

5<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Deb Toon  
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Dear Deb,

**Re: Justification of Term for Mining Lease Application "Vulcan South"**

In accordance with s245(1)(m) of the *Mineral Resources Act 1989*, Queensland Coking Coal Pty Ltd and Qld Coal Aust No.1 Pty Ltd provides the following reasons which justify its request for a 15-year term for the Mining Lease "Vulcan South".

Construction of mining facilities, extraction of coal resources from Mining Lease area and transport off-site, allow for production contingencies, and rehabilitation controls and final land use. Approximately 13.5 million tonnes of ROM coal will be extracted at a rate of between 0.8 - 1.95 million tonnes per annum, equating to a 15-year mine life, including construction, reserve extraction, contingency, rehabilitation and environmental monitoring.

Should you have any queries regarding this letter please feel free to call (07) 3174 4816 or email [nick@vitrinite.com.au](mailto:nick@vitrinite.com.au).

Kind Regards,



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