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Subject

Applications from Coal and Allied seeking to modify the Hunter Valley Operations South (HVO South) Project Approval (06_0261) pursuant to (former) s.75W of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* (Modifications 4 and 5).

I am objecting to the application so called, "offsetting the offset" for the following reasons:

- 1. Coal and Allied call it an administrative omission, the fact is they have just been caught out, again. This is another example of their attitude to the public and the consenting system and the regulating systems
- 2. Their policy is if you get caught, pay the fine and get on with business
- 3. With Coal & Allied's history, there is sure to be other hidden so called errors.
- 4. Coal & Allied is owned by Rio Tinto which is the sixth most controversial Company of the world in 2011 according to Reprisk.
- 5. Rio Tinto treats Australia as a third world country.
- 6. The Planning Department cannot continue on the run band aiding to cover the so called mistakes that Coal and Allied/Rio Tinto make.

The application should be refused on history alone

I do not and have not made Political donations

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