

Contract of Sale of Land

Property: 30 Knott Street, Safety Beach, VIC 3936

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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PURCHASERS – COOLING-OFF

Cooling-off period (Section 31 of the *Sale of Land Act* 1962)

You may end this contract within 3 clear business days of the day that you sign the contract if none of the exceptions listed below applies to you.

You must either give the vendor or the vendor's agent **written** notice that you are ending the contract or leave the notice at the address of the vendor or the vendor's agent to end this contract within this time in accordance with this cooling-off provision.

You are entitled to a refund of all the money you paid EXCEPT for \$100 or 0.2% of the purchase price (whichever is more) if you end the contract in this way.

EXCEPTIONS: the 3-day cooling-off period does not apply if:

- you bought the property at a publicly advertised auction or on the day on which the auction was held; or
- you bought the land within 3 clear business days before a publicly advertised auction was to be held; or
- you bought the land within 3 clear business days after a publicly advertised auction was held; or
- the property is used primarily for industrial or commercial purposes; or
- the property is more than 20 hectares in size and is used primarily for farming; or
- you and the vendor previously signed a contract for the sale of the same land in substantially the same terms; or
- you are an estate agent or a corporate body.

NOTICE TO PURCHASERS OF PROPERTY OFF-THE-PLAN

Off-the-plan sales (Section 9AA(1A) of the *Sale of Land Act* 1962)

You may negotiate with the vendor about the amount of the deposit moneys payable under the contract of sale, up to 10 per cent of the purchase price.

A substantial period of time may elapse between the day on which you sign the contract of sale and the day on which you become the registered proprietor of the lot.

The value of the lot may change between the day on which you sign the contract of sale of that lot and the day on which you become the registered proprietor

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The vendor agrees to sell and the purchaser agrees to buy the property, being the land and the goods, for the price and on the terms set out in this contract.

The terms of this contract are contained in the –

- particulars of sale; and
- special conditions, if any; and
- general conditions (which are in standard form: see general condition 6.1)

in that order of priority.

SIGNING OF THIS CONTRACT

WARNING: THIS IS A LEGALLY BINDING CONTRACT. YOU SHOULD READ THIS CONTRACT BEFORE SIGNING IT.

Purchasers should ensure that they have received a section 32 statement from the vendor before signing this contract. In this contract, "section 32 statement" means the statement required to be given by a vendor under section 32 of the *Sale of Land Act 1962*.

The authority of a person signing –

- under power of attorney; or
 - as director of a corporation; or
 - as agent authorised in writing by one of the parties –
- must be noted beneath the signature.

Any person whose signature is secured by an estate agent acknowledges being given by the agent at the time of signing a copy of the terms of this contract.

SIGNED BY THE PURCHASER:

WHERE SIGNATORY IS AN INDIVIDUAL

SIGNED on/...../.....

for and on behalf of:

.....
Name of individual

.....
Signature of individual

State nature of authority (if applicable):

WHERE SIGNATORY IS AN INDIVIDUAL

SIGNED on/...../.....

for and on behalf of:

.....
Name of individual

.....
Signature of individual

State nature of authority (if applicable):

WHERE SIGNATORY IS A COMPANY

EXECUTED by

ABN:

in accordance with the requirements of s.127

Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:

.....
Name of director

.....
Signature of director

.....
Name of director/secretary

.....
Signature of director/secretary

This offer will lapse unless accepted within ☐ clear business days (3 clear business days if none specified)

In this contract, "business day" has the same meaning as in section 30 of the *Sale of Land Act 1962* (Vic)

SIGNED BY THE VENDOR:

WHERE SIGNATORY IS AN INDIVIDUAL

SIGNED on/...../.....

for and on behalf of:

Ursula Ella Corvan

.....
Name of individual

.....
Signature of individual

State nature of authority (if applicable):

WHERE SIGNATORY IS AN INDIVIDUAL

SIGNED on/...../.....

for and on behalf of:

John Ronan Corvan

.....
Name of individual

.....
Signature of individual

State nature of authority (if applicable):

The **DAY OF SALE** is the date by which both parties have signed this contract.

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Particulars of Sale

Vendor's estate agent

Name: O'Brien Real Estate - Chelsea
Address: 1/463 Nepean Highway, CHELSEA VIC 3196
Email: chelsea@obre.com.au
Tel: (03) 9772 7077 Mob: 0439 394 434 Fax: Ref:

Vendor

Name: Ursula Ella Corvan and John Ronan Corvan
Address:
ABN/ACN:
Email:

Vendor's legal practitioner or conveyancer

Name: Sargeants Bass Coast Conveyancing
Address: Office 1, 2 Carrigg Street DROMANA VIC 3936
Email: mail@sargeantsvic.com.au
Tel: 03 5610 2010 Mob: Fax: Ref: 26089449

Purchaser

Name:
Address:
ABN/ACN:
Email:

Purchaser's legal practitioner or conveyancer

Name:
Address:
Email:
Tel: Mob: Fax: Ref:

Land (general conditions 7 and 13)

The land is described in the table below –

Certificate of Title reference	being lot	on plan
10802 989	1	502406X

If no title or plan references are recorded in the table, the land is as described in the section 32 statement or the register search statement and the document referred to as the diagram location in the register search statement attached to the section 32 statement

The land includes all improvements and fixtures.

Property address

The address of the land is: 30 Knott Street, Safety Beach, VIC 3936

Goods sold with the land (general condition 6.3(f)) *(list or attach schedule)*

All fixed floor coverings, electric light fittings, window furnishings and all fixtures and fittings of a permanent nature

Payment

Price \$ _____
Deposit \$ _____ \$ _____ has been paid)
Balance \$ _____ payable at settlement

Deposit bond

☐ General condition 15 applies only if the box is checked

Bank guarantee

☐ General condition 16 applies only if the box is checked

GST (general condition 19)

Subject to general condition 19.2, the price includes GST (if any), unless the next box is checked

- ☐ GST (if any) must be paid in addition to the price if the box is checked
- ☐ This sale is a sale of land on which a 'farming business' is carried on which the parties consider meets the requirements of section 38-480 of the GST Act if the box is checked
- ☐ This sale is a sale of a 'going concern' if the box is checked
- ☐ The margin scheme will be used to calculate GST if the box is checked

Settlement (general conditions 17 & 26.2)**is due on**

unless the land is a lot on an unregistered plan of subdivision, in which case settlement is due on the later of:

- the above date; and
- the 14th day after the vendor gives notice in writing to the purchaser of registration of the plan of subdivision.

Lease (general condition 5.1)

☐ At settlement the purchaser is entitled to vacant possession of the property unless the box is checked, in which case the property is sold subject to*:

*(*only one of the boxes below should be checked after carefully reading any applicable lease or tenancy document)*

☐ a lease for a term ending on with [] options to renew, each of [] years

OR

☐ a periodic tenancy determinable by notice

Terms contract (general condition 30)

☐ This contract is intended to be a terms contract within the meaning of the *Sale of Land Act 1962* if the box is checked. *(Reference should be made to general condition 30 and any further applicable provisions should be added as special conditions)*

Loan (general condition 20)

☐ This contract is subject to a loan being approved and the following details apply if the box is checked:

Lender: _____

Loan amount: no more than _____ Approval date: _____

Building report

☐ General condition 21 applies only if the box is checked

Pest report

☐ General condition 22 applies only if the box is checked

Special Conditions

Instructions: *It is recommended that when adding special conditions:*

- *each special condition is numbered;*
- *the parties initial each page containing special conditions;*
- *a line is drawn through any blank space remaining on the last page; and*
- *attach additional pages if there is not enough space.*

AS ATTACHED

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. IDENTITY OF THE LAND SOLD

- (a) The purchaser agrees not to make any objection, requisition or claim for compensation for any alleged misdescription of the land or any deficiency in the area or the measurements of the land nor require the vendor to amend the title.
- (b) The purchaser further agrees they will not make an objection, requisition or claim for compensation in relation to the location, nature, state of repair or absence of all or any fences and gates on or adjoining the property or in the event that any of the fences be a give and take fence.

2. GENERAL

(a) Vendor's Statement and Due Diligence Checklist

The purchaser acknowledges that prior to signing this contract or any other documents relating to this sale, the purchaser received from the vendor a Vendor's Statement and a Due Diligence Checklist.

3. COSTS PAYABLE ON DEFAULT

- (a) If the purchaser defaults in payment of any money under the contract, the purchaser agrees that the reasonable costs of each default notice prepared and served on the purchaser, or his representative is of \$550.00 (inclusive of GST). The purchaser is required to pay the costs associated with the default notice to the vendor on settlement as an adjustment.
- (b) The vendor gives notice to the purchaser that in the event that the purchaser fails to complete the purchase of the property on the due date specified in the contract between the vendor and the purchaser ("the contract") for the payment of the residue as defined in the contract ("the due date") or any other date for the payment of the residue, which date shall be deemed to be the due date, as a result of the alteration of the due date as specified in the contract, the vendor will or may suffer the following **reasonably foreseeable losses** and expenses which the purchaser shall be required to pay to the vendor in addition to any interest payable in accordance with the terms of the contract.

All costs associated with obtaining bridging finance to complete the vendor's purchase of another property or business and interest charged on such bridging finance.

Interest payable by the vendor under any existing mortgage over the property sold, calculated from the due date.

Accommodation and additional storage and removal expenses necessarily incurred by the vendor.

Costs and expenses as between vendor's conveyancer and/or solicitor and the vendor.

Penalties, interest, or charges payable by the vendor to any third party as a result of any delay in the completion of the vendor's purchase, whether they are in relation to the purchase of another property, business or any other transaction dependent on the funds from the sale of the property.

all commissions, fees and advertising expenses payable to the vendor's Real Estate Agent.

4. GOODS

- (a) The purchaser acknowledges that he has inspected and satisfied himself to the goods, fittings and appliances (if any) forming part of this contract. The vendor discloses and the purchaser acknowledges and agrees that the vendor gives no warranty as to the state of repair, condition or fitness for purpose of such items.

5. GUARANTEE

- (a) If the purchaser is or includes a corporation, the purchaser must procure the execution of the Guarantee by each of the directors of the corporation immediately upon execution of this contract.

6. NO WARRANTY AS TO USE

- (a) The purchasers must satisfy themselves as to the effect on the property of any environmental planning scheme or other statutory or other requirement. The vendor gives no warranty as to the use of the property by the purchaser or any other party.

7. BUILDING AND GOODS

- (a) The purchaser acknowledges and declares that he has purchased the property as a result of his own inspections and enquiries of the property and all buildings and structures thereon.

8. PURCHASERS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The Purchaser acknowledges, warrants, and agrees that it has taken all action necessary to enable this Contract to be executed.

- (a) any statement, representation, warranty, undertaking, or other provision not expressly set out in this Contract has not been relied upon and will have no force or effect; and
- (b) the claims of the Purchaser against the Vendor related to this Contract, the purchase of the Land, and the related negotiations are intended by the parties to be limited to any statement, representation, warranty, undertaking, or other provision expressly set out in this Contract. Accordingly, the Purchaser releases the Vendor and its advisers from all Claims which it has or may have arising out of the negotiations for and content of this Contract other than as expressly set out in this Contract.

9. AUCTION

If the property is offered for sale by auction, subject to the vendors reserve price, the Rules for the conduct of the auction as set out in the Sale of Land (Public Auction) Regulation 2014, or any rules prescribed by regulation which modify or replace those rules shall apply.

General conditions

Contract signing

1. ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE

- 1.1 In this general condition “**electronic signature**” means a digital signature or a visual representation of a person’s handwritten signature or mark which is placed on a physical or electronic copy of this contract by electronic or mechanical means, and “electronically signed” has a corresponding meaning.
- 1.2 The parties’ consent to this contract being signed by or on behalf of a party by an electronic signature.
- 1.3 Where this contract is electronically signed by or on behalf of a party, the party warrants and agrees that the electronic signature has been used to identify the person signing and to indicate that the party intends to be bound by the electronic signature.
- 1.4 This contract may be electronically signed in any number of counterparts which together will constitute the one document.
- 1.5 Each party consents to the exchange of counterparts of this contract by delivery by email or such other electronic means as may be agreed in writing.
- 1.6 Each party must upon request promptly deliver a physical counterpart of this contract with the handwritten signature or signatures of the party and all written evidence of the authority of a person signing on their behalf, but a failure to comply with the request does not affect the validity of this contract.

2. LIABILITY OF SIGNATORY

Any signatory for a proprietary limited company purchaser is personally liable for the due performance of the purchaser’s obligations as if the signatory were the purchaser in the case of a default by a proprietary limited company purchaser.

3. GUARANTEE

The vendor may require all directors of the purchaser to guarantee the purchaser’s performance of this contract if the purchaser is a proprietary limited company.

