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Ms Anna Wiley
Asset President Copper SA
BHP Olympic Dam Corporation Pty Ltd

Email: [REDACTED]

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Dear Ms Wiley,

Notification of Approved Program for Environment Protection and Rehabilitation (Program)

In reference to your submission dated 25 June 2026, the Program has been approved pursuant to section 70C(5) of the *Mining Act 1971* (the Mining Act).

The approved Program will be made publicly available on the Mining Register and the Department for Energy and Mining (DEM) [website](#). Details of the approved Program are listed below.

Tenement Holder	BHP Olympic Dam Corporation Pty Ltd
Tenement Type & Number	Extractive Minerals Leases (EMLs) 5357, 5552 and 6515
Program Number	MPR-04666
Name of Operation	Axehead (Roxby Downs) Quarry

You are reminded that you must at all times implement and comply with this approved Program.

This approval does not constitute endorsement of the systems that you have in place to manage the mining operations in compliance with the Act. Whilst your capability to undertake this activity has been considered in this approval, the responsibility for compliance with the Act always remains with the Tenement Holder.

The legislative requirements outlined below must be actioned prior to commencement of operations authorised by the Program.

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1	Public Liability Insurance Pursuant to Regulation 81 of the Mining Regulations 2020, you are required to provide a copy of a certificate evidencing the insurance coverage over the tenement(s).
2	Compliance Reporting You are required to submit an annual compliance report. The reporting period will commence from 12 May 2026 and the compliance report must be submitted within 2 calendar months of the recurring anniversary of the reporting period (before 12 July annually). Please refer to the DEM website for more information on the reporting requirements.
3	Native Vegetation The Native Vegetation clearance set out in the Program and SEB payment into the Native Vegetation Fund is approved in accordance with my delegated powers under the <i>Native Vegetation Regulations 2017</i>. Please note that in accordance with the Native Vegetation Council Guide for calculating a significant environmental benefit the SEB calculation will need to be recalculated at the time of payment using the latest version of datasheets. In addition, in accordance with the Guide for a significant environmental benefit for the clearance of native vegetation associated with the minerals and petroleum industry a vegetation assessment that is 5 years old or more may require a re-assessment of the native vegetation to be cleared. Please note that the SEB payment must occur and evidence of payment is to be provided to DEM before any clearance is undertaken.
4	Work, Health and Safety Compliance In accordance with Chapter 10 of the <i>Work Health and Safety Regulations 2012</i> (SA), you must meet the requirements for mine operators in South Australia, which include a notification for mining operations, the establishment of a Safety Management System, the identification of Principal Mining Hazards and development of a Principal Mining Hazard Management Plan. Further information on your responsibilities, including a guide to Chapter 10, and the Mine Operator Notification Form, is available on the SafeWork SA website.
4	Environment Protection Authority (EPA) Authorisation Under the requirements of the <i>Environment Protection Act 1993</i> (SA), you, as the Tenement Holder, are required to ensure compliance with the conditions of EPA licence number 24544 for this operation. The EPA licence is in the name of Holcim (Australia) Pty Ltd who operate the quarry under agreement with BHP and covers the prescribed activities of environmental significance under Schedule 1 Part A of the Act, being 'extractive industries' (producing >100,000 tpa).

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In addition to the requirements under the Mining Act, you are reminded that your operation will have other legislative requirements that you will need to comply with.

If you have any further queries, please contact DEM staff as below:

Daniel Radulovic
Program Leader Olympic Dam & Uranium Regulation
DEM, Regulation and Compliance

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Yours sincerely

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Simon Constable
DIRECTOR MINERALS REGULATION
Delegate of the Minister for Energy and Mining
Delegate of the Native Vegetation Council

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