

Submission Cover Sheet

Fingerboards Mineral Sands Project Inquiry and Advisory
Committee - EES

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Request to be heard?: No

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Organisation:

Affected property: [REDACTED]

Attachment 1:

Attachment 2:

Attachment 3:

Comments: 3 gegalitres p.a. of water may severely compromise the fruit and vegetable growing activities in the Mitchel Valley, the river itself and the Gippsland Lakes. The damage may be irreparable in periods of drought. Accidental or negligent toxic spillage may have further devastating effects upon agriculture and the environment. In creating the necessary infrastructure valuable pasture, roads and existing infrastructure may be damaged. The extra heavy goods traffic will cause considerable inconvenience to residents, local business and traffic on the Princes Hwy. The gigantic tome presented for public scrutiny was full of esoteric jargon designed to baffle the reader not inform him. That said, Kalbar Resources paying for the study and employing the authors themselves casts deep concerns about the integrity of the document i.e. a "Clear Blue Sky" report if not direct lies. I therefore strongly recommend that if this disastrous project is to proceed, every board member, senior executive and major share holder of Kalbar shall share individual responsibility for the completion of remediation to the land and infrastructure at the end of the project, and for any damages awarded during the establishment operational and concluding phases of the project, should the company fail. Respectfully Barrie Tyson Dip.Ed. (Science)