The Director General
The Department of Planning and Infrastructure
23-33 Bridge St.
SYDNEY, NSW, 2000

23<sup>rd</sup> November 2012

Dear Sir,

After having lived in Sydney for most of our "working" years, we found beautiful Gloucester in 2007, purchased a piece of land and had our house built.

This was Heaven!

Unfortunately my husband passed away – quite suddenly – in 2009 and I now live alone – at the age of 75 – on our property.

Only recently – 6 months ago – one of my kidneys was removed due to cancer.

IF the mine goes ahead and comes as close as planned I really would hope that GRL would do the right thing and purchase my property to enable me to buy somewhere else.

I do realize that economy and growth in today's climate cannot stand still, but I would respectfully ask you to consider the above.

Yours Sincerely,

Johanna Heyink

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