

SUBMISSION IN FAVOUR OF DARTBROOK COAL MINE – MODIFICATION 7

ATTENTION Independent Planning Commission

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I, the undersigned, am an interested member of the local community in respect of Australian Pacific Coal's plans to restart the Dartbrook Coal Mine. I **SUPPORT** the company's plans to restart underground mining at Dartbrook given the substantial benefits to local stakeholders and that the scope of the modification is minor.

I understand that AQC is seeking to mine coal that is already approved to be mined under the existing approval for Dartbrook and utilises extensive private land, roads and mining infrastructure already owned by the company.

It is very encouraging that the NSW Department of Planning & Environment has reviewed AQC's application and provided a positive recommendation to the Independent Planning Commission in **SUPPORT** of the application.

Importantly the restart of Dartbrook will provide direct and indirect local jobs and support local suppliers through the initial construction phase and operational phases.

I **SUPPORT** Dartbrook Coal Mine Modification 7.

