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Via Major Projects Planning Portal

EPA Advice on Modification Report - MP07 0018 Mod 11

Dear Jack,

Thank you for the request for advice from Public Authority Consultation (PAE-61870709), requesting input from the NSW Environment Protection Authority (EPA) on the Modification Application (MP07_0018 Mod 11) for the Rasp Mine located at Broken Hill.

The EPA has reviewed the following document and its appendices:

• Rasp Mine Modification 11 — EMM Consulting Pty Ltd – 21 July 2023.

The EPA understands that the proposal consists of:

- the installation of a new fresh air surface ventilation intake; and
- extension of underground mining development into Main Lode (ML) blocks 13, 14 and 15.

Based on the information received, we do not object to the proposed modification.

As you are aware, the premises is scheduled under the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* and is regulated by the EPA through Environment Protection Licence (EPL) No 12559. All works and activities associated with the modification will be subject to regulation under EPL 12559.

Where approval is granted, an application to vary the EPL will be required to be submitted by the proponent to the EPA prior to the commencement of any activities associated with the modification.

The EPA has no further comments to provide on this matter.

If you have any further enquiries about this matter, please contact Mandy Grewal by telephoning 02 6969 0719 or by email at info@epa.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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