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Mr Sam Haddad Director General Department of Planning & Infrastructure GPO Box 39 SYDNEY NSW 2001

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Director-General

Dear Sam

## Coalpac Consolidation Project 10\_0178

We note that the Coalpac proposed expansion of mining operations at the Cullen Valley and Invincible coal mines and proposed quarry and associated infrastructure development is currently on exhibition.

Through a Deed of Agreement Port Kembla Port Corporation (PKPC) is working with Coalpac to develop a bulk export terminal on Port Kembla Outer Harbour land to facilitate the export of coal from the proposed mine development plus accommodate the handling of other bulk cargoes. As you may be aware, we have met with Chris Wilson recently to discuss a modification to our Outer Harbour Part 3A approval to accommodate the proposed Coalpac development.

PKPC is very supportive of the Coalpac coal export proposal as all coal will arrive at the port by rail and will generate regional benefits to the Illawarra region from construction and ultimately generate further employment from operations at the port. Also of importance is that the Coalpac development is the catalyst for development of the first berth in the outer harbour and that it will underpin infrastructure for other potential exports. A number of other potential exporters have already approached PKPC seeking access to these outer harbour facilities.

We would be happy to further discuss our support for the Coalpac proposal should you wish to contact me on 4275 0101 or our Business Services Manager Geoff Cornwall on 4275 0143.

Yours sincerely

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