



General exemption from provisions of regulation 6.34 of the Mines Safety and Inspection Regulations 1995 in respect of the registration of certain classified plant

As I am satisfied that where specific items of Classified Plant have been design reviewed and registered by another Commonwealth, State or Territory authority with responsibility for plant safety, full compliance with the provisions of regulation 6.34 of the Mines Safety and Inspection Regulations 1995 is unnecessary, pursuant to regulation 1.5 of the Mines Safety and Inspection Regulations 1995 I hereby grant a general exemption from the requirement to register such classified plant.

This general exemption applies only to classified plant that:

- Is of a type specified in regulation 6.34(5) of the Mines Safety and Inspection Regulations 1995; and
- Is currently registered by a Commonwealth, State or Territory authority with responsibility for plant safety.

This exemption is subject to the following conditions.

1. Documentary evidence that the classified plant in question is currently registered by a Commonwealth, State or Territory authority with responsibility for plant safety must be provided and attached to the Classified Plant Record Book at the mine for perusal by an inspector at any time; and
2. While the plant is present and in use at the mine the requirements specified in regulation 6.40 of the Mines Safety and Inspection Regulations 1995 are complied with.

This exemption issued under to regulation 1.5 of the Mines Safety and Inspection Regulations 1995 supersedes the general exemptions issued by the State mining engineer on 30 March 1999 and 31 March 2006 related to regulation 6.34 of the Mines Safety and Inspection Regulations 1995 which are hereby revoked.

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