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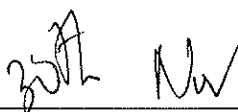
Clause 8J(8)(b) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000*

Pursuant to clause 8J(8)(b) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000*, I, the Minister for Planning, approve of the development consent (D767/01) for the Illawarra Cogeneration Plant (now Steelworks Cogeneration Plant) at Port Kembla Steelworks being treated as an approval for the purposes of section 75W of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*, for the proposed modification described in Schedule 1.



Frank Sartor MP
Minister for Planning

Sydney



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Schedule 1

The proposed modification by BlueScope Steel Limited to the 225 Mega Watt cogeneration plant and associated infrastructure at the Port Kembla Steelworks, involving:

- relocate the proposed BOS gasholder 750m to north-west of its original position within the Steelworks site and change its dimensions from 70m x 40m to 65m x 65m;
- replace the use of treated effluent from the Wollongong STP and associated cooling tower system with seawater including an intake from the Port Kembla inner harbour and discharge of spent cooling water into the harbour. Treated effluent from the Wollongong STP is no longer available as it is now being utilised elsewhere in the Steelworks;
- installation of three new boilers and re-use one of the existing boilers in the Steelworks instead of installing four new boilers; and
- amendment to the layout and connection configurations of the SCP having regard to the above changes and consolidation of the SCP footprint.