

Vitrinite Pty Ltd has prepared an Underground Water Impact Report (UWIR) in accordance with the requirements of Section 370 of the *Water Act 2000*. The UWIR relates to the exercise of underground water rights within Mining Lease (ML) 700060, the operating Vulcan Coal Mine. The Vulcan Coal Mine is located approximately 40 kilometers (km) northwest of Dysart and 35 km southeast of Moranbah, in the Bowen Basin (**Figure 1-1**).

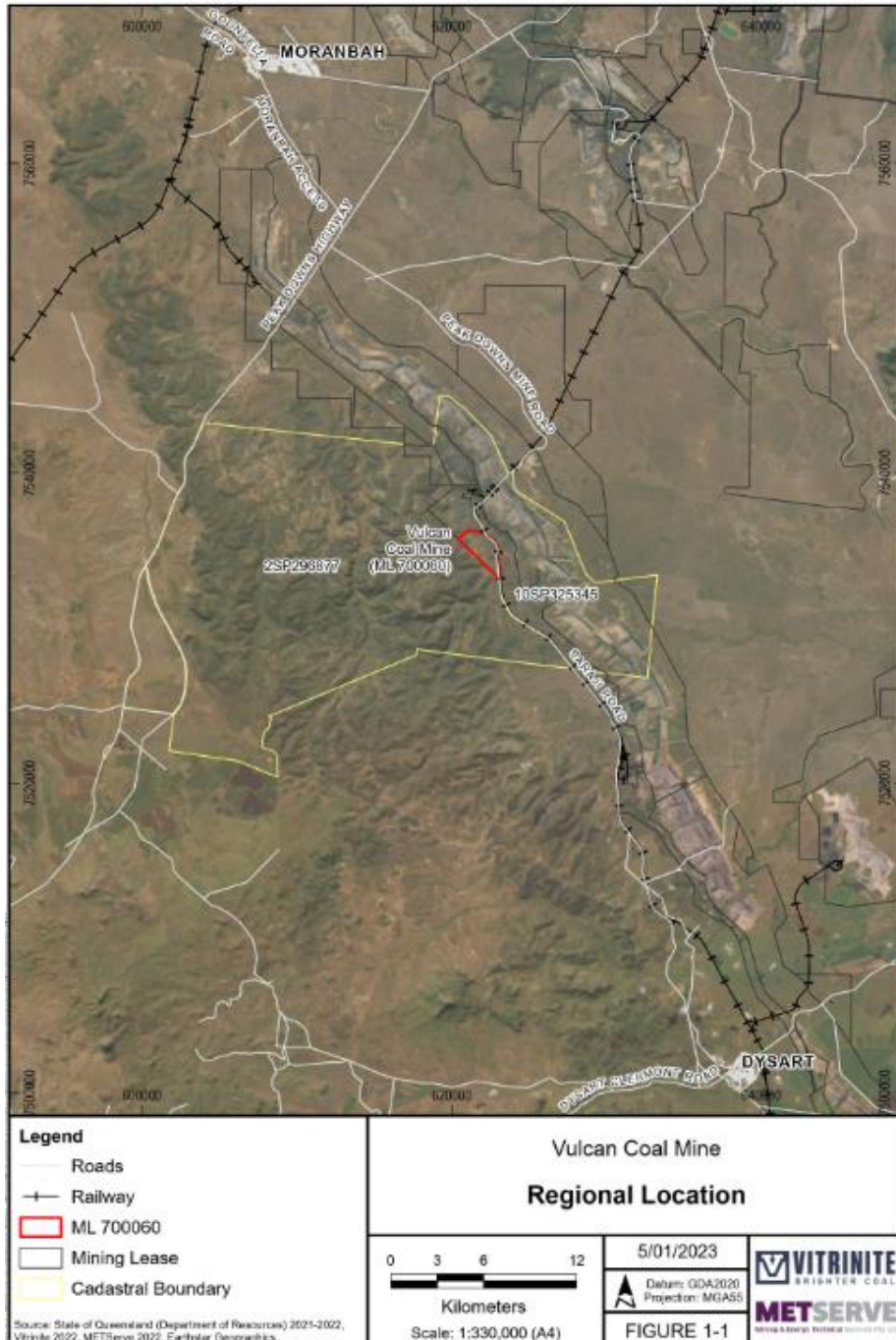


Figure 1-1 Regional Location – Vulcan Coal Mine

The UWIR provides information to the Queensland Government and the public on Vulcan Coal Mines' potential impact to groundwater levels within the area surrounding ML700060. A copy of the UWIR (consultation draft) may be obtained upon request from the contact details below.

Public submissions in response to the UWIR may be made via email to the contact details below:

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Submissions must be received before 5:00 pm on 22 March 2023. Should any submissions be received during the 20-business day consultation period, Vitrinite will provide copies of submissions to the Chief Executive of Queensland's Department of Environment and Science. Submissions will be considered as part of the assessment process for the UWIR.

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