Monthly Website Report



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Summary

Monitoring was undertaken in July 2016 with all results in compliance with the required limits.

Introduction

LakeCoal Pty Ltd (LakeCoal) operates the Mannering Colliery, an underground coal mine at the southern end of Lake Macquarie.

This monthly report is to satisfy the requirements of;

- section 66(6) of the Protection of the Environmental Operations Act, 1997, to make monitoring data related to an Environment Protection Licence publically available and
- condition 7 & 10, schedule 5, of Development Approval 06_0311 (as modified) to provide details of monitoring results and environmental performance.

This report provides environmental monitoring data from Mannering Colliery for the period 1 July 2016 to 30 July 2016.

Environmental monitoring data is collected as required under Environment Protection Licence 191 (EPL 191).

Details of the Mannering Colliery and EPL 191 are provided below.

Mannering Colliery Information			
Premises name	Mannering Colliery		
Address	Rutleys Road, Doyalson, NSW, 2262		
Licensee	LakeCoal Pty Ltd		
EPL#	191		
EPL location	http://www.epa.nsw.gov.au/prpoeoapp/ViewPOEOLicence.aspx?DOCID=5078 1&SYSUID=1&LICID=191		

The overall purpose of this report is to keep stakeholders informed of the environmental monitoring results at Mannering Colliery and maintain a transparent and accountable reporting system.

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Scope

This report presents the results from the various environmental monitoring undertaken for Mannering Colliery.

Results are presented for each specific month and annual data, averages and trends in data are shown to where relevant.

Where applicable, the results of the monitoring programs are compared with the relevant criteria (from the EPL or Project Approval) to determine compliance.

Monitoring results presented include;

- Water quality;
- Water volume;
- Air quality;
- · Operational noise; and
- Weather data

Definitions

°C - degrees celsius

dB - decibels

dB(A) – noise level measurement units are decibels (dB). The A-weighting scale is used to approximate human perception of noise

g/m²/month – grams per square metre per month

kL - kilolitres

L_{Aeq} – the average A-weighted noise energy (in dB) for a measurement period

mg/L - Milligrams per litre

mm - millimetre

μS/cm – microsiemens per centimetre

References

Project Approval 06_0311 (as modified)

Environment Protection Licence 191 (Licence version date: 13 May 2015)

Steel River Testing - Dust Deposition Report - July 2016

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Monitoring Results

Water – Quality

Water Quality Results (reverted to Daily during discharge as per EPL PRP requirements)

Jul-16					
EPL	191				
Licensee	Lake Coal Pty Ltd				
Premises	Mannering Colliery				
Period	01-Jul-16	to	31-Jul-16		
Location	LDP001 (EPA ID # 1)		31 341 15		
Date sampled	Weekly				
Date reported	Refer report date				
Monitoring requirement	Weekly				
pH limit	6.5 - 8.5				
TSS limit (mg/L)	50				
Oil and grease limit (mg/L)	10				
Exceedance (Yes/No)	No				
LACECUATICE (TES/IVO)		uality Results			
Date	pH	TSS (mg/L)	Oil and grease (mg/L)		
01/07/2016	8.0	5	<5		
02/07/2016	5.0	†			
03/07/2016	 				
04/07/2016	8.3	6	<5		
05/07/2016	8.0	3	<5		
06/07/2016	7.9	2	<5		
07/07/2016	7.9	1	<5		
08/07/2016	7.9	7	<5		
09/07/2016	7.5	,			
10/07/2016					
11/07/2016	8.0	4	<5		
12/07/2016	8.0	<1	<5		
13/07/2016	7.9	2	<5		
14/07/2016	7.9	7	<5		
15/07/2016	7.8	7	<5		
16/07/2016					
17/07/2016					
18/07/2016	7.8	3	<5		
19/07/2016	7.9	2	<5		
20/07/2016	8.0	5	<5		
21/07/2016	8.0	2	<5		
22/07/2016	7.9	2	<5		
23/07/2016					
24/07/2016					
25/07/2016	8.1	1	<5		
26/07/2016	7.8	1	<5		
27/07/2016	7.9	2	<5		
28/07/2016	8.0	3	<5		
29/07/2016	8.1	1	<5		
30/07/2016					
31/07/2016					

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Water - Volume

July 2016				
EPL	191			
Licensee	LakeCoal Pty Ltd			
Premises	Mannering Colliery			
Date Sampled	Daily			
Date Reported	Refer report date			
Discharge volume limit	4000 kilolitres per day			
Sampling Point	LDP001 (EPA ID # 1)			

