal Development Application

Collective Experience Pty Limited is a small group of independent mining industry consultants that is based in the Hunter Valley and which provides consulting services throughout Australia, particularly to the coal mining sector. Our services include geological and exploration consulting, resource estimation, geological modelling, mining titles advice, environmental modelling and software development. We currently have 5 senior consultants working for us, with additional sub-contractors available as demand dictates.

Our company has been associated with and has provided services to the Wallarah 2 Coal Project since the inception of the project in 1996 and hope to maintain that relationship into the future. We whole-heartedly support the Wallarah 2 Coal Project and its development application. Development of this project will provide enormous economic benefit to the region and the state, provide employment prospects to the Central Coal region and have flow-on effect to many product and service suppliers in our industry.

I have included a flier outlining the services our company provides along with staff information and a client list. If you have any questions or require further input from me, please do not hesitate to contact me on either the phone number or email address above.

Yours faithfully,

Lynne Banwell,

Principal Consultant & Director,

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