



COMPLAINT AND INCIDENT REGISTER - 2024
Chain Valley Colliery

Last Update: 10/04/2024

Date	Nature of Complaint/Incident	Complaint/Incident Details	Action Taken
Monday, 11 March 2024	Exceedance of EPL 1770 faecal coliform limit in EPA Point 1 discharge sampling	Sampling on 27 February 2024 recorded a concentration of faecal coliforms of 280 CFU/100ml, with EPL 1770 stipulating a 200 CFU/100ml limit.	<p>The exceedance was reported to the NSW Environmental Protection Authority (EPA) and NSW Department of Planning and Environment (DPE).</p> <p>The incident was not considered to have caused material harm or loss to the environment as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Upstream sampling indicated a greater concentration of Faecal Coliform than discharge waters at CVC, downstream and outlet to creek sampling identified a lower concentration of both upstream and EPA Point 1 discharge. • Sources of indicator bacteria were not considered to have been generated due to on-site operations as the sites waste water has been connected to municipal sewer since July 2023. • No clean-up is or was required for the event.