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This is a submission to the BERRIMA RAIL PROJECT EIS. SSD7171

I object to this project and recommend that it be rejected.

- THE RAIL LINE FROM THE PROPOSED MINE TO PORT KEMBLA IS A SINGLE TRACK THAT TRAVERSES MANY ROADS IN THE SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS. ALL OF THESE EXCEPT ONE ARE LEVEL CROSSINGS. THIS WILL CAUSE CONGESTION TO OUR LOCAL ROADS. IN ADDITION IT HAS TO MERGE WITH THEN EXIT FROM THE MAIN SYDNEY TO MELBOURNE LINE, WHICH IS ALREADY OPERATING AT NEAR MAXIMUM CAPACITY.
- THE INCREASED NOISE THAT THIS RAIL PROJECT WILL BRING TO THE SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS IS UNACCEPTABLE TO THE RESIDENTS HERE
- THE COAL WAGONS WILL NOT BE COVERED, AND THIS WILL ALLOW COAL DUST (A KNOWN CARCINOGEN) TO SPREAD ACROSS THE RURAL AND RESIDENTIAL AREAS.
- I HAVE NEVER MADE ANY POLITICAL DONATIONS TO ANY PARTY

I ask the Government to reject this project

Signed,

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