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11 September 2024

[REDACTED]
Company Secretary, Clean Peak Energy
Level 12, 201 Miller Street
North Sydney, NSW 2060

By email: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED],

Re: Part 10 exemption – Tonsley Natural Gas Network

I refer to your Category 1 and Category 2 Part 10 exemption applications dated 21 August 2024 for the Tonsley Natural Gas Network.

Pursuant to the delegation given to me by the AER Board, I have assessed the application and supporting information and have determined to grant an **exemption under Category 1 of Part 10** of the National Gas Rules (NGR). This exemption is valid for 5 years from the date of this letter i.e., 11 September 2029.

In your exemption application, CPE Tonsley Pty Ltd were unable to identify Tonsley Natural Gas Network's maximum daily capacity. Thereby, I am not satisfied that the Tonsley Natural Gas Network meets the criterion of a Category 2 Part 10 exemption (maximum daily capacity being less than 10TJ/ day). Accordingly, an exemption under Category 2 of Part 10 is not granted.

As required by NGR rule 102(7), please notify the AER if circumstances change such that the pipeline no longer qualifies for the exemption.

Rule 102(6) requires the AER to maintain a public register of Part 10 exemptions. Barring personal information, details in your submitted Part 10 application form and responses in your emails may be published on the register along with this response.

Please contact [REDACTED] if we can assist further.

Yours sincerely

[REDACTED]
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A/g General Manager,
Policy Branch

Sent by email on: 11.09.2024