

2 July 2021

Mr Nick Wimbush  
Chair of the Fingerboards Mineral Sands Project Inquiry and Advisory  
Committee  
Planning Panels Victoria  
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By email: [Fingerboards.IAC@delwp.vic.gov.au](mailto:Fingerboards.IAC@delwp.vic.gov.au);

Dear Mr Wimbush,

**Fingerboards Mineral Sands Project – updated EMF, mitigation register  
and risk treatment plans**

We continue to act for Kalbar Operations Pty Ltd (**Kalbar**).

Kalbar has been having discussions with Forest, Fire and Regions, Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning (**DELWP**) in relation to the issues raised in DELWP's submission to the Fingerboards Project Inquiry and Advisory Committee on 19 May 2021 (Tabled Document 377).

In the interests of transparency, we enclose a copy of a letter we sent to DELWP on 18 June 2021, together with Attachments 1 and 2 to the letter. We have not included copies of the other attachments for the following reasons:

- Attachment 3 was a version of the draft Incorporated Document that included amendments to address issues raised by DELWP. This version has been superseded by the version filed on 25 June 2021 (Tabled Document 529), which consolidated the amendments with other amendments made to reflect without prejudice discussions Kalbar also had with East Gippsland Shire Council, EPA and the Department of Transport.
- Attachments 4-7 were reports which assess the suitability of four properties in East Gippsland to provide native vegetation offsets. Kalbar is negotiating with the landowners of those properties to buy potential offsets. These reports have not been included for privacy and commercial sensitivity reasons.

Yours sincerely,



**Tim Power**  
Partner



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