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Dear Mr. Lane

**Mangoola Continued Operations Project (SSD 8642)  
Combined Community Consultative Committee**

I refer to your letter dated 25 August 2021 requesting to combine the Community Consultative Committee (CCC) for the Mangoola Continued Operations Project (SSD 8642) with the CCC previously established for the Mangoola Coal Mine Project (MP06\_0014).

I have reviewed this letter and information you have provided and note:

- The Mangoola Coal Project has an established Community Consultative Committee that meets quarterly and is conducted in accordance with the Department's *Community Consultative Committee Guidelines: State Significant Projects (2019)*.
- The Environment and Community Manager proposed that Mangoola would seek the approval to combine the CCC for Mangoola Coal projects at the May 2021 CCC meeting.
- The Independent Chair agreed the proposal was logical considering the current CCC members understood the history of the project and that it did not exclude new people who want to join the CCC

Accordingly, consistent with Schedule 2 Condition A21, the Planning Secretary approves the combining of the CCC for the Mangoola Continued Operations Project with the CCC previously established for the Mangoola Coal Mine Project.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Wayne Jones on (02) 6575 3406.

Yours sincerely



**Stephen O'Donoghue**  
**Director Resource Assessments**  
As nominee of the Planning Secretary