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East Gippsland Shire Council
C/- Darren Wong, Planology
Via Email

Dear Mr Wong

Fingerboards Mineral Sands Project: Correspondence of 8 July 2021

Thank you for your correspondence of 8 July 2021 in relation to the publishing of potentially defamatory material.

The Inquiry and Advisory Committee (IAC) has reviewed the material in detail and accepts that Document 516 should be viewed in the same prism as Tabled Document 325, consistent with the legal advice received by the IAC and mentioned in Document 539.

The IAC has consequently removed the Document from the Engage Victoria website and edited the recording for that day that is in the public domain. The original documents and recording will be retained by the IAC and considered in developing its advice to the Minister for Planning, to the extent relevant.

If you have any queries please contact Tom Milverton at Planning Panels Victoria at Fingerboards.IAC@delwp.vic.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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Inquiry and Advisory Committee Chair

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