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**Independent Planning Commission** 

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Objection to the Dartbrook Coal Mine Modification 7 (DA 231-7-2000 Mod 7)

My name is Chris Kemmett

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I have lived in the Hunter district for 8 years.

I object to the Dartbrook coal mine modification as referred to above.

I have been told that there have been a substantial number of detailed presentations by experts to demonstrate the Proponent's application did not address many important issues; and in other cases that the details in the application were wrong, including:

- impact on the Special Economic Zones for the Equine and Viticulture industries,
- Economic outcomes for Australia and NSW,
- Water,
- Noise,
- Landscape,
- Aboriginal and early Colonial heritage

Further destruction of our environment is no longer warranted nor sustainable. If employment is a priority, it is time we employed people to rehabilitate dangerous mine sites like this and return them for the common good.

Therefore, as I understand the case, the Independent Planning Commission now has enough information before it to understand that the Application should fail, and so I ask that the IPC now refuse the application.



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