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Dear Sir

VARIATION OF COAL LEASE 357 (ACT 1973) UNDER CLAUSES 7(1)(b1) & 12 OF SCHEDULE 1B OF THE MINING ACT 1992

ANCILLARY MINING ACTIVITY CONDITION REF: AMA1000

I refer to your application to add an Ancillary Mining Activity (AMA) condition to Coal Lease 357 (Act 1973) (CL 357) that was received by the NSW Department of Planning and Environment – Division of Resources and Geoscience (Division) on 11 August 2017.

According to the Division's records, no submission was received in response to the notice of the proposed decision to vary the conditions of CL 357 dated 26 June 2018.

In accordance with Clauses 7(1)(b1) and 12 of Schedule 1B of the *Mining Act 1992*, the Minister has determined to vary the conditions of CL 357 by including an AMA condition.

This variation takes effect on and from the date of this notification.

Please note that AMA condition 2(2.2) requires the lease holder to update their existing Mining Operations Plan (MOP) to incorporate the carrying out of the ancillary mining activity(s) and submit the updated MOP to the Minister for approval within 45 days of the date of effect of this variation.

If you would like to discuss this matter, please contact Titles Services Customer Service on 4063 6600.

Yours sincerely,

David Humphris

A/Director Titles Assessments

Resource Operations

Division of Resources and Geoscience

Variation of Mining Lease Clause 12(1) of Schedule 1B

I, David Humphris, Acting Director Titles Assessments, Resource Operations, with the delegated authority of the Minister for Resources, pursuant to clauses 7(1)(b1) and 12(1) of Schedule 1B of the Mining Act 1992, authorise the variation of Coal Lease 357 (Act 1973) by attaching the conditions specified in Schedule A in respect of carrying out the ancillary mining activity(s) described in Schedule B on the land described in Schedule C.

Schedule A

Pursuant to clause 7B(2) of Schedule 1B of the Mining Act 1992, the following conditions apply to the carrying out of the ancillary mining activity(s) in Schedule B, as if the ancillary mining activity(s) are an activity(s) carried out in accordance with the Coal Lease:

1. Rehabilitation

The lease holder must rehabilitate the land described in Schedule C that is or may be affected by the carrying out of the ancillary mining activity(s).

2. Mining Operations Plan and Annual Rehabilitation Report

- 2.1 Condition 3 of Coal Lease 357 relevant to the Mining Operations Plan (MOP) and Annual Rehabilitation Report applies to the ancillary mining activity(s).
- 2.2 The lease holder must update the MOP to incorporate the carrying out of the ancillary mining activity(s) and submit the updated MOP to the Minister for approval within 45 days of this variation.

3. Environmental Incident Report

Condition 5 of Coal Lease 357 regarding environmental incident reports applies to the ancillary mining activity(s).

Schedule B

The activity(s) prescribed as ancillary mining activities by clause 7 of the *Mining Regulation 2016*, listed below:

- 1. The maintenance and use of tailings dam TD2.
- 2. The maintenance and use of drains that service tailings dam TD2.
- 3. The removal, stockpiling, management or depositing of overburden associated with the rehabilitation of tailings dam TD2.
- 4. The removal, stockpiling, management or depositing of tailings.

Schedule C

The Land described in the attached Survey Plan M27458, with Ancillary Mining Activity Reference Number AMA1000, dated 12 January 2018, which is not embraced by the lease plan M27198 attached to Coal Lease 357.

This variation takes effect on and from the 3rd day of August 2018

David Humphris - Acting Director Titles Assessments **Resource Operations**

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