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Sent: Wednesday, 3 November 2010 3:54 PM
To: 'Ian Levy'; 'Tim Callaghan'; Tamara Coyte; Henry Kinstlinger
Subject: FW: Myalla Target Area: Flora and Fauna Habitat Survey
Ian & Tim,

Flora study for Myalla. All clear for work programme.

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From: Philip Milner [mailto:philip.milner@bigpond.com]
Sent: Wednesday, 3 November 2010 1:27 PM
To: Leon Hawker
Subject: Re: Myalla Target Area: Flora and Fauna Habitat Survey

Leon,

this email confirms the results of the botanical and fauna habitat survey undertaken yesterday over your Myalla Target area.

All but one of the areas surveyed across each of the properties were located in arable farmland consisting of crops or improved pasture for cattle.

The only exception was the area around the old HEC quarry where remnant trees of Stringybark Eucalyptus obliqua were present. None of the trees were in an old-growth condition and the original understorey vegetation has been replaced by Blackberry, some Gorse and exotic grassy weeds. The patch does not constitute an area of significant vegetation and has very limited conservation value and provides little fauna habitat.

No remnant indigenous ground stratum vegetation was observed at any of the sites surveyed and on this basis a detailed vegetation report of the Myalla targets surveyed is not considered warranted.

Regards

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