

## **CULLEN VALLEY MINE**

### **Monthly Environmental Monitoring data**

**for**

***Castlereagh Coal***

#### **1 INTRODUCTION**

Castlereagh Coal owns and operates Cullen Valley Mine located near Cullen Bullen in the Central West district of New South Wales. This report has been prepared pursuant to Chapter 2, Part 3.5, Condition 66(6) of the *Protection of the Environment operations Act 1997* for the publication of results of monitoring and the NSW Environmental Protection Authority guideline titled *Requirements for publish pollution monitoring data (2012)*.

#### **2 ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION LICENCE DETAILS**

##### **Cullen Valley Mine (EPL 10341)**

Licensee: Shoalhaven Coal Pty Ltd

Address: Cullen Valley Mine, Portland Road, Cullen Bullen NSW 2790

Link: <http://www.epa.nsw.gov.au/prpoeoapp/ViewPOEOLicence.aspx?DOCID=50797&SYSUID=1&LICID=10341>

# MONTHLY ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING DATA

April 2018

## 3 AIR QUALITY

**Table 1** *Depositional Dust Monitoring Results*

<b>Obtained:</b> 15/05/2018		<b>Premise:</b> Cullen Valley Mine		
<b>Published:</b> 22/05/2018		<b>Licensee:</b> Shoalhaven Coal		
		<b>EPL number:</b> 10341		
		<b>Exposure Period:</b> 29 days		
Sampling Point	Start Date	End Date	Insoluble Solids (g/m <sup>2</sup> /month)	Rolling Annual Average
CDD1 (Railway)	11/04/2018	10/05/2018	0.4	0.4
CDD2 (Hillcroft)	11/04/2018	10/05/2018	0.7	2.8
CDD3 (Office)	11/04/2018	10/05/2018	0.7	0.7
CDD4 (Cranes)	11/04/2018	10/05/2018	0.8	0.7
CDD5 (Doble)	11/04/2018	10/05/2018	0.4	1.3
Annual Average Limit				4.0

Required Frequency: Monthly - exposure period 30 ± 2 days.

All depositional dust sampling locations were in compliance with the rolling annual average limit (4g/m<sup>2</sup>/month) for the month of April 2018.

**Table 2** *High Volume Air Sampler Monitoring Results*

<b>Premise:</b>		Cullen Valley Mine	
<b>Obtained:</b>	15/05/2018	<b>Licensee:</b>	Shoalhaven Coal
<b>Published:</b>	22/05/2018	<b>EPL number:</b>	10341
Sampling Point	Run Date	PM <sub>10</sub> (µg/m <sup>3</sup> )	TSP (µg/m <sup>3</sup> )^
HV02 (EPA Point 3)	01-Apr-18	10	25
	07-Apr-18	16	40
	13-Apr-18	30	75
	19-Apr-18	7	17.5
	25-Apr-18	26	65
Annual Average		8.6	21.5
24 Hour Limit		50	--
Annual Average Limit		30	90

Note: Results in italics indicates the results were less than laboratory detection limit.

Required Frequency: High Volume Air Sample run event every six days for 24 hours

-- No Limit

<sup>^</sup> TSP result is an estimate obtained from a calculation of the PM<sub>10</sub> concentration.

The 24 hour maximum PM<sub>10</sub> allowable limit of 50µg/m<sup>3</sup> was not exceeded for the month of April 2018.

The TSP and PM<sub>10</sub> annual average results were in compliance with the annual average limit for the month April 2018.

#### 4 WATER QUALITY

**Table 3** *Monthly Water Quality Results*

<b>Sampled:</b>	11/04/2018	<b>Premise:</b>	Cullen Valley Mine	
<b>Obtained:</b>	23/04/2018	<b>Licensee:</b>	Shoalhaven Coal	
<b>Published:</b>	22/05/2018	<b>EPL number:</b>	10341	
Sampling Point	Frequency	Pollutant	Limit	Measurement
Dam 1 (Point 1)	Monthly	pH (pH unit)	6.5 – 8.5	7.05
		TSS (mg/L)	50	7
		Oil & Grease (mg/L)	10	<5
		Conductivity (µS/cm)*	--	ND
		Total Iron (mg/L)*	--	ND
		Total Manganese (mg/L)*	--	ND
Dam 4 (Point 4)	Monthly	pH (pH unit)	6.5 – 8.5	7.54
		TSS (mg/L)	50	11
		Oil & Grease (mg/L)	10	<5
		Conductivity (µS/cm)*	--	ND
		Total Iron (mg/L)*	--	ND
		Total Manganese (mg/L)*	--	ND

-- No limit provided in EPL 10341

\* Only analysed during discharge events.

ND – no data as there was no discharge from the site during this period.

All water samples collected during April 2018 were in compliance with the respective EPL criteria.

#### 5 NOISE LIMITS

Quarterly noise monitoring is undertaken at Invincible Colliery. The Quarter 2, 2017-2018 noise monitoring report was unavailable during the publication of this report.

#### 6 BLASTING

No blasting was undertaken during April 2018. Cullen Valley Mine is not currently operating.

#### 7 DISCLAIMER

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Yours Faithfully,

**CASTLEREAGH COAL**