

New Acland Coal Update

New Hope Corporation Limited (ASX: NHC) (Company) refers to the announcement made 13 November 2023 in relation to the complaint served by Queensland Conservation Council Limited (QCCL) against New Acland Coal Pty Ltd (NAC) pursuant to the *Justices Act 1886* (QLD) alleging unlawful conduct in relation to the historical mining of “West Pit”, and seeking penalty orders and other pecuniary payment orders against NAC in the Magistrates Court of Queensland.

Today at a mention of the matter in the Magistrates Court in Toowoomba, QCCL stated that it would now offer no evidence against NAC, thereby withdrawing the complaint. Accordingly, the Magistrates Court ordered that the complaint be dismissed, thus NAC be discharged, and further ordered QCCL pay costs in a fixed amount.

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