Date (24 hour period)	Unit	Volume
01/07/2016	kL	639
02/07/2016	kL	0
03/07/2016	kL	0
04/07/2016	kL	1812
05/07/2016	kL	1577
06/07/2016	kL	1394
07/07/2016	kL	1341
08/07/2016	kL	0
09/07/2016	kL	0
10/07/2016	kL	0
11/07/2016	kL	1592
12/07/2016	kL	1521
13/07/2016	kL	1524
14/07/2016	kL	486
15/07/2016	kL	987
16/07/2016	kL	0
17/07/2016	kL	0
18/07/2016	kL	1780
19/07/2016	kL	2060
20/07/2016	kL	1026
21/07/2016	kL	331
22/07/2016	kL	642
23/07/2016	kL	0
24/07/2016	kL	0
25/07/2016	kL	1801
26/07/2016	kL	1525
27/07/2016	kL	1556
28/07/2016	kL	966
29/07/2016	kL	1053
30/07/2016	kL	0
31/07/2016	kL	0

Air Quality

Monthly depositional dust results

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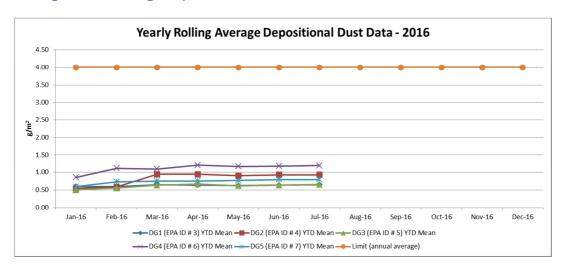
Monthly Depositional Dust Data						
	July 2016					
EPL 191						
Licensee	LakeCoal Pty	LakeCoal Pty Ltd				
Premises	Mannering Colliery					
Date Sampled	14-Jun-16	14-Jun-16 to 1				
Date Obtained	22-Jul-16					
Date Reported Refer report date						
Sampling Point As per site below						

Site	Insoluble Matter (g/m2/month)
DG1 (EPA ID # 3)	0.4
DG2 (EPA ID # 4)	0.3
DG3 (EPA ID # 5)	0.4
DG4 (EPA ID # 6)	0.5
DG5 (EPA ID # 7)	0.4

Notes:

- For site locations refer to Air Quality Management Plan

Rolling annual average depositional dust results



Operational Noise

Attended noise monitoring was undertaken in July. No exceedances were identified. A summary of the monitoring results is provided below.



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Table 4.2: L_{Aeq,15minute} GENERATED BY MANNERING COLLIERY AGAINST OPERATIONAL NOISE IMPACT ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

Location	Date And Time	Wind Speed (m/s)	VTG (°/C per 100m)¹	L _{Aeq} Criteria dB	Criteria Applies? ²	MC LAeq dB. 3,4,5	Exceedance4
			Day				
RA1	18/07/2016 13:59	2.2	-2.0	42	Yes	IA	Nil
RA2	18/07/2016 14:24	1.7	-2.0	39	Yes	IA	Nil
RA3	18/07/2016 14:51	1.9	-2.0	39	Yes	IA	Nil
			Evenin	g			_
RA1	27/07/2016 20:50	1.2	3.0	42	Yes	IA	Nil
RA2	27/07/2016 21:14	0.7	3.0	39	Yes	IA	Nil
RA3	27/07/2016 21:37	0.4	3.0	39	Yes	IA	Nil
	Night						
RA1	27/07/2016 22:02	0.3	3.0	41	Yes	IA	Nil
RA2	27/07/2016 22:22	0.2	3.0	39	Yes	IA	Nil
RA3	27/07/2016 22:41	1.2	0.5	39	Yes	IA	Nil

Notes:

- 1. Sigma theta data used to calculate Vertical Temperature Gradient (VTG) in accordance with procedures detailed in the INP;
- Noise emission limits do not apply for winds greater than 3 metres per second (at a height of 10 metres); or temperature inversion conditions greater than 4ºC/100m;
- 3. These are results for MC in the absence of all other noise sources;
- 4. Bold results in red are those greater than the relevant criterion (if applicable); and
- 5. NA in exceedance column means atmospheric conditions outside conditions specified in project approval and so criterion is not applicable.

Weather

A summary of weather data recorded by an on-site meteorological monitoring station at the Colliery is presented below for the year to date.

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Monthly Weather Data							
2016							
EPL	191	191					
Licensee	LakeCoal Pty Ltd						
Premises	Mannering Collier	у					
Location	W1 (on-site weath	er station)					
Date published:	Refer report date						
Date sampled:	Daily						
Date obtained:	14/08/2016						
Month	Total Rainfall /	Minimum	Maximum				
	Month (mm)	Temperature (°C)	Temperature (°C)				
Jan-16	329	14.3	36				
Feb-16	17.4	16.4	37.7				
Mar-16	92.2	14.3	30.1				
Apr-16	36.2	12.1	33.5				
May-16	46.6	5.3	27.8				
Jun-16	248.2	3.4	21.4				
Jul-16	73.2	2.5	25				
Aug-16							
Sep-16							
Oct-16							
Nov-16							
Dec-16							