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The Manager  
Mining Projects  
Department of Planning & Environment  
GPO Box 39  
SYDNEY NSW 2001

Dear Sir

**PA07\_0018 MOD 3: Rasp Mine Extension Project; 130 Eyre Street, Broken Hill**

Thank you for your email on 17 November 2014 referring the Environmental Assessment for the proposed Rasp Mine Extension Project (Modification 3) to Roads and Maritime Services for comment.

The proposal involves extending the current mining activities at Rasp Mine to include Block 7 Main Lode and the Zinc Lodes on Consolidated Mining Lease 7. These resources are located approximately 65 metres beneath and either side of the Silver City Highway (HW22), also known as South Road. The proposal does not involve changes to the approved extraction rates, transportation of materials or the mine life.

The applicant has provided a risk analysis which states that the risk of subsidence and vibration impacting on South Road is low. Roads and Maritime has reviewed this analysis and is satisfied with its findings.

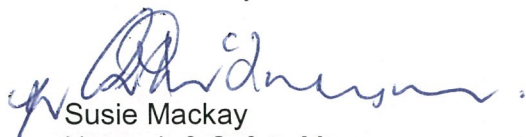
Roads and Maritime will not object to the proposed development subject to the following condition being included in any consent issued in relation to this project:

- Prior to the commencement of any works approved by Modification 3, the proponent must enter into a Deed of Agreement with Roads and Maritime Services for the protection of South Road. This Deed shall, to the satisfaction of Roads and Maritime Services, include but not be limited to details of:
  - The proponent's responsibility to prepare and implement a Ground Control Management Plan, Blasting Management Plan and survey controls demonstrating how the development will be carried out in a manner that does not adversely impact on South Road.
  - The proponent's responsibilities in relation to monitoring and rehabilitating any impacts of the development on South Road.
  - The proponent's obligation to take out adequate insurance coverage for any impacts of the development on South Road.
  - The liability of the proponent for any damage or adverse impact to South Road.
  - Relevant indemnities.
  - The procedure for communicating any information relevant to the protection of South Road to Roads and Maritime Services.

Roads and Maritime Services

Please forward a copy of the determination for this project to Roads and Maritime at the same time it is sent to the applicant. Should you require further information please contact Andrew McIntyre on (02) 6861 1453.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Susie Mackay', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Susie Mackay  
Network & Safety Manager  
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