4. NOMINEE

The purchaser may no later than 14 days before the due date for settlement nominate a substitute or additional person to take a transfer of the land, but the named purchaser remains personally liable for the due performance of all the purchaser’s obligations under this contract.

Title

5. ENCUMBRANCES

- 5.1 The purchaser buys the property subject to –
 - (a) any encumbrance shown in the section 32 statement other than mortgages or caveats; and
 - (b) any reservations, exceptions and conditions in the crown grant; and
 - (c) any lease or tenancy referred to in the particulars of sale.
- 5.2 The purchaser indemnifies the vendor against all obligations under any lease or tenancy that are to be performed by the landlord after settlement.

6. VENDOR WARRANTIES

- 6.1 The vendor warrants that these general conditions 1 to 35 are identical to the general conditions 1 to 35 in the form of contract of sale of land published by the Law Institute of Victoria Limited and the Real Estate Institute of Victoria Ltd in the month and year set out at the foot of this page.
- 6.2 The warranties in general conditions 6.3 and 6.4 replace the purchaser’s right to make requisitions and inquiries.
- 6.3 The vendor warrants that the vendor –
 - (a) has, or by the due date for settlement will have, the right to sell the land; and
 - (b) is under no legal disability; and
 - (c) is in possession of the land, either personally or through a tenant; and

- (d) has not previously sold or granted any option to purchase, agreed to a lease or granted a pre-emptive right which is current over the land and which gives another party rights which have priority over the interest of the purchaser; and
 - (e) will at settlement be the holder of an unencumbered estate in fee simple in the land; and
 - (f) will at settlement be the unencumbered owner of any improvements, fixtures, fittings and goods sold with the land.
- 6.4 The vendor further warrants that the vendor has no knowledge of any of the following –
- (a) public rights of way over the land;
 - (b) easements over the land;
 - (c) lease or other possessory agreement affecting the land;
 - (d) notice or order directly and currently affecting the land which will not be dealt with at settlement, other than the usual rate notices and any land tax notices;
 - (e) legal proceedings which would render the sale of the land void or voidable or capable of being set aside.
- 6.5 The warranties in general conditions 6.3 and 6.4 are subject to any contrary provisions in this contract and disclosures in the section 32 statement.
- 6.6 If sections 137B and 137C of the *Building Act 1993* (Vic) apply to this contract, the vendor warrants that –
- (a) all domestic building work carried out in relation to the construction by or on behalf of the vendor of the home was carried out in a proper and workmanlike manner; and
 - (b) all materials used in that domestic building work were good and suitable for the purpose for which they were used and that, unless otherwise stated in the contract, those materials were new; and
 - (c) domestic building work was carried out in accordance with all laws and legal requirements, including, without limiting the generality of this warranty, the *Building Act 1993* (Vic) and regulations made under the *Building Act 1993* (Vic).
- 6.7 Words and phrases used in general condition 6.6 which are defined in the *Building Act 1993* (Vic) have the same meaning in general condition 6.6.

7. IDENTITY OF THE LAND

- 7.1 An omission or mistake in the description of the property or any deficiency in the area, description or measurements of the land does not invalidate the sale.
- 7.2 The purchaser may not –
- (a) make any objection or claim for compensation for any alleged misdescription of the property or any deficiency in its area or measurements; or
 - (b) require the vendor to amend title or pay any cost of amending title.

8. SERVICES

- 8.1 The vendor does not represent that the services are adequate for the purchaser's proposed use of the property and the vendor advises the purchaser to make appropriate inquiries. The condition of the services may change between the day of sale and settlement and the vendor does not promise that the services will be in the same condition at settlement as they were on the day of sale.
- 8.2 The purchaser is responsible for the connection of all services to the property after settlement and the payment of any associated cost.

9. CONSENTS

The vendor must obtain any necessary consent or licence required for the vendor to sell the property. The contract will be at an end and all money paid must be refunded if any necessary consent or licence is not obtained by settlement.

10. TRANSFER & DUTY

- 10.1 The purchaser must prepare and deliver to the vendor at least 7 days before the due date for settlement any paper transfer of land document which is necessary for this transaction. The delivery of the transfer of land document is not acceptance of title.
- 10.2 The vendor must promptly initiate the digital duties form or other form required by the State Revenue Office in respect of this transaction, and both parties must co-operate to complete it as soon as practicable.

11. RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST

- 11.1 This general condition applies if any part of the property is subject to a security interest to which the *Personal Property Securities Act 2009* (Cth) applies.

- 11.2 For the purposes of enabling the purchaser to search the Personal Property Securities Register for any security interests affecting any personal property for which the purchaser may be entitled to a release, statement, approval or correction in accordance with general condition 11.4, the purchaser may request the vendor to provide the vendor's date of birth to the purchaser. The vendor must comply with a request made by the purchaser under this condition if the purchaser makes the request at least 21 days before the due date for settlement.
- 11.3 If the purchaser is given the details of the vendor's date of birth under general condition 11.2, the purchaser must –
- (a) only use the vendor's date of birth for the purposes specified in general condition 11.2; and
 - (b) keep the date of birth of the vendor secure and confidential.
- 11.4 The vendor must ensure that at or before settlement, the purchaser receives –
- (a) a release from the secured party releasing the property from the security interest; or
 - (b) a statement in writing in accordance with section 275(1)(b) of the *Personal Property Securities Act 2009* (Cth) setting out that the amount or obligation that is secured is nil at settlement; or
 - (c) a written approval or correction in accordance with section 275(1)(c) of the *Personal Property Securities Act 2009* (Cth) indicating that, on settlement, the personal property included in the contract is not or will not be property in which the security interest is granted.
- 11.5 Subject to general condition 11.6, the vendor is not obliged to ensure that the purchaser receives a release, statement, approval or correction in respect of personal property –
- (a) that –
 - (i) the purchaser intends to use predominantly for personal, domestic or household purposes; and
 - (ii) has a market value of not more than \$5000 or, if a greater amount has been prescribed for the purposes of section 47(1) of the *Personal Property Securities Act 2009* (Cth), not more than that prescribed amount; or
 - (b) that is sold in the ordinary course of the vendor's business of selling personal property of that kind.
- 11.6 The vendor is obliged to ensure that the purchaser receives a release, statement, approval or correction in respect of personal property described in general condition 11.5 if –
- (a) the personal property is of a kind that may or must be described by serial number in the Personal Property Securities Register; or
 - (b) the purchaser has actual or constructive knowledge that the sale constitutes a breach of the security agreement that provides for the security interest.
- 11.7 A release for the purposes of general condition 11.4(a) must be in writing.
- 11.8 A release for the purposes of general condition 11.4(a) must be effective in releasing the goods from the security interest and be in a form which allows the purchaser to take title to the goods free of that security interest.
- 11.9 If the purchaser receives a release under general condition 11.4(a) the purchaser must provide the vendor with a copy of the release at or as soon as practicable after settlement.
- 11.10 In addition to ensuring that a release is received under general condition 11.4(a), the vendor must ensure that at or before settlement the purchaser receives a written undertaking from a secured party to register a financing change statement to reflect that release if the property being released includes goods of a kind that are described by serial number in the Personal Property Securities Register.
- 11.11 At least 21 days before the due date for settlement the purchaser must notify the vendor of any registered security interest which the purchaser reasonably requires to be released.
- 11.12 The vendor may delay settlement until 21 days after the purchaser notifies the vendor of the security interests that the purchaser reasonably requires to be released if the purchaser does not provide a notification under general condition 11.11.
- 11.13 If settlement is delayed under general condition 11.12 the purchaser must pay the vendor –
- (a) interest from the due date for settlement until the date on which settlement occurs or 21 days after the vendor receives the advice, whichever is the earlier; and
 - (b) any reasonable costs incurred by the vendor as a result of the delay – as though the purchaser was in default.
- 11.14 The vendor is not required to ensure that the purchaser receives a release in respect of the land. This general condition 11.14 applies despite general condition 11.1.

11.15 Words and phrases which are defined in the *Personal Property Securities Act 2009* (Cth) have the same meaning in general condition 11 unless the context requires otherwise.

12. DOMESTIC BUILDING INSURANCE

The vendor will provide any current domestic building insurance required pursuant to section 43B of the *Domestic Building Contracts Act 1995* (Vic), in the vendor's possession relating to the property, if requested in writing to do so at least 14 days before settlement.

13. GENERAL LAW LAND

- 13.1 The vendor must complete a conversion of title in accordance with section 14 of the *Transfer of Land Act 1958* (Vic) before settlement if the land is the subject of a provisional folio under section 23 of that Act.
- 13.2 The remaining provisions of this general condition 13 only apply if any part of the land is not under the operation of the *Transfer of Land Act 1958* (Vic).
- 13.3 The vendor is taken to be the holder of an unencumbered estate in fee simple in the land if there is an unbroken chain of title starting at least 30 years before the day of sale proving on the face of the documents the ownership of the entire legal and equitable estate without the aid of other evidence.
- 13.4 The purchaser is entitled to inspect the vendor's chain of title on request at such place in Victoria as the vendor nominates.
- 13.5 The purchaser is taken to have accepted the vendor's title if –
- (a) 21 days have elapsed since the day of sale; and
 - (b) the purchaser has not reasonably objected to the title or reasonably required the vendor to remedy a defect in the title.
- 13.6 The contract will be at an end if –
- (a) the vendor gives the purchaser a notice that the vendor is unable or unwilling to satisfy the purchaser's objection or requirement and that the contract will end if the objection or requirement is not withdrawn within 14 days of the giving of the notice; and
 - (b) the objection or requirement is not withdrawn in that time.
- 13.7 If the contract ends in accordance with general condition 13.6, the deposit must be returned to the purchaser and neither party has a claim against the other in damages.
- 13.8 General condition 17.1 [settlement] should be read as if the reference to 'registered proprietor' is a reference to 'owner' in respect of that part of the land which is not under the operation of the *Transfer of Land Act 1958* (Vic).

Money

14. DEPOSIT

- 14.1 The purchaser must pay the deposit –
- (a) to the vendor's licensed estate agent; or
 - (b) if there is no estate agent, to the vendor's legal practitioner or conveyancer; or
 - (c) if the vendor directs, into a special purpose account in an authorised deposit-taking institution in Victoria specified by the vendor in the joint names of the purchaser and the vendor.
- 14.2 If the land sold is a lot on an unregistered plan of subdivision, the deposit –
- (a) must not exceed 10% of the price; and
 - (b) must be paid to the vendor's estate agent, legal practitioner or conveyancer and held by the estate agent, legal practitioner or conveyancer on trust for the purchaser until the registration of the plan of subdivision.
- 14.3 The stakeholder must pay the deposit and any interest to the party entitled when the deposit is released, the contract is settled, or the contract is ended.
- 14.4 The stakeholder may pay the deposit and any interest into court if it is reasonable to do so.
- 14.5 Where the purchaser is deemed by section 27(7) of the *Sale of Land Act 1962* (Vic) to have given the deposit release authorisation referred to in section 27(1), the purchaser is also deemed to have accepted title in the absence of any prior express objection to title.

- 14.6 Payment of the deposit may be made or tendered –
- (a) in cash up to \$1,000 or 0.2% of the price, whichever is greater; or
 - (b) by cheque drawn on an authorised deposit-taking institution; or
 - (c) by electronic funds transfer to a recipient having the appropriate facilities for receipt.
- However, unless otherwise agreed –
- (d) payment may not be made by credit card, debit card or any other financial transfer system that allows for any chargeback or funds reversal other than for fraud or mistaken payment, and
 - (e) any financial transfer or similar fees or deductions from the funds transferred, other than any fees charged by the recipient's authorised deposit-taking institution, must be paid by the remitter.
- 14.7 Payment by electronic funds transfer is made when cleared funds are received in the recipient's bank account.
- 14.8 Before the funds are electronically transferred the intended recipient must be notified in writing and given sufficient particulars to readily identify the relevant transaction.
- 14.9 As soon as the funds have been electronically transferred the intended recipient must be provided with the relevant transaction number or reference details.
- 14.10 For the purpose of this general condition 'authorised deposit-taking institution' means a body corporate for which an authority under section 9(3) of the *Banking Act 1959* (Cth) is in force.

