

**Submission
No 25**

**INQUIRY INTO 2024 ANNUAL REPORT OF THE NET
ZERO COMMISSION**

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Please accept this as a submission on 2024 Net Zero Commission Report

I call on the report to include advise on coal sector target to target emissions in the coal sector with approvals of any new coal expansion paused until advise from NZC has been provided with NZC To provide specific advice and recommendations on all proposed large coal mine expansion in NSW as per s15(3) of the NSW climate change act 2023(net zero future) With a regulatory inclusion to place a duty of care on key planning decision makers to meet 2030 and 2035 climate change targets and restrict downstream emissions under the Climate Change Net Zero Future Act 2023 The NSW government should implement a specific dedicated report from NZC on the risks that coal and gas expansions pose to NSW climate targets completed by 2025

Thanking you for your consideration of this submission