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Hi Vince

A few items come to mind as I read this, so dont consider these as exhaustive


The section on the groundwater depressurisation program (5.4.8) seems incomplete as the external monitoring network (RMC) is not identified.

I cant see where the report considers the risks to water quality issues from the discharge of contaminated groundwater from the coal batters (nor presumably the vertical discharge through the Traralgon formation)

Questions:

- Location and serviceability of the groundwater pumping bores post-closure?
- Who holds the licence following the mine (and presumably power stations) close?
- Who is responsible for the management of GW pumping following mine closure?
- Maintenance of and management of the monitoring network
- How is LY closure coordinated with other mine operations?

Cheers

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