15. DEPOSIT BOND

- 15.1 This general condition only applies if the applicable box in the particulars of sale is checked.
- 15.2 In this general condition "deposit bond" means an irrevocable undertaking to pay on demand an amount equal to the deposit or any unpaid part of the deposit. The issuer and the form of the deposit bond must be satisfactory to the vendor. The deposit bond must have an expiry date at least 45 days after the due date for settlement.
- 15.3 The purchaser may deliver a deposit bond to the vendor's estate agent, legal practitioner or conveyancer within 7 days after the day of sale.
- 15.4 The purchaser may at least 45 days before a current deposit bond expires deliver a replacement deposit bond on the same terms and conditions.
- 15.5 Where a deposit bond is delivered, the purchaser must pay the deposit to the vendor's legal practitioner or conveyancer on the first to occur of –
- (a) settlement;
 - (b) the date that is 45 days before the deposit bond or any replacement deposit bond expires;
 - (c) the date on which this contract ends in accordance with general condition 35.2 [default not remedied] following breach by the purchaser; and
 - (d) the date on which the vendor ends this contract by accepting repudiation of it by the purchaser.
- 15.6 The vendor may claim on the deposit bond without prior notice if the purchaser defaults under this contract or repudiates this contract and the contract is ended. The amount paid by the issuer satisfies the obligations of the purchaser under general condition 15.5 to the extent of the payment.
- 15.7 Nothing in this general condition limits the rights of the vendor if the purchaser defaults under this contract or repudiates this contract, except as provided in general condition 15.6.
- 15.8 This general condition is subject to general condition 14.2 [deposit].

16. BANK GUARANTEE

- 16.1 This general condition only applies if the applicable box in the particulars of sale is checked.
- 16.2 In this general condition –
- (a) "bank guarantee" means an unconditional and irrevocable guarantee or undertaking by a bank in a form satisfactory to the vendor to pay on demand any amount under this contract agreed in writing, and
 - (b) "bank" means an authorised deposit-taking institution under the *Banking Act 1959* (Cth).
- 16.3 The purchaser may deliver a bank guarantee to the vendor's legal practitioner or conveyancer.
- 16.4 The purchaser must pay the amount secured by the bank guarantee to the vendor's legal practitioner or conveyancer on the first to occur of –

- (a) settlement;
 - (b) the date that is 45 days before the bank guarantee expires;
 - (c) the date on which this contract ends in accordance with general condition 35.2 [default not remedied] following breach by the purchaser; and
 - (d) the date on which the vendor ends this contract by accepting repudiation of it by the purchaser.
- 16.5 The vendor must return the bank guarantee document to the purchaser when the purchaser pays the amount secured by the bank guarantee in accordance with general condition 16.4.
- 16.6 The vendor may claim on the bank guarantee without prior notice if the purchaser defaults under this contract or repudiates this contract and the contract is ended. The amount paid by the bank satisfies the obligations of the purchaser under general condition 16.4 to the extent of the payment.
- 16.7 Nothing in this general condition limits the rights of the vendor if the purchaser defaults under this contract or repudiates this contract except as provided in general condition 16.6.
- 16.8 This general condition is subject to general condition 14.2 [deposit].

17. SETTLEMENT

- 17.1 At settlement –
- (a) the purchaser must pay the balance; and
 - (b) the vendor must –
 - (i) do all things necessary to enable the purchaser to become the registered proprietor of the land; and
 - (ii) give either vacant possession or receipt of rents and profits in accordance with the particulars of sale.
- 17.2 Where settlement is not conducted electronically, settlement must be conducted between the hours of 10.00 am and 4.00 pm unless the parties agree otherwise.
- 17.3 Where settlement is conducted electronically in accordance with the Electronic Conveyancing National Law, settlement must occur during the time available for settlement in the operating time of the settling ELNO.
- 17.4 The purchaser must pay all money other than the deposit in accordance with a written direction of the vendor or the vendor's legal practitioner or conveyancer.

18. ELECTRONIC SETTLEMENT

- 18.1 Settlement and lodgement of the instruments necessary to record the purchaser as registered proprietor of the land will be conducted electronically in accordance with the Electronic Conveyancing National Law. This general condition 18 has priority over any other provision of this contract to the extent of any inconsistency.
- 18.2 A party must immediately give written notice if that party reasonably believes that settlement and lodgement can no longer be conducted electronically. General condition 18 ceases to apply from when such a notice is given.
- 18.3 Each party must –
- (a) be, or engage a representative who is, a subscriber for the purposes of the Electronic Conveyancing National Law;
 - (b) ensure that all other persons for whom that party is responsible and who are associated with this transaction are, or engage, a subscriber for the purposes of the Electronic Conveyancing National Law; and
 - (c) conduct the transaction in accordance with the Electronic Conveyancing National Law.
- 18.4 The vendor must open the electronic workspace ("workspace") as soon as reasonably practicable and nominate a date and time for settlement. The inclusion of a specific date and time for settlement in a workspace is not of itself a promise to settle on that date or at that time. For the purposes of any electronic transactions legislation (only) the workspace is an electronic address for the service of notices and for written communications.
- 18.5 This general condition 18.5 applies if there is more than one electronic lodgement network operator in respect of the transaction. In this general condition 18.5 "the transaction" means this sale and purchase and any associated transaction involving any of the same subscribers.

To the extent that any interoperability rules governing the relationship between electronic lodgement network operators do not provide otherwise –

- (a) the electronic lodgement network operator to conduct all the financial and lodgement aspects of the transaction after the workspace locks must be one which is willing and able to conduct such aspects of the transaction in accordance with the instructions of all the subscribers in the workspaces of all the electronic lodgement network operators after the workspace locks;
 - (b) if two or more electronic lodgement network operators meet that description, one may be selected by purchaser's incoming mortgagee having the highest priority but if there is no mortgagee of the purchaser, the vendor must make the selection.
- 18.6 Settlement occurs when the workspace records that –
- (a) there has been an exchange of funds or value between the exchange settlement account or accounts in the Reserve Bank of Australia of the relevant financial institutions or their financial settlement agents in accordance with the instructions of the parties; or
 - (b) if there is no exchange of funds or value, the documents necessary to enable the purchaser to become registered proprietor of the land have been accepted for electronic lodgement.
- 18.7 The parties must do everything reasonably necessary to effect settlement –
- (a) electronically on the next business day, or
 - (b) at the option of either party, otherwise than electronically as soon as possible –
- if, after the locking of the workspace at the nominated settlement time, settlement in accordance with general condition 18.6 has not occurred during the hours that the settling ELNO operates in the State of Victoria.
- 18.8 Each party must do everything reasonably necessary to assist the other party to trace and identify the recipient of any missing or mistaken payment and to recover the missing or mistaken payment.
- 18.9 The vendor must before settlement –
- (a) deliver any keys, security devices and codes ("keys") to the estate agent named in the contract;
 - (b) direct the estate agent to give the keys to the purchaser or the purchaser's nominee on notification of settlement by the vendor, the vendor's subscriber or the electronic lodgement network operator;
 - (c) deliver all other physical documents and items (other than the goods sold with the land to which the purchaser is entitled at settlement), and any keys if not delivered to the estate agent, to the vendor's subscriber or, if there is no vendor's subscriber, confirm in writing to the purchaser that the vendor holds those documents, items and keys at the vendor's address set out in the contract; and
 - (d) give, or direct its subscriber to give, all those documents and items and any such keys to the purchaser or the purchaser's nominee on notification by the electronic lodgement network operator of settlement.

19. GST

- 19.1 The purchaser does not have to pay the vendor any amount in respect of GST in addition to the price if the particulars of sale specify that the price includes GST (if any).
- 19.2 The purchaser must pay to the vendor any GST payable by the vendor in respect of a taxable supply made under this contract in addition to the price if –
- (a) the particulars of sale specify that GST (if any) must be paid in addition to the price; or
 - (b) GST is payable solely as a result of any action taken or intended to be taken by the purchaser after the day of sale, including a change of use; or
 - (c) the particulars of sale specify that the supply made under this contract is of land on which a 'farming business' is carried on and the supply (or part of it) does not satisfy the requirements of section 38-480 of the GST Act; or
 - (d) the particulars of sale specify that the supply made under this contract is of a going concern and the supply (or a part of it) does not satisfy the requirements of section 38-325 of the GST Act.
- 19.3 The purchaser is not obliged to pay any GST under this contract until a tax invoice has been given to the purchaser, unless the margin scheme applies.
- 19.4 If the particulars of sale specify that the supply made under this contract is of land on which a 'farming business' is carried on –
- (a) the vendor warrants that the property is land on which a farming business has been carried on for the period of 5 years preceding the date of supply; and
 - (b) the purchaser warrants that the purchaser intends that a farming business will be carried on after settlement on the property.
- 19.5 If the particulars of sale specify that the supply made under this contract is a 'going concern':

- (a) the parties agree that this contract is for the supply of a going concern; and
 - (b) the purchaser warrants that the purchaser is, or prior to settlement will be, registered for GST; and
 - (c) the vendor warrants that the vendor will carry on the going concern until the date of supply.
- 19.6 If the particulars of sale specify that the supply made under this contract is a 'margin scheme' supply, the parties agree that the margin scheme applies to this contract.
- 19.7 In these general conditions –
- (a) 'GST Act' means *A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999* (Cth); and
 - (b) 'GST' includes penalties and interest.

20. LOAN

- 20.1 If the particulars of sale specify that this contract is subject to a loan being approved, this contract is subject to the lender approving the loan on the security of the property by the approval date or any later date allowed by the vendor.
- 20.2 The purchaser may end the contract if the loan is not approved by the approval date, but only if the purchaser –
- (a) immediately applied for the loan; and
 - (b) did everything reasonably required to obtain approval of the loan; and
 - (c) serves written notice ending the contract, together with written evidence of rejection or non-approval of the loan, on the vendor within 2 clear business days after the approval date or any later date allowed by the vendor; and,
 - (d) is not in default under any other condition of this contract when the notice is given.
- 20.3 All money must be immediately refunded to the purchaser if the contract is ended.

21. BUILDING REPORT

- 21.1 This general condition only applies if the applicable box in the particulars of sale is checked.
- 21.2 The purchaser may end this contract within 14 days from the day of sale if the purchaser:
- (a) obtains a written report from –
 - (i) a registered building surveyor;
 - (ii) a registered building inspector;
 - (iii) a registered domestic builder; or
 - (iv) an architect,
 which is –
 - (v) prepared in compliance with Australian Standard AS 4349.1-2007;
 - (vi) identifies a current defect in a structure on the land; and
 the author states is a major defect.
 - (b) gives the vendor a copy of the report and a written notice ending this contract; and
 - (c) is not then in default.
- 21.3 All money paid must be immediately refunded to the purchaser if the contract ends in accordance with this general condition.
- 21.4 A notice under this general condition may be served on the vendor's legal practitioner, conveyancer or estate agent even if the estate agent's authority has formally expired at the time of service.
- 21.5 The registered building practitioner may inspect the property at any reasonable time for the purpose of preparing the report.

22. PEST REPORT

- 22.1 This general condition only applies if the applicable box in the particulars of sale is checked.
- 22.2 The purchaser may end this contract within 14 days from the day of sale if the purchaser –
- (a) obtains a written report from a pest inspector which is prepared in accordance with the relevant Australian Standard approved on behalf of the Council of Standards Australia and which discloses a current pest infestation on the land and designates it as a major infestation affecting the structure of a building on the land;
 - (b) gives the vendor a copy of the report and a written notice ending this contract; and

(c) is not then in default.

- 22.3 All money paid must be immediately refunded to the purchaser if the contract ends in accordance with this general condition.
- 22.4 A notice under this general condition may be served on the vendor's legal practitioner, conveyancer or estate agent even if the estate agent's authority has formally expired at the time of service.
- 22.5 The pest control operator may inspect the property at any reasonable time for the purpose of preparing the report.

23. ADJUSTMENTS

- 23.1 All periodic outgoings payable by the vendor, and any rent and other income received in respect of the property, must be apportioned between the parties on the settlement date and any adjustments paid and received as appropriate.
- 23.2 The periodic outgoings and rent and other income must be apportioned on the basis that the vendor is liable for the periodic outgoings and entitled to the rent and other income up to and including the day of settlement; and
- 23.3 The purchaser must provide copies of all certificates and other information used to calculate the adjustments under general condition 23 if requested by the vendor.
- 23.4 For the purposes of general condition 23, the expression "periodic outgoings" does not include any amounts to which section 10G of the *Sale of Land Act 1962* (Vic) applies.

