

**HAZELWOOD MINE FIRE INQUIRY****Submission cover sheet**

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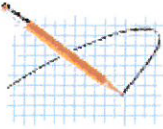


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To whom it may concern,

Please find attached our submission.

Regards

Nicole Brook  
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To whom it may concern,

A lack of briquette supply from Morwell Briquette Factory (Energy Brix Australia) as a result of the Morwell Mine Fire caused us to bank our char retort for 22 days. As a result we incurred economic loss during this period, including:

- Manning costs \$ 64K
- Utilities \$ 20K

As an aside, and for your information the impact of this lost production on our economic activity was in the magnitude of one million dollars, which includes some costs we were able to avoid ie Briquettes

Regards

Nicole Brook  
Managing Director



**Heat Beads**