

# Conflict of interest register



New South Wales Government  
Independent Planning Commission

*This register of conflicts is specific to the project below.*

**Date:** 12/01/2026

**Project:** Moolarben Coal Complex OC3 Extension Project (SSD-33083358)

Nominees:	Actual, potential, or perceived conflict:	Action:
Ms Janett Milligan (Chair)	Nil	Proceed with appointment
Mr Richard Pearson	Nil	Proceed with appointment
Mr Michael Wright	See below	Proceed with appointment

Commissioner Wright disclosed to the Commission Chair that approximately 10 years ago while serving as Head of NSW National Parks and Wildlife Services (a division on the Office of Environment and Heritage), his division provided advice to the CEO of the Office of Environment and Heritage on a matter related to the geological formation known as The Drip. This matter had the same Applicant as the present Application before the Commission. Commissioner Wright did not make any decisions relating to this matter and did not deal with the Applicant directly. Given the considerable passage of time, Commissioner Wright's purely advisory role, there being no direct dealing with the Applicant, and distance of The Drip from the project area of the present Application, the Commission Chair finds that there is no actual, potential or perceived conflict of interest preventing Commissioner Wright from serving on the present Panel.

## Updates after project commencement:

This register is made upon the nomination of Commissioners, to the determination or hearing panel. It may be updated if actual, potential, or perceived conflicts arise during the determination or hearing process.

For further information on conflicts, please see the Independent Planning Commission NSW policy on Personal Interests of Members, available to download from the Commission website:

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