24. FOREIGN RESIDENT CAPITAL GAINS WITHHOLDING

- 24.1 Words defined or used in Subdivision 14-D of Schedule 1 to the *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth) (Tax Act) have the same meaning in this general condition unless the context requires otherwise.
- 24.2 Every vendor under this contract is a foreign resident for the purposes of this general condition unless the vendor gives the purchaser a clearance certificate issued by the Commissioner under section 14-220 (1) of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act. The specified period in the clearance certificate must include the actual date of settlement.
- 24.3 The remaining provisions of this general condition 24 only apply if the purchaser is required to pay the Commissioner an amount in accordance with section 14-200(3) or section 14-235 of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act ("the amount") because one or more of the vendors is a foreign resident, the property has or will have a market value not less than the amount set out in section 14-215 of the legislation just after the transaction, and the transaction is not excluded under section 14-215(1) of the legislation.
- 24.4 The amount is to be deducted from the vendor's entitlement to the contract consideration. The vendor must pay to the purchaser at settlement such part of the amount as is represented by non-monetary consideration.
- 24.5 The purchaser must –
 - (a) engage a legal practitioner or conveyancer ("representative") to conduct all the legal aspects of settlement, including the performance of the purchaser's obligations under the legislation and this general condition; and
 - (b) ensure that the representative does so.
- 24.6 The terms of the representative's engagement are taken to include instructions to have regard to the vendor's interests and instructions that the representative must –
 - (a) pay, or ensure payment of, the amount to the Commissioner in the manner required by the Commissioner and as soon as reasonably and practicably possible, from moneys under the control or direction of the representative in accordance with this general condition if the sale of the property settles;
 - (b) promptly provide the vendor with proof of payment; and
 - (c) otherwise comply, or ensure compliance, with this general condition;despite –
 - (d) any contrary instructions, other than from both the purchaser and the vendor; and
 - (e) any other provision in this contract to the contrary.
- 24.7 The representative is taken to have complied with the requirements of general condition 24.6 if –
 - (a) the settlement is conducted through an electronic lodgement network; and

- (b) the amount is included in the settlement statement requiring payment to the Commissioner in respect of this transaction.
- 24.8 Any clearance certificate or document evidencing variation of the amount in accordance with section 14-235(2) of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act must be given to the purchaser at least 5 business days before the due date for settlement.
- 24.9 The vendor must provide the purchaser with such information as the purchaser requires to comply with the purchaser's obligation to pay the amount in accordance with section 14-200 of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act. The information must be provided within 5 business days of request by the purchaser. The vendor warrants that the information the vendor provides is true and correct.
- 24.10 The purchaser is responsible for any penalties or interest payable to the Commissioner on account of late payment of the amount.

25. GST WITHHOLDING

- 25.1 Words and expressions defined or used in Subdivision 14-E of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act or in the GST Act have the same meaning in this general condition unless the context requires otherwise. Words and expressions first used in this general condition and shown in italics and marked with an asterisk are defined or described in at least one of those Acts.
- 25.2 The purchaser must notify the vendor in writing of the name of the recipient of the *supply for the purposes of section 14-255 of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act at least 21 days before the due date for settlement unless the recipient is the purchaser named in the contract.
- 25.3 The vendor must, at least 14 days before the due date for settlement, provide the purchaser and any person nominated by the purchaser under general condition 4 with a GST withholding notice in accordance with section 14-255 of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act, and must provide all information required by the purchaser or any person so nominated to confirm the accuracy of the notice.
- 25.4 The remaining provisions of this general condition 25 apply if the purchaser is or may be required to pay the Commissioner an *amount in accordance with section 14-250 of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act because the property is *new residential premises or *potential residential land in either case falling within the parameters of that section, and also if the sale attracts the operation of section 14-255 of the Tax Act. Nothing in this general condition 25 is to be taken as relieving the vendor from compliance with section 14-255.
- 25.5 The amount is to be deducted from the vendor's entitlement to the contract *consideration and is then taken to be paid to the vendor, whether or not the vendor provides the purchaser with a GST withholding notice in accordance with section 14-255 of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act. The vendor must pay to the purchaser at settlement such part of the amount as is represented by non-monetary consideration.
- 25.6 The purchaser must –
 - (a) engage a legal practitioner or conveyancer ("representative") to conduct all the legal aspects of settlement, including the performance of the purchaser's obligations under the legislation and this general condition; and
 - (b) ensure that the representative does so.
- 25.7 The terms of the representative's engagement are taken to include instructions to have regard to the vendor's interests relating to the payment of the amount to the Commissioner and instructions that the representative must –
 - (a) pay, or ensure payment of, the amount to the Commissioner in the manner required by the Commissioner and as soon as reasonably and practicably possible, from moneys under the control or direction of the representative in accordance with this general condition on settlement of the sale of the property;
 - (b) promptly provide the vendor with evidence of payment, including any notification or other document provided by the purchaser to the Commissioner relating to payment; and
 - (c) otherwise comply, or ensure compliance, with this general condition;
 despite –
 - (d) any contrary instructions, other than from both the purchaser and the vendor; and
 - (e) any other provision in this contract to the contrary.
- 25.8 The representative is taken to have complied with the requirements of general condition 25.7 if –
 - (a) settlement is conducted through an electronic lodgement network; and

- (b) the amount is included in the settlement statement requiring payment to the Commissioner in respect of this transaction.
- 25.9 The purchaser may at settlement give the vendor a bank cheque for the amount in accordance with section 16-30 (3) of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act, but only if –
- (a) so agreed by the vendor in writing; and
 - (b) the settlement is not conducted through an electronic lodgement network.
- However, if the purchaser gives the bank cheque in accordance with this general condition 25.9, the vendor must –
- (c) immediately after settlement provide the bank cheque to the Commissioner to pay the amount in relation to the supply; and
 - (d) give the purchaser a receipt for the bank cheque which identifies the transaction and includes particulars of the bank cheque, at the same time the purchaser gives the vendor the bank cheque.
- 25.10 A party must provide the other party with such information as the other party requires to –
- (a) decide if an amount is required to be paid or the quantum of it, or
 - (b) comply with the purchaser's obligation to pay the amount,
- in accordance with section 14-250 of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act. The information must be provided within 5 business days of a written request. The party providing the information warrants that it is true and correct.
- 25.11 The vendor warrants that –
- (a) at settlement, the property is not new residential premises or potential residential land in either case falling within the parameters of section 14-250 of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act if the vendor gives the purchaser a written notice under section 14-255 to the effect that the purchaser will not be required to make a payment under section 14-250 in respect of the supply, or fails to give a written notice as required by and within the time specified in section 14-255; and
 - (b) the amount described in a written notice given by the vendor to the purchaser under section 14-255 of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act is the correct amount required to be paid under section 14-250 of the legislation.
- 25.12 The purchaser is responsible for any penalties or interest payable to the Commissioner on account of non-payment or late payment of the amount, except to the extent that –
- (a) the penalties or interest arise from any failure on the part of the vendor, including breach of a warranty in general condition 25.11; or
 - (b) the purchaser has a reasonable belief that the property is neither new residential premises nor potential residential land requiring the purchaser to pay an amount to the Commissioner in accordance with section 14-250(1) of Schedule 1 to the Tax Act.
- The vendor is responsible for any penalties or interest payable to the Commissioner on account of non-payment or late payment of the amount if either exception applies.

Transactional

26. TIME & CO OPERATION

- 26.1 Time is of the essence of this contract.
- 26.2 Time is extended until the next business day if the time for performing any action falls on a day which is not a business day.
- 26.3 Each party must do all things reasonably necessary to enable this contract to proceed to settlement and must act in a prompt and efficient manner.
- 26.4 Any unfulfilled obligation will not merge on settlement.

27. SERVICE

- 27.1 Any document required to be served by or on any party may be served by or on the legal practitioner or conveyancer for that party.
- 27.2 A cooling off notice under section 31 of the *Sale of Land Act 1962* or a notice under general condition 20 [loan approval], 21 [building report] or 22 [pest report] may be served on the vendor's legal practitioner, conveyancer or estate agent even if the estate agent's authority has formally expired at the time of service.
- 27.3 A document is sufficiently served –

- (a) personally; or
- (b) by pre-paid post; or
- (c) in any manner authorised by law or by the Supreme Court for service of documents, including any manner authorised for service on or by a legal practitioner, whether or not the person serving or receiving the document is a legal practitioner; or
- (d) by email.

27.4 Any document properly sent by –

- (a) express post is taken to have been served on the next business day after posting, unless proved otherwise;
- (b) priority post is taken to have been served on the fourth business day after posting, unless proved otherwise;
- (c) regular post is taken to have been served on the sixth business day after posting, unless proved otherwise;
- (d) email is taken to have been served at the time of receipt within the meaning of section 13A of the *Electronic Transactions (Victoria) Act 2000*.

27.5 Any written communication in the workspace of the electronic lodgement network does not constitute service of a notice other than a notice for the purposes of any electronic transactions legislation.

27.6 In this contract 'document' includes 'demand' and 'notice', 'serve' includes 'give', and 'served' and 'service' have corresponding meanings.

28. NOTICES

- 28.1 The vendor is responsible for any notice, order, demand or levy imposing liability on the property that is issued or made before the day of sale and does not relate to periodic outgoings.
- 28.2 The purchaser is responsible for any notice, order, demand or levy imposing liability on the property that is issued or made on or after the day of sale and does not relate to periodic outgoings.
- 28.3 The purchaser may enter the property to comply with that responsibility where action is required before settlement.
- 28.4 General condition 28 does not apply to any amounts to which section 10G or 10H of the *Sale of Land Act 1962* (Vic) applies.

29. INSPECTION

The purchaser and/or another person authorised by the purchaser may inspect the property at any reasonable time during the 7 days preceding and including the settlement day.

30. TERMS CONTRACT

30.1 If this is a 'terms contract' as defined in the *Sale of Land Act 1962* (Vic) –

- (a) any mortgage affecting the land sold must be discharged as to that land before the purchaser becomes entitled to possession or to the receipt of rents and profits unless the vendor satisfies section 29M of the *Sale of Land Act 1962* (Vic); and
- (b) the deposit and all other money payable under the contract (other than any money payable in excess of the amount required to so discharge the mortgage) must be paid to a legal practitioner or conveyancer or a licensed estate agent to be applied in or towards discharging the mortgage.

30.2 While any money remains owing and the purchaser is entitled to possession or receipt of the rents and profits, each of the following applies –

- (a) the purchaser must maintain full damage and destruction insurance of the property and public risk insurance noting all parties having an insurable interest with an insurer approved in writing by the vendor;
- (b) the purchaser must deliver copies of the signed insurance application forms, the policies and the insurance receipts to the vendor not less than 10 days before taking possession of the property or becoming entitled to receipt of the rents and profits;
- (c) the purchaser must deliver copies of any amendments to the policies and the insurance receipts on each amendment or renewal as evidence of the status of the policies from time to time;
- (d) the vendor may pay any renewal premiums or take out the insurance if the purchaser fails to meet these obligations;
- (e) insurance costs paid by the vendor under paragraph (d) must be refunded by the purchaser on demand

without affecting the vendor's other rights under this contract;

- (f) the purchaser must maintain and operate the property in good repair (fair wear and tear excepted) and keep the property safe, lawful, structurally sound, weatherproof and free from contaminations and dangerous substances;
- (g) the property must not be altered in any way without the written consent of the vendor which must not be unreasonably refused or delayed;
- (h) the purchaser must observe all obligations that affect owners or occupiers of land;
- (i) the vendor and/or other person authorised by the vendor may enter the property at any reasonable time to inspect it on giving 7 days written notice, but not more than twice in a year.

31. LOSS OR DAMAGE BEFORE SETTLEMENT

- 31.1 The vendor carries the risk of loss or damage to the property until settlement.
- 31.2 The vendor must deliver the property to the purchaser at settlement in the same condition it was in on the day of sale, except for fair wear and tear.
- 31.3 The purchaser must not delay settlement because one or more of the goods is not in the condition required by general condition 31.2 but may claim compensation from the vendor after settlement.

32. BREACH

A party who breaches this contract must pay to the other party on demand –

- (a) compensation for any reasonably foreseeable loss to the other party resulting from the breach; and
- (b) any interest due under this contract as a result of the breach.

Default

33. INTEREST

Interest at the rate for the time being fixed by section 2 of the *Penalty Interest Rates Act 1983* (Vic) is payable at settlement on any money owing under the contract during the period of default, without affecting any other rights of the offended party.

34. DEFAULT NOTICE

- 34.1 A party is not entitled to exercise any rights arising from the other party's default, other than the right to receive interest and the right to sue for money owing, until the other party is given and fails to comply with a written default notice.
- 34.2 The default notice must –
 - (a) specify the particulars of the default; and
 - (b) state that it is the offended party's intention to exercise the rights arising from the default unless, within 14 days of the notice being given –
 - (i) the default is remedied; and
 - (ii) the reasonable costs incurred as a result of the default and any interest payable are paid.

35. DEFAULT NOT REMEDIED

- 35.1 All unpaid money under the contract becomes immediately payable to the vendor if the default has been made by the purchaser and is not remedied and the costs and interest are not paid.
- 35.2 The contract immediately ends if –
 - (a) the default notice also states that unless the default is remedied and the reasonable costs and interest are paid, the contract will be ended in accordance with this general condition; and
 - (b) the default is not remedied and the reasonable costs and interest are not paid by the end of the period of the default notice.
- 35.3 If the contract ends by a default notice given by the purchaser:
 - (a) the purchaser must be repaid any money paid under the contract and be paid any interest and reasonable costs payable under the contract; and
 - (b) all those amounts are a charge on the land until payment; and
 - (c) the purchaser may also recover any loss otherwise recoverable.

