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STATE SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENT SSD8445 – REMEMBRANCE DRIVEWAY, TAHMOOR, TAHMOOR SOUTH COAL PROJECT

Dear Andrew,

Roads and Maritime Services (RMS) refers to your correspondence dated 16 January 2019 regarding the above development application (DA).

RMS has completed an assessment of the DA, based on the information provided and focussing on the impact to the state road network. For this DA the key state road is the Hume Highway.

RMS will not object to the DA subject to the following condition being included in the conditions of development consent:

 Prior to any activity relating to the development, the developer must clearly demonstrate to the satisfaction of RMS, that implementation of its Subsidence Management Plan will assure that mining impacts on RMS infrastructure, functionality, and road user safety will be proactively managed and effectively reduced to levels acceptable to RMS.

RMS highlights that in determining the DA under Part 4 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979*, it is the consent authority's responsibility to consider the environmental impacts of any road works which are ancillary to the development. This includes any works which form part of the proposal and/or any works which are deemed necessary to include as requirements in the conditions of development consent. Depending on the level of environmental assessment undertaken to date and nature of the works, the consent authority may require the developer to undertake further environmental assessment for any ancillary road works.

Upon determination of this matter, it would be appreciated if Council could send a copy of the Notice of Determination to development.southern@rms.nsw.gov.au.

Yours faithfully,

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