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Dear Sir,

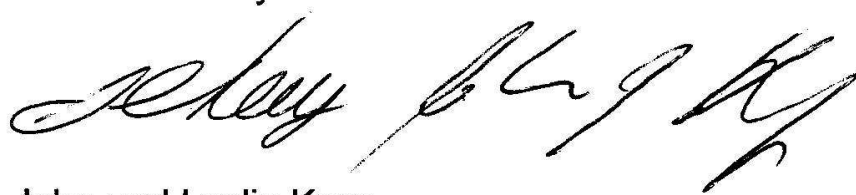
**Re : Modifications 4 and 5 to the Hunter Valley Operations South Project (06-0261)**

We refer to the application in the Coal and Allied letter of 26<sup>th</sup> September 2012 requesting modification of the HVO South Project Consent.

We object to the proposals contained in the application for the following reasons.

1. It seems the Department of Planning is moving with great haste in an effort to rectify an "error" which was pointed out in the appeal that is being heard against the expansion of Warkworth Mine. It is our understanding that the original objectors have not been given time to address this issue again due the short time allowed.
2. The mine is looking to offset against an existing offset ? Only the mining community could have this rubber stamped by the Department of Planning who seem to have no concept of protecting the community and the environment.
3. To our mind an offset should only be considered if it was like for like, in the same area and not 100 km away. The land in the Goulburn River area is not comprised of Warkworth Sands (Aeolian) and thus is not like for like with Archerfield.
4. Coal & Allied does not own this land in the Goulburn River area.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'John and Leslie Krey', written in a cursive style.

John and Leslie Krey