

## Notices of Determination - 2000

- **Ammunition wharf and facility at Twofold Bay**
- **Decision:** Approved 17 December
- **Description:** A proposal by Department of Defence and Waterways Authority of New South Wales to develop a multi-purpose wharf on the south side of Twofold Bay within East Boyd Bay, along with a naval ammunition facility.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF], including the conditions of approval, and the [Assessment Report](#) [PDF].
- **Food processing plant**
- **Decision:** Approved 1 December
- **Description:** A proposal by Parle Foods Pty Ltd to construct and operate a food processing plant and associated facilities on land in Crawford Road, Willbriggie, about 10 kilometres south of Griffith. The proposed plant will cost about \$50 million to establish, process up to 200,000 tons of fruit and vegetables a year, and employ a total of 230 people at full production.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF], including the conditions of approval.
- **Woodlawn waste management facility**
- **Decision:** Approved 30 November
- **Description:** A proposal by Collex Waste Management Pty Ltd to construct and operate a putrescible landfill facility and associated intermodal facility near the township of Tarago in the Mulwaree local government area.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF], including the conditions of approval and the [Assessment Report](#) [PDF].
- **Silicon smelter**
- **Decision:** Approved 2 November. The consent has a deferred commencement date.
- **Description:** A proposal by Australian Silicon Pty Ltd to construct and operate a silicon smelter near Wallerawang, in the Greater Lithgow local government area.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF], including the conditions of approval; and the [Assessment Report](#) [PDF].
- **Quartz mine**
- **Decision:** Approved 2 November 2000
- **Description:** A proposal by Australian Silicon Pty Ltd to construct and operate a quartz mine at Glenella, in the Cowra local government area.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF], including the conditions of approval; and the [Assessment Report](#) [PDF]
- **Antiene joint user rail facility**
- **Decision:** Approved 2 November
- **Description:** A joint rail facility project proposed by Coal Operations Australia Ltd (COAL) and Drayton Coal Pty Ltd. While each applicant lodged a separate DA, a joint EIS was prepared. The project is located within the Muswellbrook local government area, about 8 kilometres south of Muswellbrook in the New South Wales Hunter Valley.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent for COAL](#) [PDF], including the conditions of approval; copy of [Minister's consent for Drayton](#) [PDF], including the conditions of approval; and the [Assessment Report](#) [PDF].
- **Milk processing plant**
- **Decision:** Approved 24 October
- **Description:** A proposal by Bovis Lend Lease to construct a milk processing factory at Sargents Road, Minchinbury in the Blacktown local government area.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF], including the conditions of approval.
- **Ridgeway gold and copper mine**
- **Decision:** Approved 3 September
- **Description:** A proposal by Cadia Holdings Pty Ltd to develop an underground gold and copper mine and surface facilities, including a dewatering plant. The site is about 25 kilometres outside the city of Orange, on the border of Blayney and Cabonne local government areas.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent for the mine](#) [PDF] and copy of [Minister's consent for the dewatering plant](#) [PDF].
- **Barina hard rock quarry extension**
- **Decision:** Approved 8 September
- **Description:** A proposal by Tiocliiff Pty Ltd to continue operating, and to expand the existing Barina hard rock quarry in Gunning local government area.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF], including the conditions of approval.
- **Concrite basalt quarry extension**
- **Decision:** Approved 12 September
- **Description:** A proposal by Concrite Quarries to extend its basalt quarrying operations at Exeter, Wingecarribee Shire.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF], including the conditions of approval, and [Assessment Report](#) [PDF].
- **Carrington coal mine project**
- **Decision:** Approved 15 August 2000

