## Media Release

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## Maules Creek Coal Pty Ltd prosecuted over truck collision

The NSW Resources Regulator has commenced prosecution proceedings against Maules Creek Coal Pty Ltd over a collision involving two trucks at the Maules Creek Mine near Narrabri on 21 April 2018.

The Regulator alleges Maules Creek Coal Pty Ltd contravened Section 32 of the *Work Health and Safety Act 2011*, by failing to comply with a health and safety duty under Section 19 of the Act.

The alleged Category 2 offence has a maximum penalty of \$1.5 million.

The matter is set for mention in the NSW District Court in Sydney on 10 February 2020.

The Regulator's investigation report can be found here

A Resources Regulator animation of the incident is available here

Information about the NSW Resources Regulator can be found here.