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Dear Fiona,

**EL 7431, EL 7432, EL 7442 and Authorisation 414: Approval to undertake
Inglenook Exploration Program (August 2011)**

In accordance with [condition 2 of the above Authorisations granted under the *Mining Act 1992*, the titleholder is granted approval to conduct the Inglenook Exploration Program, July 2011, subject to the conditions set out below. These conditions relate specifically to this approval and are in addition to those attached to EL 7431, EL 7432, EL 7442 and Authorisation 414. A breach of conditions is an offence under the *Mining Act 1992*.

CONDITIONS

1. The activity must be carried out generally in accordance with the:
 - a. *Review of Environmental Factors Environmental Management Plan Inglenook Exploration Program* (including all appendices), dated July 2011;
 - b. Conditions of this approval.

Note: If there is any inconsistency between the above documents, the most recent document prevails to the extent of the inconsistency.

2. Except in emergencies, or with the written consent from all residences within 1000m radius of the drillhole, no activities which are likely to disturb landholders or other affected parties are permitted at the drill site or associated areas outside the following times:
 - a. 7:00am to 6:00pm on weekdays
 - b. 8:00am to 1:00pm on Saturdays
 - c. 1:00pm to 6:00pm on Saturdays (refer to Condition 3)
 - d. 9:00 am to 6:00pm on Sundays and public holidays (refer to Condition 3)
3. Works may only be conducted during 'out of hours' operation times (specified in point (c) and (d) above) with prior assessment by a qualified acoustic (noise assessment) consultant to verify that the noise management level at the closest affected sensitive receptors (mainly residential dwellings within 1km of the drill site) is less than background + 5 dB(A). The results of the compliance assessment must be provided to NSW Trade & Investment if and when completed.

4. The contact officer (below) must be informed immediately if any aspects of the works carried out are not consistent with the activities described and presented in the REF and in accordance with title conditions.

If you have any questions about this approval, please contact Sarah Pollock directly on (02) 6360 5352.

Yours sincerely



Michael McFadyen
Manager Environmental Operations

Date... 19 SEP 11