- **Description:** A proposal to by Coal and Allied Pty Ltd to develop a coal mine in the Singleton local government area.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF], including the conditions of approval.
- **Coal injection facility**
- **Decision:** Approved 10 August 2000
- **Description:** A proposal to construct and operate a pulverised coal injection facility at the BHP Port Kembla Steelworks.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF].
- **Whitehaven coal mine**
- **Decision:** Approved 10 August 2000
- **Description:** A proposal by Whitehaven Coal Mining Pty Ltd to develop an open cut coal mine, including on site processing and transportation at Narrabri.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF]
- **Sand extraction proposal**
- **Decision:** Approved 31 May 2000
- **Description:** A proposal by Dr L. S. Martin to extract and process sand, clay and pebble material on a site at Roberts Road, Maroota in the Baulkham Hills Shire. The proposal also involves constructing a bund wall.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF]
- **Wet weather effluent storage pond proposal**
- **Decision:** Approved 3 May 2000
- **Description:** A proposal by Goulburn City Council to construct a wet weather effluent pond, pipework and a transfer pump station at 143 Gorman Road, Goulburn
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF]. Please note that the two maps referred to in the consent are not available in electronic form. For details email [neville.osborne@PlanningNSW.nsw.gov.au](mailto:neville.osborne@PlanningNSW.nsw.gov.au)
- **Modification to Oberon Quarry proposal**
- **Decision:** Approved 13 April 2000
- **Description:** A proposal by Oberon Quarry Pty Ltd to allow temporary stockpiling of product material on the top of Racecourse Hill.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF]
- **Modification to Batson Quarry expansion proposal**
- **Decision:** Approved 10 April 2000
- **Description:** A proposal by Batson Sand and Gravel Pty Ltd to modify their original proposal, enabling the office and weighbridge to be relocated. The quarry is located in the Byron local government area.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF]
- **Modification to New Southern Railway proposal**
- **Decision:** Approved 13 April 2000
- **Description:** A request by Rail Access Corporation to retain an existing 33kV overhead powerline as a permanent supply.
- **Details:** Copy of [Minister's consent](#) [PDF] and the [Director-General's Report](#) [PDF]
- **Modification to Mt Piper proposal**
- **Decision:** Approved 3 April 2000
- **Description:** A request by Delta Electricity to modify the original consent for Mount Piper Power Station, in the Lithgow local government area. The modification allows Delta Electricity to co-dispose of brine and flyash.
- **Details:** [Minister's consent and conditions of approval](#) [PDF]
- **Modification to Hunter Valley Mine South Pit proposal**
- **Decision:** Approved 15 March 2000
- **Description:** A request by Coal & Allied Pty Ltd to modify the Hunter Valley Mine South Pit open cut coal mine proposal in the Singleton local government area.
- **Details:** [Minister's consent and conditions of approval](#) [PDF]
- **Pacific Highway upgrade at Bonville**
- **Decision:** Approved 2 March 2000
- **Description:** A proposal by Roads and Traffic Authority to upgrade the Pacific Highway at Bonville near Coffs Harbour on the New South Wales North Coast. The approval is subject to the conditions outlined in the Department's Director-General's Report.
- **Details:** [Minister's approval](#) [PDF]
- **Director-General's Report:**
  - [Main report](#) [PDF]
  - [Figures](#) [PDF]
  - [Appendix A - Flora and Fauna Report](#) [PDF]
  - [Appendix B - NPWS Concurrence](#) [PDF]
  - [Appendix C - Summary of Traffic Noise Levels](#)

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- **Modification to Minchinbury warehouse proposal**
- **Decision:** Approved 20 March
- **Description:** Modification of the approval given to Godfrey Spowers (New South Wales) Pty Ltd on 26 November 1999 to construct and operate a warehouse and distribution centre at Minchinbury in the Blacktown local government area.
- **Details:** Details of [Approved modification](#) [PDF]
- **Modification to Alkatuff Plant upgrade proposal**
- **Decision:** Approved 6 March
- **Description:** A proposal by Qenos Pty Ltd to modify the original consent given to ICI Australia Pty Ltd to upgrade the Alkatuff Plant at Botany Industrial Park, Matraville.
- **Details:** [Approved modification](#) [PDF]
- **Modification to ABC Paper Mill proposal**
- **Decision:** Approved 2 March
- **Description:** A modification to the consent granted to ABC Paper and Paper Mill Pty Ltd on 28 August 1998, which allowed the company to construct and operate a tissue processing facility at Wetherill Park in Sydney.
- **Details:** [Approved modification](#) [PDF]
- **RaveNew South Walesorth East open cut coal mine**
- **Decision:** Approved 2 March
- **Description:** A proposal by Peabody Resources Ltd to redevelop open cut coal mining operations and construct some associated surface and infrastructure at RaveNew South Walesorth East in the Singleton local government area.
- **Details:** [Minister's approval and conditions of consent](#) [PDF]
- **Ulan underground coal mine expansion project**
- **Decision:** Approved 20 December 1999
- **Description:** The Ulan Coal Mine underground expansion project. The proposal is to extend the existing underground coal mining operations and construction of associated surface facilities at the Ulan Coal Mine site, located in the Merriwa and Mudgee local government areas.
- **Details:** [Minister's consent and conditions of approval](#) [PDF]
- **Ulan coal mine ventilation shaft**
- **Decision:** Approved 18 December 1999
- **Description:** A proposal by Ulan Coal Mine Limited to construct the Ulan Coal Mine Ventilation Shaft in the Merriwa and Mudgee local government areas.
- **Details:** [Minister's consent and conditions of approval](#) [PDF]
- **Mount Pleasant coal mine Decision: Approved on 22 December 1999**
- **Description:** The Mount Pleasant Coal Mine will be a new mine located in the Muswellbrook local government area.
- **Details:** [Minister's consent and conditions of approval](#) [PDF]
- **Bulga open cut pit continuation**
- **Decision:** Approved
- **Description:** Continuation of mining of the Bulga Open Cut Pit on 23 December 1999. The extension of the Bulga Open Cut Pit is within the Bulga Complex southwest of Singleton in the Singleton Shire local government area.
- **Details:** [Minister's determination and conditions of consent](#) [PDF]