

25/03/2022

Ms Melanie Mitchell  
TAHE Compliance Assessment - Hunter Valley – 2020-21  
Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal  
PO Box K35  
Haymarket Post Shop NSW 1240

**Re: TAHE Compliance Assessment - Hunter Valley – 2020-21**

Dear Ms Mitchell

I refer to the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal's compliance assessment for the five Hunter Valley rail network sectors within the NSW Rail Access Undertaking.

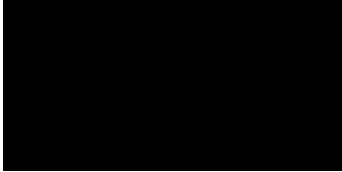
Qube Logistics (Qube) welcomes the opportunity to review the IPART compliance assessment and make a submission.

Qube notes the Tribunal's request for views on promptly returning the long standing 'overs' balance to zero as set out in the undertaking.

As proposed in Qube's response to the 2018-19 and 2019-20 compliance assessment, Qube recommends that TAHE to work with rail operators to efficiently invest the overs balance in network infrastructure to support the movement of coal and general freight along the Main Northern line corridor.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the compliance assessment.

Yours sincerely

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Nicholas Angelos  
National Rail Access Manager