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Glencore achieves certification for Rolleston coal mine rehabilitation

Glencore is very pleased to receive certification from the Queensland Government for the rehabilitation of 220 hectares of previously mined land at its Rolleston Open Cut coal mine in central Queensland. .

This is the second time Glencore coal operations in Queensland have received certification for the quality of their rehabilitation. The Rolleston Open Cut accreditation follows last year's certification of 73ha of rehabilitation at Glencore's Newlands operations, the first time that rehabilitation of coal mine overburden spoil had ever been certified.

Since starting mining operations in 2005, the Rolleston operation has maintained a strong focus on progressively returning mined land to pasture, the agreed post-mining land use.

Rolleston Open Cut has now completed approximately 800ha of rehabilitation (or 8km²) with a further 175ha of rehabilitation scheduled for completion in 2018.

"We set very high standards for rehabilitation across our site and the results reflect a whole of mine involvement in planning and delivery," Rolleston Open Cut Environment & Community Manager, Ken Dixon, said.

"Our people take a lot of pride in the rehabilitation work and this certification is the result of that team effort.

"The area that has been certified complies with conditions for sustainable post-mining use and in coming years will be used for grazing cattle."

Glencore's Queensland Environment & Community Manager, Pieter Swart, said the certification of rehabilitation at Rolleston and Newlands reflected a focus across all of the company's coal operations on rehabilitating and restoring land progressively during a mine's life, as well as when mining activities have ceased.

"We are very pleased to receive certification for our rehabilitation at Rolleston and Newlands," he said.

"In the past five years (2013-2017), our Queensland sites have rehabilitated more than 2,100ha of land, which is equivalent to almost 3,000 rugby league fields."

To see more on Rolleston's rehabilitation work: <http://www.glencore.com.au/en/who-we-are/energy-products/rolleston-open-cut/Pages/default.aspx>

For further information about Glencore's coal mine rehabilitation:
http://www.glencore.com.au/en/who-we-are/energy-products/Documents/GCAA_Rehabilitation-Info_WEB.pdf

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