- 35.4 If the contract ends by a default notice given by the vendor or acceptance by the vendor of a repudiation by the purchaser –
- (a) the deposit up to 10% of the price is forfeited to the vendor as the vendor's absolute property, whether the deposit has been paid or not; and
 - (b) the vendor is entitled to possession of the property; and
 - (c) in addition to any other remedy, the vendor may within one year of the contract ending either:
 - (i) retain the property and sue for damages for breach of contract; or
 - (ii) resell the property in any manner and recover any deficiency in the price on the resale and any resulting expenses by way of liquidated damages; and
 - (d) the vendor may retain any part of the price paid until the vendor's damages have been determined and may apply that money towards those damages; and
 - (e) any determination of the vendor's damages must take into account the amount forfeited to the vendor.
- 35.5 The ending of the contract does not affect the rights of the offended party as a consequence of the default.
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being the **Sole Director / Directors** of of
..... (called the "Guarantors") IN

CONSIDERATION of the Vendor selling to the Purchaser at our request the Land described in this Contract of Sale for the price and upon the terms and conditions contained therein **DO** for ourselves and our respective executors and administrators **JOINTLY AND SEVERALLY COVENANT** with the said Vendor and their assigns that if at any time default shall be made in payment of the Deposit Money or residue of Purchase Money or interest or any other moneys payable by the Purchaser to the Vendor under this Contract or in the performance or observance of any term or condition of this Contract to be performed or observed by the Purchaser I/we will immediately on demand by the Vendor pay to the Vendor the whole of the Deposit Money, residue of Purchase Money, interest or other moneys which shall then be due and payable to the Vendor and indemnify and agree to keep the Vendor indemnified against all loss of Deposit Money, residue of Purchase Money, interest and other moneys payable under the within Contract and all losses, costs, charges and expenses whatsoever which the Vendor may incur by reason of any default on the part of the Purchaser. This Guarantee shall be a continuing Guarantee and Indemnity and shall not be released by: -

- (a) any neglect or forbearance on the part of the Vendor in enforcing payment of any of the moneys payable under the within Contract;
- (b) the performance or observance of any of the agreements, obligations or conditions under the within Contract;
- (c) by time given to the Purchaser for any such payment performance or observance;
- (d) by reason of the Vendor assigning his, her or their rights under the said Contract; and
- (e) by any other thing which under the law relating to sureties would but for this provision have the effect of releasing me/us, my/our executors or administrators.

IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have set their hands and seals

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SECTION 32 STATEMENT

VENDOR: Ursula Ella Corvan and John Ronan Corvan

STREET ADDRESS: 30 Knott Street, Safety Beach VIC 3936

LAND BEING SOLD: The land which is presently fenced and/or occupied by the Vendor and contained only within the land described as Certificate of Title Volume 10802 Folio 989

IMPORTANT NOTICES TO PURCHASERS

The vendor makes this statement in respect of the land in accordance with Section 32 of the *Sale of Land Act* 1962. The statement must be signed by the vendor either personally or by his electronic signature.

FINANCIAL MATTERS

Particulars of any rates, taxes, charges or other similar outgoings (and any interest on them) including any water usage, sewerage disposal charges or other charges based on a user pay system.

- (a) Their total does not exceed **\$4,500.00**
- (b) There are NO amounts for which the purchaser may become liable as a consequence of the sale of which the vendor might reasonably be expected to have knowledge, which are not included in the above amount.
- (c) Particulars of any charge (whether registered or not) over the land imposed by or under an Act to secure an amount due under that Act, including the amount owing under that charge are as follows: - The purchaser may be responsible for land tax upon the property as the result of the purchase.

INSURANCE

Damage or Destruction

The property remains at the risk of the vendor until the purchaser becomes entitled to possession or receipt of the rents and profits.

Owner Builder

Where there is a residence on the land which was constructed within the preceding 6 years and section 137B of the *Building Act* 1993 applies to the residence.

NOT APPLICABLE

LAND USE - RESTRICTIONS

Information concerning any easement, covenant or other similar restriction affecting the land (registered or unregistered)

- (a) Easements affecting the land - as set out in the documents attached (if any)
- (b) Covenants affecting the land - as set out in the documents attached (if any)
- (c) Leases affecting the land - as set out in the documents attached (if any)
- (d) Other similar restrictions affecting the land - as set out in the documents attached (if any)

Particulars of any existing failure to comply with the terms of any Easement, Covenant, Lease or other similar restriction are: **NONE TO THE VENDORS KNOWLEDGE**, however, please note that underground electricity cables, water and gas pipes, sewers or drains may be laid outside registered easements.

ROAD ACCESS

There is access to the property by road

BUSHFIRE - PRONE AREA

- (1) The property is in a bushfire prone area within the meaning of the Regulations made under the *Building Act 1993* unless the attached Bushfire Prone Area Report states otherwise.
- (2) If the property is in a designated bushfire prone area the designation will be shown on the attached Bushfire Prone Area Report and special bushfire construction requirements, Planning provisions and Country Fire Authority requirements may apply. However, you should conduct your own due diligence by searching the Victorian Government's Land Channel website.

PLANNING AND ROAD ACCESS - Information concerning any planning instrument -

- (a) Name of planning scheme is: Mornington Peninsula Planning Scheme
- (b) The name of the responsible authority is: Mornington Peninsula Shire Council
- (c) The zoning of the land is: General Residential
- (d) The name of any planning overlay affecting the land: Design and Development Overlay; Vegetation Protection Overlay

Overlays - Landslip - Vegetation - Mining - or other General information - **AS ATTACHED** (if any)

The Land may have been declared by a relevant authority to be in an area which is liable to flooding, mine subsidence, land slip or pest infestation.

NOTICES - Particulars of any notice, order, declaration, report, recommendation of a public authority or government department or approved proposal directly and currently affecting the land, being a notice, order, declaration, report, recommendation or approved proposal of which the vendor might reasonably be expected to have knowledge.

- (a) Any notice affecting the Owners Corporation and any liabilities (whether contingent, proposed or otherwise) where the property is in a subdivision that includes common property including any relating to the undertaking of repairs to the property.
- (b) Any Quarantine or stock order imposed under the Stock Disease Act 1968 (whether or not the Quarantine Order is still in force).
- (c) Agricultural chemicals
Particulars of any notices, property management plans, reports or orders in respect of the land issued by a government department or public authority in relation to livestock disease or contamination by agricultural chemicals affecting the ongoing use of the land for agricultural purposes and any land use restriction notice given in relation to the land under the Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Act 1992
- (d) Particulars of any mining licence granted under the Mineral Resources Development Act 1990.
- (e) Compulsory acquisition
Particulars of any notice of intention to acquire served pursuant to Section 6 of *the Land Acquisition and Compensation Act 1986*.
- (f) Notice issued by the Environment Protection Authority
- (g) Any notice or order pursuant to the Domestic Building Contracts and Tribunal Act 1995.

NONE TO THE VENDORS KNOWLEDGE save as disclosed herein or in any Owners Corporation Certificate.

The land is in a Municipal District specified by the Minister administering the Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) Act 1990.

Particulars of any Mining Licences affecting the land are as follows: - NOT APPLICABLE.

BUILDING APPROVALS

Particulars of any building permit issued under the *Building Act 1993* in the preceding 7 years

NO SUCH BUILDING PERMIT HAS BEEN ISSUED TO THE VENDORS KNOWLEDGE.

OWNERS CORPORATION

If the land is in a subdivision that has common property and there is thereby an owners corporation within the meaning of the Owners Corporation Act 2006 then included herewith (if they are relevant or available) is a copy of: -

- (a) A current Owners Corporation Certificate issued in respect of the land being sold;
- (b) The Owners Corporation Rules;
- (c) The Minutes of the most recent annual general meeting of the Owners Corporation and all resolutions made at that meeting;
- (d) The most recent accounts and balance sheet of the Owners Corporation and
- (e) A Statement of advice and information for prospective purchasers and lot owners.

NOTE - Not all Owners Corporations carry out all functions so therefore some documents may not be in existence.

GROWTH AREA INFRASTRUCTURE CONTRIBUTION

NOT APPLICABLE

SERVICES - Information concerning the supply of the following services -

THE FOLLOWING SERVICES ARE NOT CONNECTED

Telephone services

THE FOLLOWING SERVICES ARE CONNECTED

Electricity supply, Water supply, Sewerage, Gas supply

Connected indicates that the service is provided by an authority and operating on the day of sale. The purchaser should be aware that the vendor may terminate their account with the service provider before the settlement and the purchaser will have to pay to have the service reconnected.

TITLE

Attached are copies of the following documents:

Registered Title

A Register Search Statement and the document or part of the document referred to as the "diagram location" in that statement which identifies the land and its location.

SUBDIVISION

NOT APPLICABLE

DISCLOSURE OF ENERGY EFFICIENCY INFORMATION

NOT APPLICABLE

DATE OF THIS STATEMENT 11/9/26

Signature of Vendor

Ursula Ella Corvan and John Ronan Corvan

Ursula Corvan 11/9/26

I agree that this Section 32 Statement and the documents herewith (including the Register Search Statement) must be updated at the expiration of six calendar months from the date of the Register Search Statement herewith. I will not hold Sargeants responsible if the Vendors Statement is not so updated or if it is used by any Real Estate Agent other than the one to whom it is first forwarded to by Sargeants.

I confirm that this statement has been printed solely in accordance with my instructions and from the information and documents provided or approved by me and are true and correct. I undertake that I will exercise all possible diligence and provide full and honest disclosure or all relevant information of which I am aware or might reasonably be expected to be aware of. I am aware that Sargeants have only been retained to fill up this document in accordance with my said instructions and the information and documents provided or approved by me. I certify that I am not aware of: - (a) any variation between the land occupied by me and the land described in the Certificate/s of Title. (b) any registered or unregistered encumbrances not disclosed in this document. (c) any failure to obtain any necessary planning, building or other permits. (d) the property being affected by any environmental, Landslip, mining, flooding, fill, latent defects, bushfire attack or historical significance issues. (e) any contingent or proposed liabilities affecting any Owners Corporation including any relating to the undertaking of repairs to the property. (f) my occupation of any adjacent land which is not contained in the land being sold. (g) any buildings erected over any easements (h) any rights over any other land (i.e. a roadway or walkway) other than those disclosed herein and (h) any proposal in relation to any other land which may directly and currently affect the property being sold.

I acknowledge that I have read the statement, all the documents and the representations and warranties given by me in lieu of requisitions and I accept sole responsibility for the accuracy of all the information and documents and for providing or omitting all or any of the information, conditions, Titles, notices or documents including, but without limiting the generality of the foregoing, any information, conditions, Titles or documents required or that later may be deemed to be required by Section 32 of the Sale of Land Act 1996 as amended and/or any other Act or regulation.

INSURANCE

I the vendor undertake to keep the property and all improvements thereon and therein, fully insured for their full replacement value (new for old) until the final settlement of any sale of the property.

PURCHASER'S ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The purchaser hereby acknowledges being given this statement signed by the vendor with all the attached documents and a **DUE DILIGENCE CHECKLIST** before the purchaser signed the contract

DATE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT / /

Signature of Purchaser

NOTICE The vendor gives notice to the purchaser that in the event that the purchaser fails to complete the purchase of the property on the due date specified in the contract between the vendor and the purchaser ("the contract") for the payment of the residue as defined in the contract ("the due date") or any other date for the payment of the residue, which date shall be deemed to be the due date, as a result of the alteration of the due date as specified in the contract, the vendor will or may suffer the following **reasonably foreseeable losses** and expenses which the purchaser shall be required to pay to the vendor in addition to any interest payable in accordance with the terms of the contract.

- (a) All costs associated with obtaining bridging finance to complete the vendor's purchase of another property or business and interest charged on such bridging finance;
- (b) Interest payable by the vendor under any existing mortgage over the property sold, calculated from the due date;
- (c) Accommodation and additional storage and removal expenses necessarily incurred by the vendor;
- (d) Costs and expenses as between vendor's conveyancer and/or solicitor and the vendor.
- (e) Penalties, interest or charges payable by the vendor to any third party as a result of any delay in the completion of the vendor's purchase, whether they are in relation to the purchase of another property, business or any other transaction dependent on the funds from the sale of the property.
- (f) all commissions, fees and advertising expenses payable to the vendor's Real Estate Agent.

REGISTER SEARCH STATEMENT (Title Search) Transfer of Land Act 1958

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LAND DESCRIPTION

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PARENT TITLE Volume 08913 Folio 307
Created by instrument PS502406X 24/05/2004

REGISTERED PROPRIETOR

Estate Fee Simple
Joint Proprietors
JOHN RONAN CORVAN
URSULA ELLA CORVAN both of 30 KNOTT STREET SAFETY BEACH VIC 3936
AJ050122E 04/07/2011

ENCUMBRANCES, CAVEATS AND NOTICES

MORTGAGE AJ050123C 04/07/2011
COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA

Any encumbrances created by Section 98 Transfer of Land Act 1958 or Section 24 Subdivision Act 1988 and any other encumbrances shown or entered on the plan set out under DIAGRAM LOCATION below.

