# Independent Expert Scientific Committee on Coal Seam Gas and LARGE Coal Mining DEVELOPMENT

**AGENDA Meeting 5, 16-18 April 2013**

**Old Parliament House, CANBERRA**

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| **Item No** | **Item Title** | **Classification** |
| **1** | **Welcome and Opening Remarks – Attendance & Apologies** | |
| 1.1 | Acknowledgement of Country | Standing item |
| 1.2 | Conflict of Interest | Standing item |
| 1.3 | Confirmation of Agenda | Standing item |
| 1.4 | Action Items | Standing item |
| 1.5 | Confirmation of Out-of-Session Decisions | Standing item |
| 1.6 | Correspondence | 1. Standing item |
| 1.7 | Environmental Scan | 1. Standing item |
| **2** | **Advice on Projects referred by Governments** | |
| 2.1 | The Range Coal Project, QLD, EIA (supplementary) | For decision |
| 2.2 | Foxleigh Coal Mine Extension, QLD, EIA (supplementary) | For decision |
| 2.3 | Cobbora Coal Project, NSW, EIA (draft) | For decision |
| 2.4 | Groundwater dependent ecosystems | For information |
| 2.5 | Request for advice relevant to amendments to the EPBC Act proposed by the Australian Govt | For decision |
| **3** | **Bioregional Assessments** | |
| 3.1 | BRAM - endorsement | For decision |
| 3.2 | BRAM - Products/phases | For discussion |
| 3.3 | BRAM - decision point | For discussion |
| 3.4 | Namoi - update | For information |
| **4** | **Strategic items** | |
| 4.1 | Communications | For decision |
| 4.2 | Implementation of post approval CSG monitoring | For information |
| **5** | **Research** | |
| 5.1 | Research Plan | For discussion |
| 5.2 | Critical Science Review 2 Mining risks to water | For advice |
| **1 cont** | **Standing Items (continued)** | |
| 1.8 | Review of Meeting and Forward Planning Agenda | For discussion |