

Mr Craig White Environment Superintendent Bengalla Mining Company Bengalla Road Muswellbrook NSW 2333

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Dear Mr White

Bengalla Continuation Project (SSD-5170) Bengalla Environmental Management Strategy

I refer to the Bengalla Environmental Management Strategy (EMS) which was submitted in accordance with condition 1 of Schedule 5 of the development consent (SSD-5170).

The Department has carefully reviewed the document and is satisfied that it meets the requirements of the above condition.

Accordingly, the Secretary has approved the Bengalla EMS (Revision 5, July 2021). Please ensure that the date highlighted on page 9 of the document is updated prior to finalisation, and that the approved and updated plan is placed on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Sarah Clibborn on 02 8837 6095 or via email at sarah.clibborn@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

Stephen O'Donoghue

Director

Resource Assessments as nominee of the Secretary