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Dear Mr Snedden

**Mount Owen Continued Operations Project (SSD 5850 MOD 2)  
Southern Extension Modification  
Request for Information**

I refer to the above application and to Glencore's recent meeting with the Department held on Wednesday 12 June 2019. At this meeting, the Department requested Glencore's consideration and response regarding the application of the *Voluntary Land Acquisition and Mitigation Policy* in respect of Modification 2 and Glendell Mine Modification 4. To facilitate this process, the Department provided a draft table identifying the relevant privately-owned properties (see **Attachment A**). The Department requests Glencore's response regarding this issue at its earliest convenience.

The Department is also seeking to clarify the status of Lot 3 DP 251618 and Lot 100 DP 1030908. These lots are identified in Table 2 in Appendix A of the *Response to Submissions Relating to Air Quality* (dated 21 December 2018) as being part of a larger landholding, incorporating Lot 1 DP 1136411 and Lot 1 DP 121623. However, the legal descriptions of Lots 3 and 100 no longer appear to be valid. It is also unclear whether these lots are currently afforded acquisition rights. The Department would appreciate clarification in this regard.

If you wish to discuss this matter further, please contact Lauren Evans at the details above.

Yours sincerely

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as delegate for the Secretary