

BLUESCOPE (BSL) COMMUNITY CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE

Thursday 6 December 2018

Altair Building - Boardroom

4.00 pm – 5.30 pm

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

BlueScope: Dave Bell, Michael Reay, Craig Nealon, Natasha Porteous, Laura Davis

Apologies: Renee Winsor, Bill Wilkins

Observers: Greg Newman (EPA), Glendon Lee (SESIAHS), Renee Winsor (WCC), 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)

Agenda

Item No	Item	Action	Who
1	Welcome and Acknowledgement of Traditional Custodians	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The Chair welcomed attendeesThe Traditional Custodians were acknowledged.	-
2	Apologies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Renee Winsor, Bill Wilkins <p style="text-align: right;">Received and noted</p>	-
3	Disclosures of Pecuniary Interests/ Conflicts of Interest	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Nil	-
4	Previous minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The previous minutes be accepted.<ul style="list-style-type: none">Moved: Dave Bell; Seconded: Mark Peterlin <p style="text-align: right;">Resolved Unanimously</p>	Previous minutes issued

5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Company Update • Environment: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Incidents ○ Enquiries/Complaints ○ Improvements 	<p>Dave Bell provided an update:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overall – operations are going well • Share price dropped – Analysts look at generic spread. Raw material prices going up; scrap and steel prices down. Margin squeeze. • World Domestic market good. Look closer than generically. • Still running operations as fast as we can. • Industrial action still not resolved. • Interest based bargaining session – 3 days. • Iron Chieftan still berthed. • Trainees – cadets 1st/2nd year already • Apprentices – HVTC. Mostly operator area. All apprentices picking up with local contractors. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incidents <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 3 non-compliances ○ No 5 BF baghouse stack – exceedance. ○ No 5 BF baghouse stack – total particle level – exceedance. Installing real-time dust alarms. EPA requested incident report. ○ Cokemaking – Raw gas emission - 1 min 6 secs. Combination of maintenance issue (not solved) and operator pressing wrong button – led to emission. Licence limit – emission must be ignited within 30 seconds. • Enquiries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Since September four odour complaints – Sulphur <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 2 from Farmborough Heights ■ 2 Cringila - Five Islands Road ■ No unusual operations happening at the time. Wind direction/conditions observed. ○ One fallout complaint – Cringila ○ Most others self-reported – Blast Furnace shutting down/starting up ○ Iron Chieftan – still berthed at BlueScope's berth 113. Shipyard in Turkey which has accepted the ship. Expect to leave mid-February. Contractors being engaged to remove sludge. <p style="text-align: right;">Received and Noted</p>	-
6	<p>Progress of Pollution Reduction Projects (related to dust emissions) in the Recycling Area</p>	<p>Natasha provided an overview current work being undertaken</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation on the current pollution reduction projects and the current status. Projects relate to dust management/improvements in the Recycling Area. Also included details on granulated Blast Furnace slag. Further detail on the dust size and health effects of slag particles to be presented at the next meeting. <p style="text-align: right;">Received and Noted</p>	-

7	Community Campus – Briefing	<p>Nicki Sloan provided brief overview of plans for the 'Community Campus'.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First steps of Masterplan of the site • Bringing services into the area for the community • Bringing 'activities' to the area • Flagstaff – Incubator for people with disabilities to start their own business • First Application not accepted as not zoned correctly. • PK Improvement plan fits nicely • Currently looking into available properties in Warrawong for a new community centre. <p style="text-align: right;">Received and Noted</p>	
8	Does BlueScope have a strategic plan for its future land use requirements in PK and Wollongong?	<p>Laura provided an overview of current strategy re BSL land.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary focus for land use in PK is continued steel operations • We are continuing to engage enquiries • No warehouse space left • Steelhaven – leased to new businesses • Biobanking approved at West Dapto site • Storage No 1 steelworks. Boardspectrum <p style="text-align: right;">Received and Noted</p>	
9	BSL Community Involvement Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael and Craig provided an overview of current community involvement (see website) and provided a copy of the BSL Sustainability Report to members. <p style="text-align: right;">Received and Noted</p>	Awareness only
10	Other Business	<p>General discussion re:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Board/Community event at Lindenfels (old GM's residence) • Desert Rose House in Dubai – second this year • Gross Pollutant Trap installation – with the Harbour Environment Group <p style="text-align: right;">Received and Noted</p>	
11	Close	5.08 pm meeting closed	