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Dear Jane

**Cadia Valley Operations (06_0295)
Rehabilitation Strategy**

I refer to the Rehabilitation Strategy, submitted in accordance with Condition 36 of Schedule 3 of the project approval for the Cadia Valley Operation (06_0295), and revised to include the decommissioning, demolition and remediation works associated with the Blayney Dewatering Facility (BDF).

The Department notes that consultation on this version of the Rehabilitation Strategy has only been undertaken with the Environment Protection Authority and Blayney Shire Council, specific to the BDF. In accordance with Condition 14 of Schedule 2, the Secretary has agreed with this consultation approach.

The Department has carefully reviewed the document and is satisfied that it addresses the applicable requirements of 06_0296.

Accordingly, the Planning Secretary has approved the Rehabilitation Strategy (Revision 3, dated 12 June 2020). Please ensure that the approved plan is placed on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Philip Nevill on (02) 8275 1036.

Yours sincerely



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Director
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As nominee of the Planning Secretary