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**Subject: Revised RUM LW403-406 Subsidence Monitoring Program – Ashton Coal**

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Dear Mr Brown,

I refer to your submission dated 18 September 2025, requesting approval of the revised Subsidence Monitoring Program (Revision 3, dated September 2025) prepared for the RUM LW 403 – 406 Extraction Plan following comments received from the Resource Regulator relating to the High Risk Activity Notification for Secondary Extraction.

The Department has carefully reviewed the document and is satisfied that it meets the requirements of Schedule 3, condition 32 (g) of DA 309-11-2001-i.

Accordingly, as nominee of the Planning Secretary, I approve the revised Subsidence Monitoring Program (Revision 3, dated September 2025).

You are reminded that if there are any inconsistencies between the plan and the conditions of approval, the conditions prevail.

Please ensure you make the document publicly available on the project website at the earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact Kiera Plumridge at [kiera.plumridge@dpie.nsw.gov.au](mailto:kiera.plumridge@dpie.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely,



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As nominee of the Planning Secretary