DIAGRAM LOCATION

SEE PS502406X FOR FURTHER DETAILS AND BOUNDARIES

ACTIVITY IN THE LAST 125 DAYS

NIL

-----END OF REGISTER SEARCH STATEMENT-----

Additional information: (not part of the Register Search Statement)

Street Address: 30 KNOTT STREET SAFETY BEACH VIC 3936

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTICES

NIL

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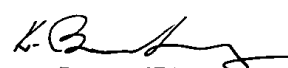
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PLAN OF SUBDIVISION		STAGE No	LTO USE ONLY EDITION 1	PLAN NUMBER PS 502406 X
LOCATION OF LAND PARISH: KANGERONG, JAMIESON'S SPECIAL SURVEY (PT). SECTION: CROWN ALLOTMENT: CROWN PORTION: TITLE REFERENCES: VOL.8913 FOL.307. LAST PLAN REFERENCE/S: LOT 633, L.P.11273. POSTAL ADDRESS: 30 KNOTT STREET, (At time of subdivision) SAFETY BEACH. 3936 AMG Co-ordinates E 325130 (of approx centre of land N 5757700 ZONE: 55 in plan)		COUNCIL CERTIFICATION AND ENDORSEMENT COUNCIL NAME: MORNINGTON PENINSULA. REF: 502/5271 1. This plan is certified under Section 6 of the Subdivision Act 1988. 2. This plan is certified under Section 11(7) of the Subdivision Act 1988. Date of original certification under Section 6: / / 3. This is a statement of compliance issued under Section 21 of the Subdivision Act 1988. OPEN SPACE (i) A requirement for public open space under Section 18 of the Subdivision Act 1988 has/has not been made. (ii) The requirement has been satisfied. (iii) The requirement is to be satisfied in Stage Council Delegate Council Seal Date 21 / 10 / 02 Re-certified under Section 11(7) of the Subdivision Act 1988. Council Delegate Council Seal Date / /		
VESTING OF ROADS AND/OR RESERVES				
IDENTIFIER	COUNCIL/BODY/PERSON			
NIL.	NIL.	NOTATIONS		
		STAGING This is not a staged subdivision. Planning permit No		
		DEPTH LIMITATION DOES NOT APPLY.		
SURVEY: THIS PLAN IS IS NOT BASED ON SURVEY THIS SURVEY HAS BEEN CONNECTED TO PERMANENT MARKS No(s) IN PROCLAIMED SURVEY AREA No.				
EASEMENT INFORMATION				LTO USE ONLY
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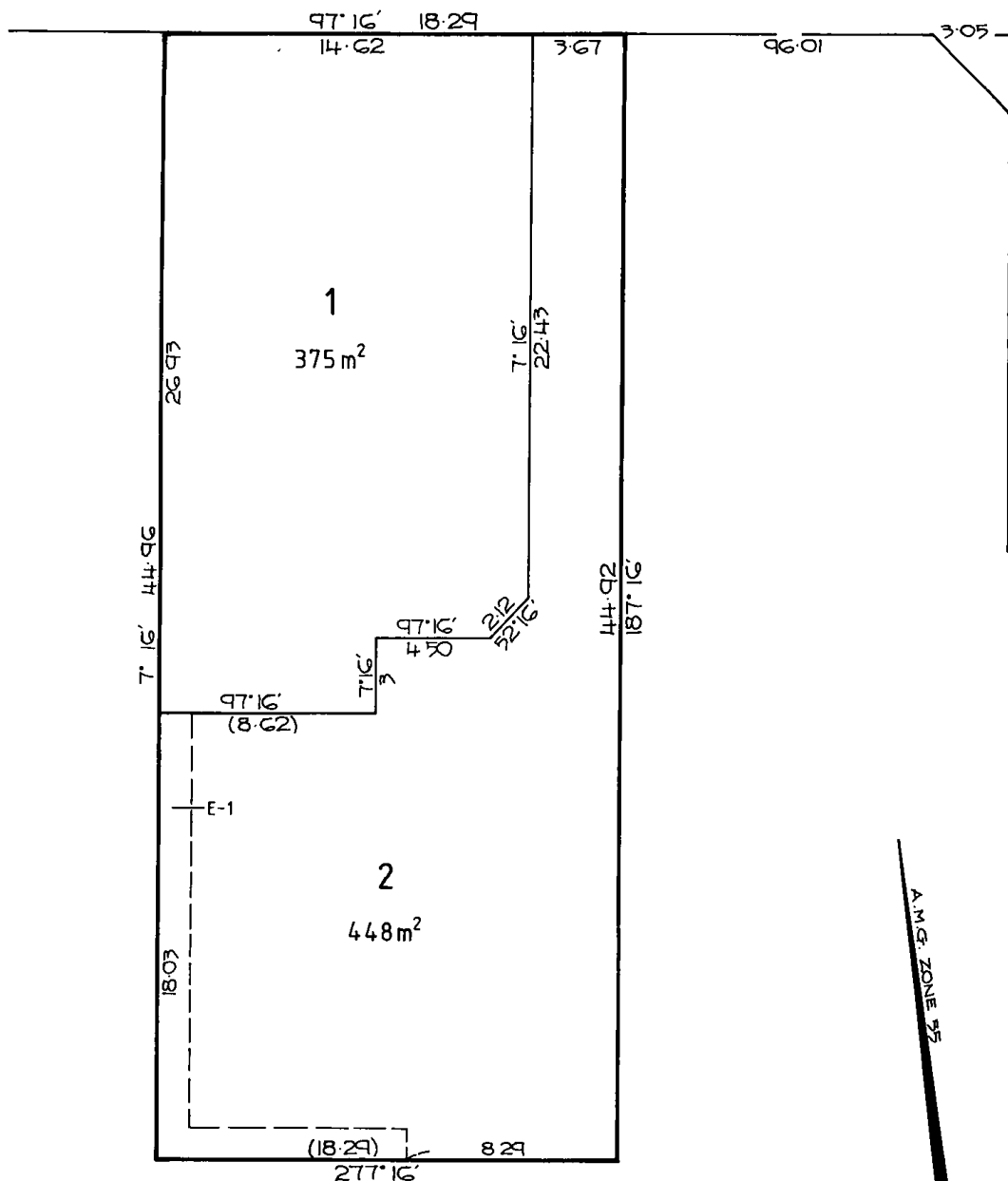
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PROPERTY DETAILS

Address: **30 KNOTT STREET SAFETY BEACH 3936**

Lot and Plan Number: **Lot 1 PS502406**

Standard Parcel Identifier (SPI): **1\PS502406**

Local Government Area (Council): **MORNINGTON PENINSULA**

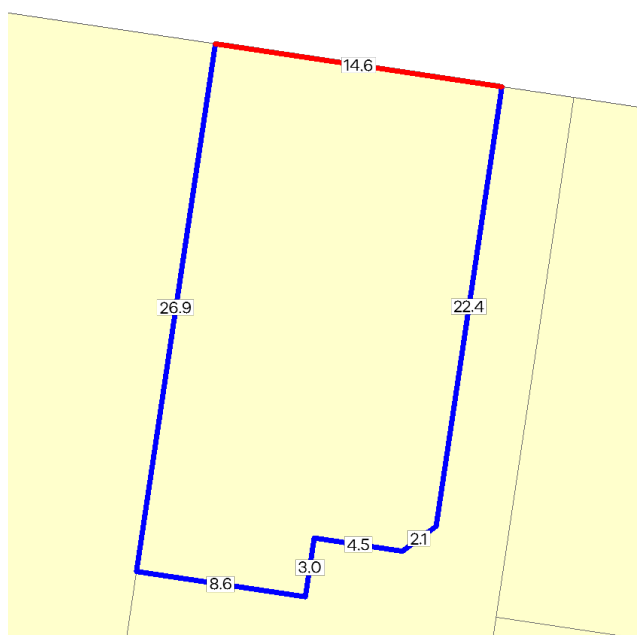
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Directory Reference: **Melway 150 F11**

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SITE DIMENSIONS

All dimensions and areas are approximate. They may not agree with those shown on a title or plan.



Area: 375 sq. m

Perimeter: 82 m

For this property:

— Site boundaries

— Road frontages

Dimensions for individual parcels require a separate search, but dimensions for individual units are generally not available.

Calculating the area from the dimensions shown may give a different value to the area shown above

For more accurate dimensions get copy of plan at

[Title and Property Certificates](#)

UTILITIES

Rural Water Corporation: **Southern Rural Water**

Melbourne Water Retailer: **South East Water**

Melbourne Water: **Inside drainage boundary**

Power Distributor: **UNITED ENERGY**

STATE ELECTORATES

Legislative Council: **EASTERN VICTORIA**

Legislative Assembly: **NEPEAN**

PLANNING INFORMATION

Property Planning details have been removed from the Property Reports to avoid duplication with the Planning Property Reports from the Department of Transport and Planning which are the authoritative source for all Property Planning information.

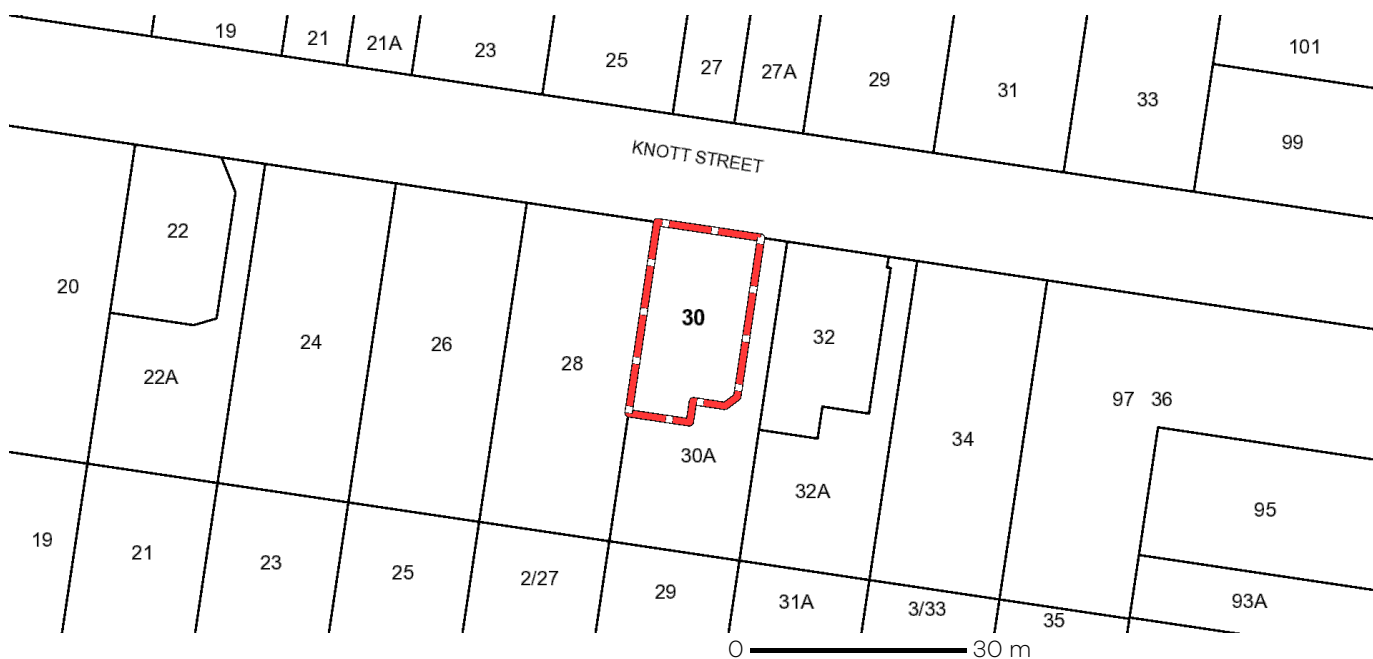
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Area Map



