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# Technical Specialists and Experts Experience

**Table 1**  
**Technical Specialists and Expert Experience**

Assessment	Company and Technical Specialist/Expert	Experience
EIS Project Director	James Bailey (Hansen Bailey)	33 years
EIS Project Manager	Nathan Cooper (Hansen Bailey)	12 years
Subsidence	Peter DeBono (Mine Subsidence Environmental Consultants)	26 years
Subsidence Peer Review	Ken Mills (SCT Operations Pty Ltd)	36 years
Ecology	Dr David Robertson (Cumberland Ecology) Dr Stephen Bell (Eastcoast Flora Surveys)	30 years 21 years
Biodiversity Offsets	Dr David Robertson (Cumberland Ecology)	30 years
Surface Water	Dr David Newton (WRM Water and Environment Pty Ltd)	20 years
Groundwater	James Tomlin (Australasian Groundwater and Environmental Consultants)	16 years
Groundwater Peer Review	Dr Noel Merrick (Hydro Simulations)	40+ years
Air Quality and Greenhouse Gas Impact	Judith Cox (Pacific Environment Limited)	18 years
Air Quality Peer Review	Shane Lakmaker (Jacobs)	18 years
Noise and Blasting	Aaron Mackenzie (Pacific Environment Limited)	13 years
Noise Peer Review	Mark Bridges (Bridges Acoustics)	22 years
Aboriginal Heritage and Cultural Heritage	Tessa Boer-Mah (RPS Australia East)	15 years
Historic Heritage	Geordie Oakes (AECOM)	10 years

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Historic Burials	Edward Higginbotham with Dr Terry Kass and Dr Denise Donlon (Edward Higginbotham and Associates Pty Ltd)	38 years
Soils, Land Capability and Strategic Agricultural Land	Rod Masters (SLR Consulting Australia Pty Ltd)	30 years
Rehabilitation Strategy and BSAL Reinstatement Strategy	Rod Masters (SLR Consulting Australia Pty Ltd)	30 years
Agricultural	Scott Barnett (Scott Barnett & Associates)	31 years
Visual	John Van Pelt (JVP Visual Planning and Design) David Patrick (Greenpond TSG)	45 years  25 years
Traffic and Transport	Ryan Miller (Parsons Brinckerhoff)	16 years
Stygofauna	Dr Peter Hancock (Eco Logical Australia)	21 years
Geochemical	Dr. Alan M. Robertson RGS Environmental Pty Ltd	23 years
Social	Bronwyn Pressland (Hansen Bailey)	17 years
Economics	Dr Robert Gillespie (Gillespie Economics)	27 years
Economic Peer Review	Drew Collins (BDA Group Economics and Environment)	30 years
Contamination	Stephen Challinor (DLA Environmental)	14 years