

LOCALITY TOUR NOTES

Project: Russell Vale Revised Underground Expansion Project

Meeting Location: Bankstown Airport

Date: Tuesday, 20 October 2020

Time: 3:00pm - 4:30pm

ATTENDANCE

Commission Panel: Professor Alice Clark (Panel Chair)

Professor Chris Fell AM Dr Peter Williams

OIPC: Brad James Principal Case Manager

LOCATIONS & KEY FEATURES

1) Russell Vale Surface Infrastructure

The Panel undertook a locality tour via helicopter with the assistance of the NSW RFS. The Panel observed the existing surface facility infrastructure at the Russell Vale Colliery. The Panel observed the regional context and the existing land uses surrounding the Project site.

2) Proposed Mining Area & Cataract Reservoir

The Panel observed the existing swamp network throughout the proposed mining area. The Panel observed the variations in tree canopy and terrain throughout this area. The Panel observed the context of the proposed mining area in relation to Cataract Reservoir. The Panel also observed the existing swamps and reservoir water levels.

LOCALITY TOUR MAP