Selected Property

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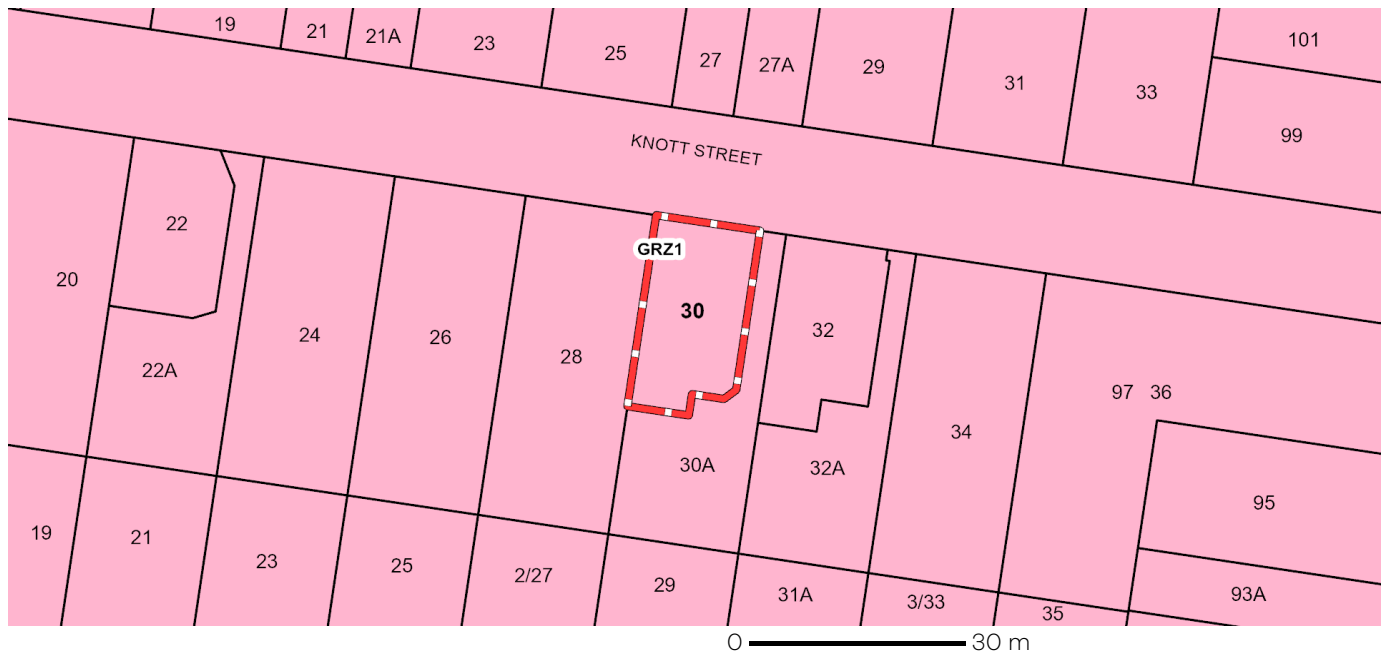
Legislative Council: **EASTERN VICTORIA**
Legislative Assembly: **NEPEAN**
OTHER
Registered Aboriginal Party: **Bunurong Land Council**
Aboriginal Corporation
Fire Authority: **Country Fire Authority**

[View location in VicPlan](#)

Planning Zones

[GENERAL RESIDENTIAL ZONE \(GRZ\)](#)

[GENERAL RESIDENTIAL ZONE - SCHEDULE 1 \(GRZ1\)](#)



GRZ - General Residential

Note: labels for zones may appear outside the actual zone - please compare the labels with the legend.

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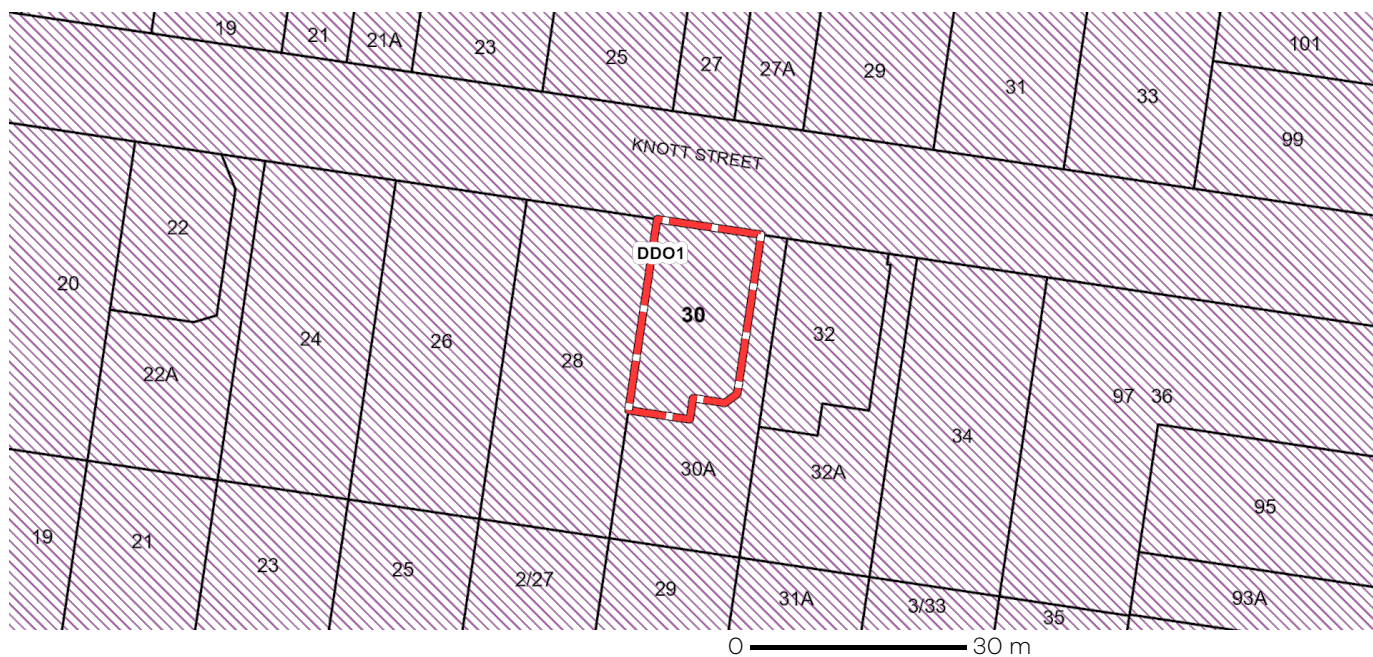
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Notwithstanding this disclaimer, a vendor may rely on the information in this report for the purpose of a statement that land is in a bushfire prone area as required by section 32C (b) of the Sale of Land 1962 (Vic).

Planning Overlays

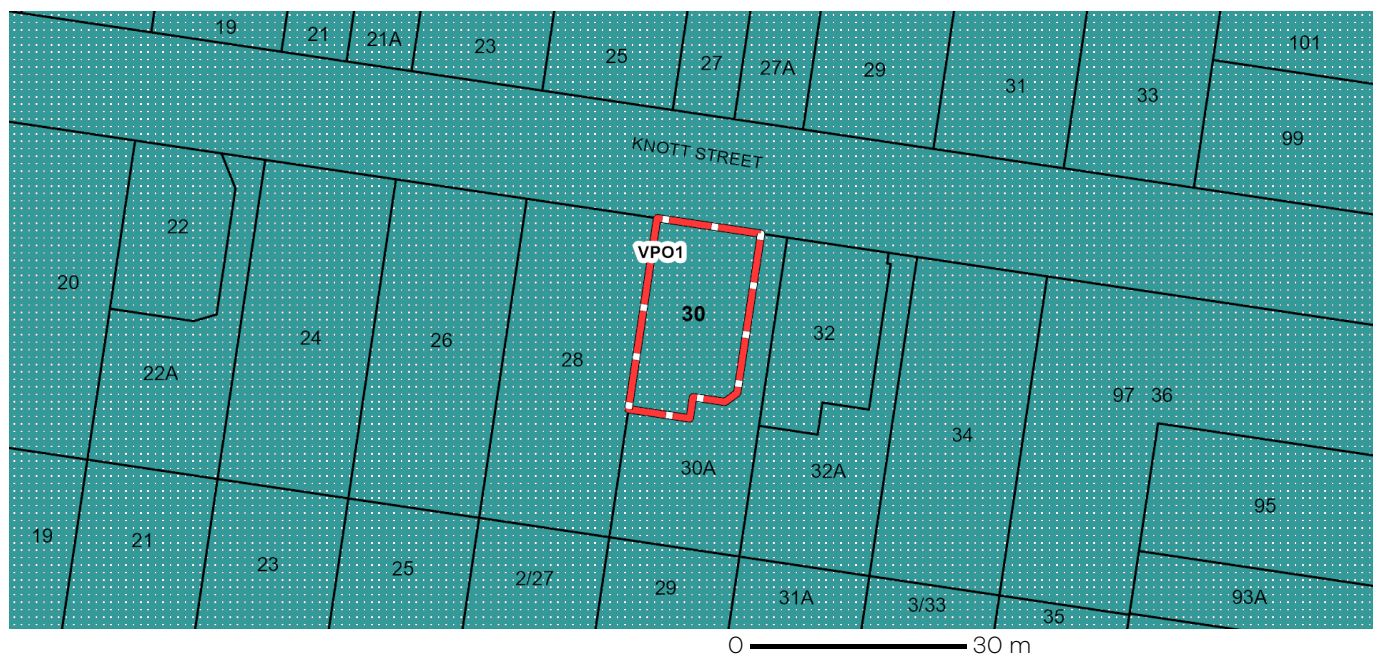
[DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OVERLAY \(DDO\)](#)

[DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OVERLAY - SCHEDULE 1 \(DDO1\)](#)



[VEGETATION PROTECTION OVERLAY \(VPO\)](#)

[VEGETATION PROTECTION OVERLAY - SCHEDULE 1 \(VPO1\)](#)



Further Planning Information

Planning scheme data last updated on 25 August 2026.

A **planning scheme** sets out policies and requirements for the use, development and protection of land. This report provides information about the zone and overlay provisions that apply to the selected land. Information about the State and local policy, particular, general and operational provisions of the local planning scheme that may affect the use of this land can be obtained by contacting the local council or by visiting <https://www.planning.vic.gov.au>

This report is NOT a **Planning Certificate** issued pursuant to Section 199 of the **Planning and Environment Act 1987**. It does not include information about exhibited planning scheme amendments, or zonings that may affect the land. To obtain a Planning Certificate go to Titles and Property Certificates at Landata - <https://www.landata.vic.gov.au>

For details of surrounding properties, use this service to get the Reports for properties of interest.

To view planning zones, overlay and heritage information in an interactive format visit <https://mapshare.vic.gov.au/vicplan/>

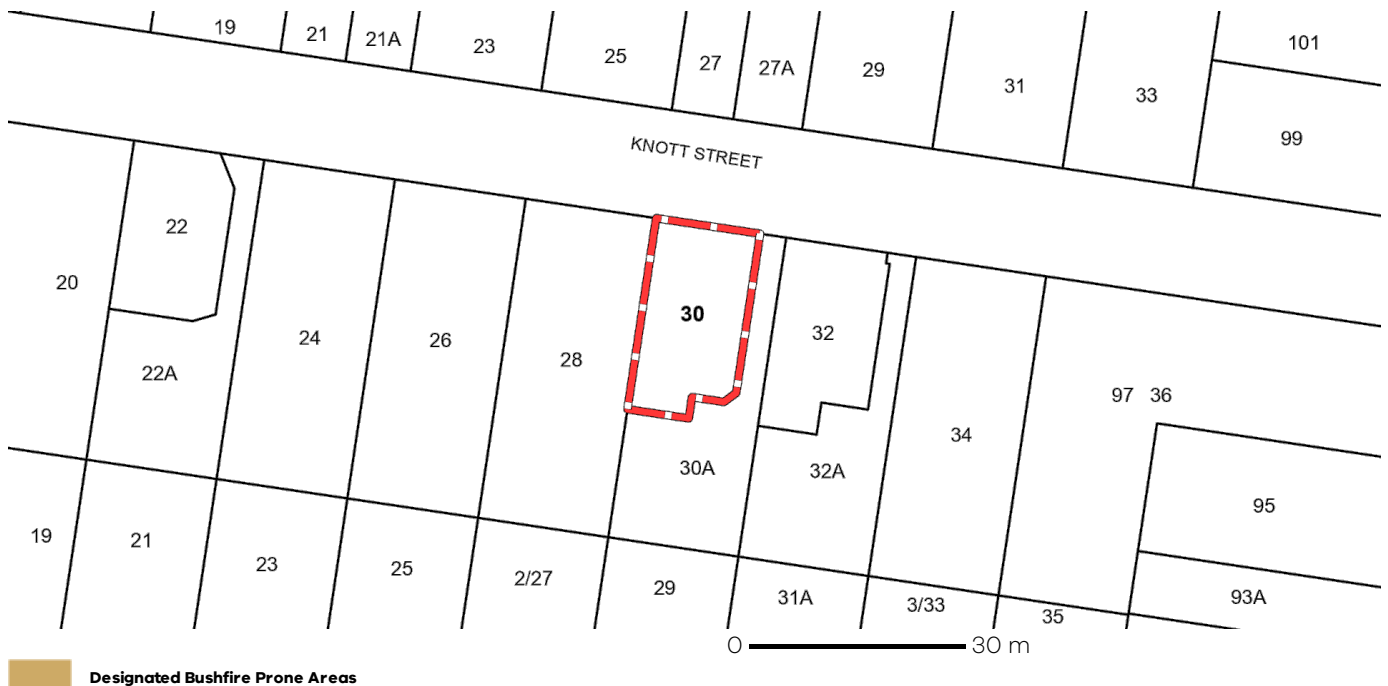
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Designated Bushfire Prone Areas

This property is not in a designated bushfire prone area.
No special bushfire construction requirements apply. Planning provisions may apply.

