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Dear Mike,

Mining Authorisation Number(s) MLs 1351, 1364, 6036, 6042, 6277, 6310, 6389, 6406, 1479 and GL5884, Mining Act [1992], Alkane Resources, Approval of Mining Operations Plan

NOTICE OF APPROVAL

Pursuant to Condition 3 of Mining Authorisation Number(s) MLs 1351, 1364, 6036, 6042, 6277, 6310, 6389, 6406, 1479 and GL5884, the Mining Operations Plan (MOP) that was submitted to the Department in July 2014 (DRE Reference: INW14/29703) is approved for the period from the date of this approval until 17th January 2022.

It is the responsibility of the Authorisation Holder to ensure that all mining and mining related operations described in this MOP are as approved within the relevant Project Approval or Development Consent and all necessary approvals, consents or permits required under the relevant NSW or Commonwealth regulations have been obtained prior to carrying out the operations.

It is the responsibility of the Authorisation Holder to fulfil their obligations and commitments to the rehabilitation outcomes and performance standards as approved by the relevant consent authority to ensure the rehabilitation outcomes identified are achieved.

DEFINITIONS

In this letter, words have the meaning given to those terms in the *Mining Act 1992*, unless otherwise specified below.

Department means NSW Department of Industry, Skills and Regional Development.

Authorisation Holder means the holder of the relevant authorisation(s).

Mining Operations Plan means the project, mining and mining related operations described in the Peak Hill Gold Mine Mining Operations Plan prepared by Alkane Resources Pty Ltd and dated 13th June 2014.

If you have any questions about this Notice, please contact Michael Young directly on 02 6360 5346.



Michael Young

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Signed under delegation from the Secretary of the Department of Industry, Skills and Regional Development.

Date:

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