

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Application for Modification to Development Consent PA 11_0060 by

CMOC Mining Pty Limited

CMOC Mining Pty Limited has made an application to modify the Development Consent (PA 11_0060) pursuant to Section 4.55(2) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*.

Northparkes Mines is a copper and gold mine located approximately 27 km north-west of Parkes, New South Wales. PA 11_0060 permits underground and open cut mining until the end of 2032.

Proposed Modification Description:

The Proposed Modification includes the following:

- construction and use of a new underground portal access (including associated drive, conveyor and other ancillary infrastructure) for E22 underground mining operations
- TSF2 embankment buttressing (including associated amendments to the approved disturbance area)
- changes to TSF construction within the approved disturbance footprint associated with increased safety requirements for TSFs since first approved
- minor changes to the E31 and E31N open cut pits to reflect updated geological data and improved resource recovery, including:
 - minor adjustments to disturbance areas for the approved pits and associated infrastructure (roads, safety bunds, water management etc)
 - minor increases to maximum approved mining depths
- establishment of temporary waste rock stockpile areas for the E31 and E31N pits to avoid unnecessary material re-handling in the future due to the proposed Rocklands TSF
- additional definition regarding the approved methods and locations rehabilitation material (soils and vegetation) to improve integration with existing and proposed operations (including the proposed Rocklands TSF)
- establishment of additional clay and filter material borrow pits for TSF construction and lifts
- relocation of the Contractor area facilities (eg site offices, crib huts and a workshop) which would also service the E31 and E31 mining operations
- relocation of the main water supply pipeline and Rosedale (TSF3) tailings pipeline and
- clarification regarding approved disturbance boundaries and the location of ancillary infrastructure within the E31 Precinct.

Pursuant to the requirements of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000*, notice of the modification application is hereby given.

The Proposed Modification encompasses the following land (lots in Deposited Plans):

46/753998, 41/753998, 49/753998, 10/1132130, 100/1207194, 12/753998, 1/831622, 2/830291, 3/830291, 3/831119, 1/830291, 381/1108642, 382/1108642, 42/1120299, 43/1120299, 41/1120299, 1/831119, Crown Land between 3/830291 and 49/753998 (CMOC Application to Purchase Reference #DPI W563265), 1/818783, 1/848944, 1/952674 and Bogan and McClintock Lane road reserves.

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