

## WHITEHAVEN CHPP – MONTHLY MONITORING SUMMARY

## **Site Information**

**EPL No:** 3637

**EPA Website Link:** http://www.epa.nsw.gov.au/prpoeoapp/ViewPOEOLicence.aspx?DOCID=33514&SYSUID=1&LICID=3637

Licensee: Whitehaven Coal Mining Limited

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**EPL Monitoring Points:** See Figure 1 below

Sampling Period: November 2023
Obtained Date: 02<sup>nd</sup> January 2024
Publication Date: 02<sup>nd</sup> January 2024

**Table 1 - No Pollutant Limits Apply** 

EPL ID	Pollutant	Units of Measure	Monitoring Frequency	No. of Measurements for the Month	Date Sampled	Date Obtained	Min Value	Mean Value	Median Value	Max or Only Value
3	Solid Particles	g/m²/month	Continuous	1	16/11/2023	29/11/2023	-	-	-	1.1
11	PM <sub>10</sub> Kendo	μg/m³	Every 6 days	5	01/11/2023 07/11/2023 13/11/2023 19/11/2023 25/11/2023	11/12/2023 (Last sampled received)	2.2	13.82	13.8	22.6
12	PM <sub>10</sub> Olive View	μg/m³	Every 6 days	5	01/11/2023 07/11/2023 13/11/2023 19/11/2023 29/11/2023	02/01/2024 (Last sampled received)	3	13.3	15.9	18.3
	Conductivity	μs/cm		0	-	-	1	-	1	-
	Oil and Grease	mg/L	Fack accomplant				-	-		-
6	<b>Total Organic Carbon</b>	mg/L	Each overflow				-	-	-	-
	<b>Total Suspended Solids</b>	mg/L	event				-	-	-	-
	рН	рН					ı	1	1	-
	Conductivity	μs/cm					1	1	-	1270
7	Oil and Grease	mg/L	Quarterly	1	01/11/2023	09/11/2023	-	-	-	<5
	<b>Total Organic Carbon</b>	mg/L					-	-	-	4



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	<b>Total Suspended Solids</b>	mg/L					-	-	-	32
	рН	рН					-	-	-	8.40

# Table 2 – Groundwater Monitoring (Quarterly – No Limits apply)

EPL ID	Pollutant	Units of Measure	Monitoring Frequency	No. of Samples for the Period	Date Sampled	Date Obtained	Min Value	Mean Value	Median Value	Max or Only Value
	Ammonia	mg/L					-	-	-	0.06
	Bicarbonate	mg/L					-	-	-	1310
	Calcium	mg/L		1	30/11/2023	07/12/2023	-	-	-	52
	Chloride	mg/L					-	ı	-	1980
	Conductivity	μs/cm					-	ı	-	9750
	Lead	mg/L					-	ı	-	< 0.001
8	Magnesium	mg/L	Quarterly				-	ı	-	184
0	Nitrate	mg/L	(P1)				-	ı	-	<0.01
	Potassium	mg/L					-	-	-	23
	Sodium	mg/L					-	ı	-	2020
	Standing Water Level	m					-	-	-	6.09
	Sulphate	mg/L					-	-	-	1300
	рН	рН					-	-	-	7.50
	Ammonia	mg/L					-	-	-	0.58
9	Bicarbonate	mg/L	Quarterly				-	-	-	928
9	Calcium	mg/L	(P2)	1	30/11/2023	07/12/2023	-	-	-	229
	Chloride	mg/L					-	-	-	1090



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	Conductivity	μs/cm					-	-	-	5910
	Lead	mg/L					-	-	-	<0.001
	Magnesium	mg/L					-	-	-	228
	Nitrate	mg/L					-	-	-	0.04
	Potassium	mg/L					-	-	-	109
	Sodium	mg/L					-	-	-	766
	Standing Water Level	M					-	-	-	1.64
	Sulphate	mg/L					-	-	-	715
	pН	рН					-	-	-	7.10
	Ammonia	mg/L					-	-	-	0.61
	Bicarbonate	mg/L					-	-	-	753
	Calcium	mg/L		1	30/11/2023	07/12/2023	-	-	-	207
	Chloride	mg/L					-	-	-	1340
	Conductivity	μs/cm	1				-	-	-	5800
	Lead	mg/L					-	-	-	<0.001
10	Magnesium	mg/L	Quarterly				-	-	-	219
10	Nitrate	mg/L	(P3)				-	-	-	0.02
	Potassium	mg/L					-	-	-	63
	Sodium	mg/L					-	-	-	691
	Standing Water Level	M					-	-	-	1.15
	Sulphate	mg/L					-	-	-	249
	pH	pН					-	-	-	7.20



