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**Sent:** Tuesday, 6 February 2018 2:51 PM  
**To:** Luke Moore  
**CC:** CLLO DES  
**Subject:** DES PPQ E-FOLDER - 13-15 February 2018 sitting  
**Attachments:** DES PPQS\_13 to 15 February 2018\_06.02.18.pdf

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Thanks  
Daniella

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Ok, thanks for that advice Luke.

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Andrea ☺

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**To:** Luke Moore  
**CC:** DLO DES; Peta Johnston; HAIG Emma  
**Subject:** ACTION COMPLETE - CTS 03644/18 - New Acland - Schedule 4 - CTP

Good afternoon Luke

**Re: Telephone call –** Schedule 4 - CTF **New Acland**

A DES officer telephoned [redacted] Schedule 4 - CTPI on 8 February.

The following were discussed.

- I confirmed the spelling of [redacted] Schedule 4 - CTPI

- I stated that the decision maker for the final decision on the New Acland environmental authority had all the information they are required to consider under the Environmental Protection Act 1994 and that the Department of Environment and Science was required to make a decision on the environmental authority by 14 February 2018.

[redacted] Schedule 4 - CTPI wished to express her opinion that she hoped the department would uphold the land court recommendation on the matter and [redacted] Schedule 4 - CTPI spoke very highly of Land Court Member Smith. This opinion included Member Smith being a thorough and reasonable person.

ACTION COMPLETE.

Regards

**Andrea**

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**To:** Daniel Lato  
**CC:** Luke Moore; TRACEY Alena; Hannah Jackson; Angus Sutherland  
**Subject:** FW: Incoming MECs from Members of the public RE: New Acland

FYI only below

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**Subject:** Incoming MECs from Members of the public RE: New Acland

Good afternoon,

I have been speaking with Kate Bennink (Manager – Business Centre Coal, CaCQC) who is dealing with all incoming items in regards to New Acland.

As the decision for New Acland will be made next week, we are requesting to put on hold all current and incoming MECs items from members of the public in relation the New Acland until the decision has been finalised.

Once the decision is made, we will have a standard reply which will be used to draft the replies to the items that have been place on hold.

Please let me know if this is acceptable and something we can look at doing until late next week?

Thanks,

Gabi

**Gabrielle Lorroway**

Executive Assistant to **Justin Cagney**

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**Sent:** Monday, 12 February 2018 3:44 PM

**To:** Luke Moore

**CC:** CLLO DES

**Subject:**

**Attachm**

s.73 - Not Relevant

Hi Luke,

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This just leaves one PPQ requiring update (No. 60 – New Acland Coal Mine Stage Three Expansion). This one can't be updated until 14 February though and will be forwarded asap.

Thanks

Jodie

**Jodie Collins**

Manager, Parliament and Legislation

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**From:** COLLINS Jodie

**Sent:** Wednesday, 7 February 2018 9:51 AM

**To:** Luke Moore

**Cc:** CLLO DES

**Subject:** UPDATED DES PPQ E-FOLDER - 13-15 February 2018 sitting

Hi Luke,

Please find attached an updated PPQ E-Folder for the 13-15 February 2018 sitting.

A minor correction has been made in the Index, no changes to PPOs.

Thanks

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**CC:** CLLO DES; TONES Peter  
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s.73 - Not Relevant

- UPDATED.docx; 60. New Acland Coal Mine Stage Three Expansion - UPDATED.docx; DES PPQS\_13 to 15 February 2018\_14.02.18.pdf

Hi Luke,

Please find attached the following updated PPQs. Would you like me to print off hard copies of the updates for the Minister's Folder or are you happy to print are replace?

- s.73 - Not Relevant

- 60. New Acland Coal mine Stage Three Expansion; and

- s.73 - Not Relevant

Also attached is the updated E-Folder.

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Hi guys,

These are good to go from Premiers. You may want to suggest they run them by Evan Moorehead, I have a call in with him but he hasn't called back.

The release is also fine.

Cheers,

Dan.

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## **Amended EA for New Acland Coal Mine Stage 3 refused**

I've been advised that the Department of Environment and Science (DES) has refused the Environmental Authority (EA) amendment application for the Stage Three expansion of the New Acland Coal Mine.

The onus was on New Hope to provide a case for the approval of their EA and the decision has been made based on the information they provided.

The applicant and parties to the Land Court objections hearing have been advised of the decision.

It is important to note that this decision was made independently by the department, in line with the normal process for all EA amendments under the *Environmental Protection Act 1994*.

Queensland has some of the most stringent environmental protection laws in the country, and these approval processes are taken very seriously.

The decision to refuse the application is in line with the recommendation of the Land Court which was handed down in May 2017.

### **Background**

- The New Acland Coal Mine is an open-cut, thermal coal operation located approximately 14 kilometres north-west of Oakey.
- On 31 May 2017, the Queensland Land Court recommended the draft EA be refused for the proposed mine expansion and that the associated mining lease applications be rejected.
- DES were required to make a final decision on the amended EA by 14 February 2018.

**Ben Doyle** – Schedule 4 - CTPI



**From:** Jerome Pang  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 20 February 2018 9:00 AM  
**To:** Luke Moore  
**Subject:** New Acland Mine

Hi Luke,  
Taylor from the EO called this morning.  
She said she was speaking to a constituent that has previously met with the Minister.  
He wants to know her stance on the New Acland Mine.  
If you could call her back and fill her in that would be great.

Schedule 4 - CT

Cheers,

J

Kind regards

**Jerome Pang**

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