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By Email

To

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FOR THE ATTENTION OF NICK WIMBUSH, CHAIR

Dear Amy

Fingerboards Mineral Sands Project Inquiry and Advisory Committee (IAC)

We continue to act for East Gippsland Shire Council (**Council**) in the above matter.


In accordance with the IAC's consolidated directions dated 19 February 2021, we are instructed as follows:

1. **Direction 3** – Council does not intend to call a witness to give further evidence on the centrifuges. However, Council anticipates that it will be filing at least one further expert report, but will not be calling additional witnesses, in response to the further four expert witness reports filed by the Proponent.
2. **Direction 46** – the 4 days Council originally requested to present its case remains sufficient.

Council foreshadows that it is likely to file a further submission regarding the centrifuges in response to Direction 32 and intends to make submissions on this topic at the hearing.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Yours sincerely



Darren Wong
Principal

