# **Notice of Modification**

## Section 75W of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979

As delegate of the Minister for Planning, I modify the project approval referred to in Schedule 1, as set out in Schedule 2.

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## SCHEDULE 1

Project Approval (09\_0176) granted by the Minster for Planning, for the Ravensworth Operations Project on 11 February 2011.

#### **SCHEDULE 2**

 In the list of Definitions, delete the definitions for "DRE" and "NOW", and insert the following in alphabetical order:

DPI - Water

Department of Primary Industries – Water

DRE

Division of Resources and Energy, within the NSW Department of

Industry

MOD 3 EA

Modification application 09\_0176 MOD 3 and accompanying documents

titled Greater Ravensworth Area Tailings Pipeline Modification Environmental Assessment dated November 2015, including the

response to submissions dated December 2015

- 2. Delete all references to "NOW" and replace with "DPI Water".
- 3. In condition 2 of Schedule 2, delete all words after "Terms of Approval" and replace with:

"The Proponent shall:

- (a) carry out the development generally in accordance with the EA, MOD 1 EA, MOD 2 EA and MOD 3 EA; and
- (b) comply with the conditions of this approval, the statement of commitments and the Project Layout Plans.

### Notes:

- The Project Layout Plans are shown in Appendix 2.
- The statement of commitments is reproduced in Appendix 3 (excluding the commitments which are inconsistent with the conditions of this approval)."
- 4. In condition 3 of Schedule 2, delete all words, and replace with:

"If there is any inconsistency between the documents in condition 2(a), the most recent documents shall prevail to the extent of the inconsistency. The conditions of this approval shall prevail over documents in condition 2(a) to the extent of any inconsistency."

- 5. In conditions 9, 17, 24, 31, 38, 41 and 42 of Schedule 3, in each condition:
  - (a) delete the words "and implement" after the words "shall prepare"; and
  - (b) at the end of the condition, insert the following:

"The Proponent shall implement the approved management plan as approved from time to time by the Secretary."

6. After condition 38 of Schedule 3, insert the following:

## **Compensatory Planting**

38A. The Proponent shall plant and maintain, until established, 10 River Oak trees for every established River Oak tree removed during construction of the tailings pipeline under MOD 3.

Note: An established River Oak tree is considered to be two metres or greater in height.

- 7. In condition 1 of Schedule 5:
  - (a) delete the words "and implement" after the words "shall prepare"; and
  - (b) at the end of the condition, insert the following:

"The Proponent shall implement the approved strategy as approved from time to time by the Secretary."

## 8. In Appendix 2 after the third figure, insert the following:

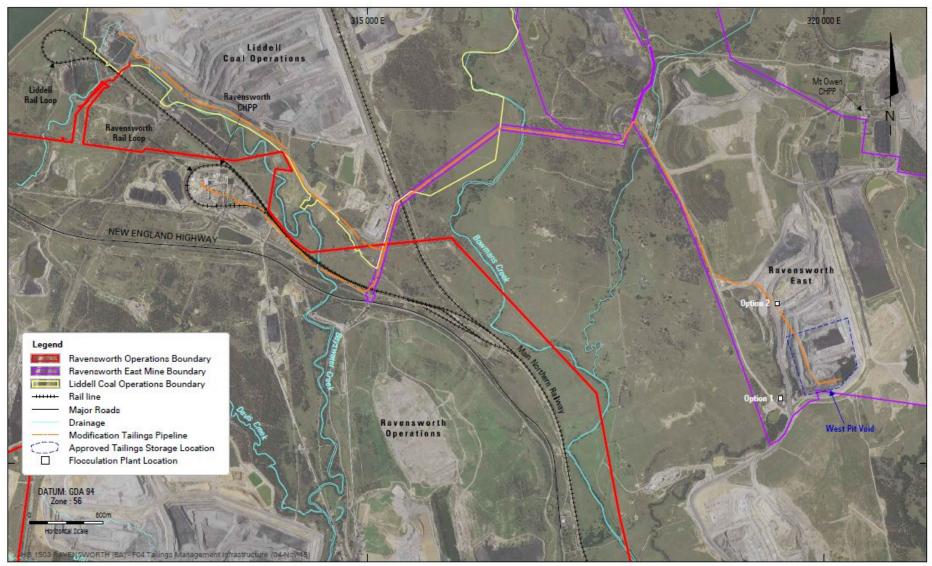


Figure: Greater Ravensworth tailings management infrastructure