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**INQUIRY INTO 2024 ANNUAL REPORT OF THE NET
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NSW is not on target to make our 2030 carbon reduction targets if we continue to open new and expand current coal mines. We are currently facing a climate emergency and this is reckless and definitely not in the Australian public interest.

We must stop the approval of new mines or the expansion of existing mines. For the sake of our planet and future generations we cannot continue down this path.

Please initiate a dedicated report from the NZC on the risks that coal and gas expansions pose to our NSW emissions targets to be completed by June 2025. In the meantime all approvals of new coal expansions must be halted until such advice has been received from the NZC.