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#### Table 3 – Monitoring (Quarterly Noise – Limits Apply)

EPL				Measured levels – CHPP – dB(A)			<b>-</b> 1	(Potential) Non-
ID	Date	Period	L <sub>A1</sub> , 1 minute	L <sub>Aeq</sub> , 15 minute	Limit(s)- dB(A)	Wind speed (m/s)	Observations	compliance /breach
	-	15 mins day	-	N/M	35	1.2 m/s NW	Site Noise: Inaudible Birds 40-61, Aircraft 45, Train 42	
N1	-	15 mins evening	-	31	35	1.1 m/s S	Site Noise: Dozer Dog 45-47, Traffic 35-38, Train 57	No
		15 mins night	-	<25	35	1.1 m/s S	Site Noise: General Activity	
		1 min night	25	-	45	1.1 m/s S	Train 63, Insects 28-31, Traffic 30-34	

#### Notes:

**dB(A):** The overall level of a sound is usually expressed in terms of dBA, which is measured using a sound level meter with an "A-weighting" filter. This is an electronic filter having a frequency response

corresponding approximately to that of human hearing.

**L**<sub>Aeq</sub>, **15 minute:** The A-weighted equivalent noise level (basically the average noise level). It is defined as the steady sound level that contains the same amount of acoustical energy as the corresponding time-varying sound, in this instance over a period of 15 minutes.

**L**<sub>A1</sub>, **1** minute: The noise level exceeded for 1% of the 15 minute interval.

**I/A:** When site noise is noted as inaudible (I/A), no site noise was audible at the monitoring location.

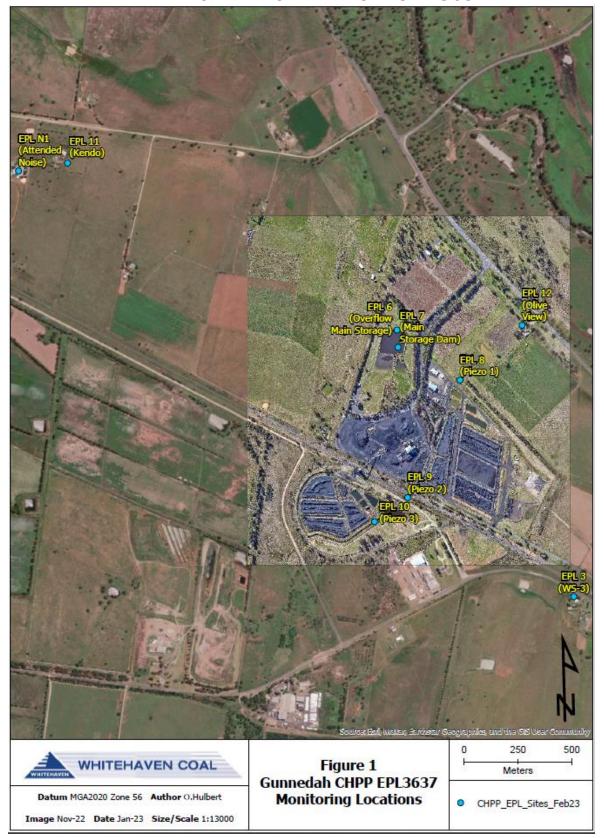
**Not Measurable (NM):** indicates that some site noise was audible, but indeterminate due to one of the following reasons:

- site noise levels were insignificant and unlikely, in many cases, to be even noticed; or
- site noise levels were masked by another relatively loud noise source, but were estimated to be less than LAeq 30 dB, which is insignificant in terms of any applicable criterion.



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## **CORRECTION LOG – November 2023**

Month of EPL Monitoring	Sample point	Date of original publishing	Date of Correction	Date of Republishing	Correction/s made:
November 2023	12	15/12/2023	02/01/2024	02/01/2024	<ul> <li>Changed No. of samples for month. Original data: 4, corrected data: 5</li> <li>Added sample date 29/11/2023</li> <li>Changed mean value. Original data:12.65, corrected Data: 13.3</li> <li>Changed median value. Original data: 14.65, corrected Data: 15.9</li> </ul>