

**DURALIE COAL PTY LTD**

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NEWSLETTER

FOR DURALIE COAL MINE COMMUNITY CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE

Background

Duralie Coal Pty Ltd (DCPL) is seeking approval from the NSW Minister for Planning to modify the existing Duralie Coal Mine (DCM) Development Consent (under Section 75 of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Act, 1979 – EP&A Act) in order to:

- Expand the area available for mine water irrigation; and
- Modify existing “first flush” capture obligations to reduce the need to contain clean runoff from irrigation areas.

Status of Approval Process

Director-General's Assessment Requirements for the proposal were received from the NSW Department of Planning in January 2009. The current status of the approval process is shown on the following page.

The key issues for the Environmental Assessment (EA) are considered to be as follows:-

- Surface and Groundwater
- Soil
- Flora and Fauna
- Heritage
- Rehabilitation

Note that consideration of possible discharge of water from the mine site to Mammy Johnsons River will be considered in the Part 3A application (EP&A Act) currently being prepared by DCPL.

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Proposed Section 75 (EP&A Act) Development Consent Modification

Consultation and Approval Process

