



**BLUESCOPE (BSL) COMMUNITY CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE**  
**Thursday 14 December 2017**  
**BlueScope Administration (Altair Building) – The Hatchery**  
**4.00 pm – 5.30 pm**

**Committee:** Chair: Gordon Bradbery  
 Mark Peterlin (PKPM); Nicki Sloan (Illawarra Forum), Trevor Brown (NSW Ports); Bill Wilkins (AWI); Rick Coleman (DET), Justin Placek (Healthy Cities), Peter Maywald (Neighbourhood Forum 7), Harold Hanson/David Winterbottom (Neighbourhood Forum 5)

**BlueScope:** Dave Bell, Michael Reay, Craig Nealon, Matt Imber

**Apologies:**

**Observers:** Greg Newman (EPA), Glendon Lee (SESIAHS), Tony Miskiewicz, William Dove (EPA)

**Minutes:** Liz Barnden (BSL)

**Intent/Purpose:**

The purpose of the Community Consultative Committee (CCC) is to provide a forum for open discussion between representatives of BlueScope (BSL), the community and other stakeholders in relation to the environmental management and performance of operations at the Port Kembla Steelworks (PKSW) in accordance with Environment Protection Licence No. 6092 (EPL 6092)

**Minutes**

Item No	Item	Action	Who
1	Welcome and Acknowledgement of Traditional Custodians	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Chairman welcomed attendees and acknowledged the traditional custodians.</li> <li>The Chairman welcomed Peter Maywald and David Winterbottom as new members to the Committee</li> </ul>	GB
2	Apologies	Tony Miskiewicz	LB
3	Disclosures of Pecuniary Interests/ Conflicts of Interest	Nil	GB
4	Previous minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The previous minutes be accepted.</li> <li>Moved: Bill Wilkins; Seconded: Dave Bell</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Resolved Unanimously</b></p>	
5	a) Company Update	Dave Bell provided a BSL Update: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mark Vassella appointed BlueScope CEO replacing Paul O'Malley; John Nowlan appointed CEO of BANZ; Dave Bell appointed General Manager Manufacturing (Port Kembla)</li> <li>Flat out - 2.2M domestically total volume of 2.85M.</li> <li>Market healthy – customers disappointed with us; we can't keep up.</li> <li>Financially positive; spread gap raw materials and what we sell for</li> <li>Bringing in coal from Mozambique due to S32 issues. Commercially better.</li> <li>Buying iron ore from Brazil for commercial reasons eg iron content; cheaper than WA</li> <li>Community Event with Board held at the refurbished Visitors Centre</li> <li>Prime Minister visited Steelwork. Optimistic and positive about doing something.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rise in energy costs – Chairman wrote re our concern to BSL and community. No new developments.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Water pipeline from Broken Hill. We produce the steel; Queensland company forms the pipes then back to NSW – 30,000 tonnes</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Update Received and noted</b></p>	

	<p>b) Environment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Incidents</li>   <li>• Complaints</li>   <li>• Improvements</li> </ul>	<p>Incidents</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No significant incidents; no non-compliances</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Received and noted</b></p> <p>Complaints</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enquiry about fall out on vehicles – Warrawong – iron oxide – coming from a grinding process</li> <li>• Enquiry re new LED lighting outside of BSL IDC building shining through to residents housing – change of position</li> <li>• Enquiry re Chemical odour – blood and bone on fields</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Received and noted</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Commissioned Greenhouse Gas Improvement program. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Turbo Alternator project taking steam from Coke Oven gas Blast Furnace gas – generate electricity – fire heating purposes – use as much as we can. Surplus of gas – otherwise flared. Commissioned in September. \$2.8M approx payback not paying out in electricity</li> </ul> </li> <li>• General <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Roof space – solar technology – GB – conceptual sense – lots of variation. Actively looking. Wind – looking at.</li> <li>• Stave replacement pushing out to March 19.</li> <li>• Sydney Water – prolonged outage of industrial water supply. 12 months</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Received and noted</b></p>	
6	Other Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• General discussion re Spoil Management Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Questioned them – experiment at this point whether spoil could be transport by rail to Wollongong,</li> <li>○ Spoil to be used – would not be in transit to Wollongong</li> <li>○ No parameters</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Discussion re Gross Pollutant trap (MP) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ MP suggested setting up a meeting with Wollongong Council. Chairman noted it depended where the trap is located. Suggested BSL take lead if on BSL property? Master plan – quite a few years</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Received and noted</b></p> </li> <li>• Discussion re Land/Offices surplus to BSL use. In early stages; available industrial land/office – greater good for region. Some workshops etc already leased to external businesses to BSL. <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Received and noted</b></p> </li> <li>• Inside Industry (AIW) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tour of steelworks – open policy</li> <li>○ Ramp up this service</li> <li>○ Cruise ships</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Received and noted</b></p> </li> <li>• Wollongong City Council Rise and Shine Community Award (WIN sponsor awards) <p>Plaques/certificates to schools and other groups/interests</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Received and noted</b></p> </li> </ul>	
7	Close	5.15 closed	