Where part of the property is mapped as BPA, if no part of the building envelope or footprint falls within the BPA area, the BPA construction requirements do not apply.

Note: the relevant building surveyor determines the need for compliance with the bushfire construction requirements.



Designated BPA are determined by the Minister for Planning following a detailed review process. The Building Regulations 2018, through adoption of the Building Code of Australia, apply bushfire protection standards for building works in designated BPA.

Designated BPA maps can be viewed on VicPlan at <https://mapshare.vic.gov.au/vicplan/> or at the relevant local council.

Create a BPA definition plan in [VicPlan](#) to measure the BPA.

Information for lot owners building in the BPA is available at <https://www.planning.vic.gov.au>.

Further information about the building control system and building in bushfire prone areas can be found on the Victorian Building Authority website <https://www.vba.vic.gov.au>. Copies of the Building Act and Building Regulations are available from <http://www.legislation.vic.gov.au>. For Planning Scheme Provisions in bushfire areas visit <https://www.planning.vic.gov.au>.

Native Vegetation

Native plants that are indigenous to Victoria and important for biodiversity might be present on this property. This could include trees, shrubs, herbs, grasses or aquatic plants. There are a range of regulations that may apply including need to obtain a planning permit under Clause 52.17 of the local planning scheme. For more information see [Native Vegetation \(Clause 52.17\)](#) with local variations in [Native Vegetation \(Clause 52.17\) Schedule](#)

To help identify native vegetation on this property and the application of Clause 52.17 please visit the Native Vegetation Regulations Map (NVR Map) <https://mapshare.vic.gov.au/nvr/> and [Native vegetation \(environment.vic.gov.au\)](https://www.environment.vic.gov.au) or please contact your relevant council.

You can find out more about the natural values on your property through NatureKit [NatureKit \(environment.vic.gov.au\)](https://www.environment.vic.gov.au)

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VC148

DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OVERLAY

Shown on the planning scheme map as **DDO** with a number.

Purpose

To implement the Municipal Planning Strategy and the Planning Policy Framework.

To identify areas which are affected by specific requirements relating to the design and built form of new development.

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VC37

Design objectives

A schedule to this overlay must contain a statement of the design objectives to be achieved for the area affected by the schedule.

43.02-2
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VC307

Buildings and works

Permit requirement

A permit is required to:

- Construct a building or construct or carry out works. This does not apply:
 - If a schedule to this overlay specifically states that a permit is not required.
 - To the construction of an outdoor swimming pool associated with a dwelling unless a specific requirement for this matter is specified in a schedule to this overlay.
 - To the construction of a building or construction or carrying out of works for a small second dwelling if all the following requirements are met:
 - The building height must not exceed 5 metres.
 - The building must be finished using muted tones and colours.
- Construct a fence if specified in a schedule to this overlay.

Buildings and works must be constructed in accordance with any requirements in a schedule to this overlay. A schedule may include requirements relating to:

- Building setbacks.
- Building height.
- Plot ratio.
- Landscaping.
- Any other requirements relating to the design or built form of new development.

A permit may be granted to construct a building or construct or carry out works which are not in accordance with any requirement in a schedule to this overlay, unless the schedule specifies otherwise.

VicSmart applications

Subject to Clause 71.06, an application under this clause for a development specified in Column 1 is a class of VicSmart application and must be assessed against the provision specified in Column 2.

Class of application	Provision
Construct a fence.	Clause 59.05

Class of application	Provision
Construct a building or construct or carry out works for: ▪ A carport, garage, pergola, verandah, deck, shed or similar structure. ▪ An outdoor swimming pool. The buildings and works must be associated with a dwelling.	Clause 59.05
Construct a building or construct or carry out works with an estimated cost of up to \$1,400,000 where the land is in an industrial zone.	Clause 59.05
Construct a building or construct or carry out works with an estimated cost of up to \$700,000 where the land is in a commercial zone or a Special Use Zone, Comprehensive Development Zone, Capital City Zone, Docklands Zone, Priority Development Zone, Activity Centre Zone or Precinct Zone.	Clause 59.05

Exemption from notice and review

A schedule to this overlay may specify that an application is exempt from the notice requirements of section 52(1)(a), (b) and (d), the decision requirements of section 64(1), (2) and (3) and the review rights of section 82(1) of the Act.

Subdivision

Permit requirement

A permit is required to subdivide land.

This does not apply if a schedule to this overlay specifically states that a permit is not required.

Subdivision must occur in accordance with any lot size or other requirement specified in a schedule to this overlay.

A permit may be granted to subdivide land which is not in accordance with any lot size or other requirement in a schedule to this overlay, unless the schedule specifies otherwise.

VicSmart applications

Subject to Clause 71.06, an application under this clause for a development specified in Column 1 is a class of VicSmart application and must be assessed against the provision specified in Column 2.

Class of application	Provision
Subdivide land to realign the common boundary between two lots where: ▪ The area of either lot is reduced by less than 15 percent. ▪ The general direction of the common boundary does not change.	Clause 59.01
Subdivide land into lots each containing an existing building or car parking space where: ▪ The buildings or car parking spaces have been constructed in accordance with the provisions of this scheme or a permit issued under this scheme. ▪ An occupancy permit or a certificate of final inspection has been issued under the Building Regulations in relation to the buildings within five years prior to the application for a permit for subdivision.	Clause 59.02

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VC288

Class of application	Provision
Subdivide land into two lots if:	Clause 59.02
▪ The construction of a building or the construction or carrying out of works on the land: – Has been approved under this scheme or by a permit issued under this scheme and the permit has not expired. – Has started lawfully. ▪ The subdivision does not create a vacant lot.	
Subdivide land into two lots if:	Clause 59.02
▪ A permit has been issued under a provision of a residential zone to construct up to two dwellings on the land and the permit has not expired. ▪ Each lot will contain either: – one existing dwelling; or – one dwelling permitted to be constructed in accordance with the permit.	

Exemption from notice and review

A schedule to this overlay may specify that an application is exempt from the notice requirements of section 52(1)(a), (b) and (d), the decision requirements of section 64(1), (2) and (3) and the review rights of section 82(1) of the Act.

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Signs

Sign requirements are at Clause 52.05 unless otherwise specified in a schedule to this overlay.

43.02-5
31/07/2018
VC148

Application requirements

An application must be accompanied by any information specified in a schedule to this overlay.

43.02-6
31/07/2018
VC148

Decision guidelines

Before deciding on an application, in addition to the decision guidelines in Clause 65, the responsible authority must consider, as appropriate:

- The Municipal Planning Strategy and the Planning Policy Framework.
- The design objectives of the relevant schedule to this overlay.
- The provisions of any relevant policies and urban design guidelines.
- Whether the bulk, location and appearance of any proposed buildings and works will be in keeping with the character and appearance of adjacent buildings, the streetscape or the area.
- Whether the design, form, layout, proportion and scale of any proposed buildings and works is compatible with the period, style, form, proportion, and scale of any identified heritage places surrounding the site.
- Whether any proposed landscaping or removal of vegetation will be in keeping with the character and appearance of adjacent buildings, the streetscape or the area.
- The layout and appearance of areas set aside for car parking, access and egress, loading and unloading and the location of any proposed off street car parking
- Whether subdivision will result in development which is not in keeping with the character and appearance of adjacent buildings, the streetscape or the area.
- Any other matters specified in a schedule to this overlay.

SCHEDULE 1 TO CLAUSE 43.02 DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OVERLAY

Shown on the planning scheme map as **DDO1**.

TOWNSHIP DESIGN**1.0**22/07/2021
C255morn**Design objectives**

To ensure that new development has proper regard for the established streetscape and development pattern in terms of building height, scale and siting.

To protect shared viewlines where reasonable and practical.

To ensure that buildings are designed and sited to avoid being visually obtrusive, particularly in terms of creating a silhouette above a skyline or existing tree canopy line when viewed from surrounding streets and properties.

To ensure that subdivision proposals will enable new buildings to be integrated with their site and the surrounding area in terms of the relationship to existing buildings, open space areas and the coastal landscape.

To ensure that subdivision and development proposals have proper regard to heritage values, including those of adjoining foreshore areas.

To ensure that buildings do not encroach visually on foreshore areas or main roads.

To ensure that the traffic generated by medium density residential development does not detrimentally affect the safety, efficiency or amenity of existing residential streets or main roads.

To indicate residential areas adjacent to the foreshore and commercial centres of Rosebud and Dromana that will provide for a range of medium density residential living in conjunction with a limited range of service and leisure based commercial uses.

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C255morn**Buildings and works****No permit required**

A permit is not required to construct a building or construct or carry out works for any of the following, but only if the General requirements set out in this schedule are met.

- A single dwelling on a lot. This does not include a dwelling on a lot that adjoins Point Nepean Road.
- A dependent person's unit.

Note: The Mandatory requirements of this schedule also apply.

Permit required

An application to construct a building or construct or carry out works should meet the General requirements of this schedule.

Note: The Mandatory requirements of this schedule also apply.

In the General Residential Zone or Neighbourhood Residential Zone, an application to construct a building or construct or carry out works associated with one dwelling on a lot:

- Must comply with Clause 54.01.
- Must meet all of the objectives and should meet all of the standards of Clause 54.02, 54.03-3, 54.03-4, 54.03-5, 54.03-6, 54.03-7; 54.04-2; 54.04-3, 54.04-4, 54.04-5, 54.04-6, 54.05, 54.06-1.
- Must meet the objectives of Clauses 54.03-1, 54.03-2 and 54.04-1.

General requirements

- Buildings must be set back at least 10 metres from a Public Park and Recreation Zone, Public Conservation and Resource Zone or the Nepean Highway and the first 5 metres must be landscaped to the satisfaction of the responsible authority.
- No building may exceed a wall height of 5.5 metres or a building height of 6 metres.

- The difference between finished ground level and natural ground level as a result of excavation and filling must not exceed one metre, except for the purpose of constructing an in ground swimming pool, and all works must be properly battered or stabilised.

Mandatory requirements

The following requirements apply, as appropriate, to all buildings and works, whether or not a permit is required.

Maximum building height

A building must have a maximum building height of no more than 10 metres and must contain no more than 2 storeys above natural ground level. This does not apply to any of the following:

- A place of assembly building
- A leisure and recreation building
- A utility installation building
- A hospital
- An education centre
- A building that complies with height provisions specified in a plan approved under a schedule to the Development Plan Overlay.
- Alteration to or extension of a lawfully existing building but only if all of the following requirements are met:
 - The existing building has a building height of more than 8 metres or contains 3 or more storeys above natural ground level.
 - The maximum building height of the existing building is not exceeded.
 - The external bulk of the existing building is not significantly increased.
 - The footprint of the upper storey, existing at the approval date, is not increased by more than 10 per cent.

These requirements cannot be varied with a permit.

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Subdivision

None specified.

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Signs

None specified.

5.0
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Application requirements

None specified.

6.0
22/07/2021
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Decision guidelines

The following decision guidelines apply to an application for a permit under Clause 43.02, in addition to those specified in Clause 43.02 and elsewhere in the scheme which must be considered, as appropriate, by the responsible authority:

- The design objectives of this schedule.
- Where an objective has been applied from Clause 54.02 to 54.06, inclusive, the relevant decision guidelines from that Clause.
- Whether any loss of amenity will result from a variation to the requirements of this schedule.
- Any relevant development plan, heritage study, code or policy relating to the protection and development of land in the area.
- Whether opportunities exist to avoid a building being visually obtrusive by the use of alternative building designs, including split level and staggered building forms, that follow the natural slope of the land and reduce the need for site excavation or filling.

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- The effect of any proposed subdivision or development on the environmental and landscape values of site and of the local area, including the effect on streamlines, foreshores, areas of remnant vegetation, areas prone to erosion and on the amenity and accessibility of areas of public open space.
- The need to ensure that the design of development has adequate regard to fire risk and includes appropriate fire protection measures.
- The suitability of each lot to accommodate a dwelling.

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VC148

VEGETATION PROTECTION OVERLAY

Shown on the planning scheme map as **VPO** with a number.

Purpose

To implement the Municipal Planning Strategy and the Planning Policy Framework.

To protect areas of significant vegetation.

To ensure that development minimises loss of vegetation.

To preserve existing trees and other vegetation.

To recognise vegetation protection areas as locations of special significance, natural beauty, interest and importance.

To maintain and enhance habitat and habitat corridors for indigenous fauna.

To encourage the regeneration of native vegetation.

42.02-1
31/07/2018
VC148

Vegetation significance and objectives

A schedule to this overlay must contain:

- A statement of the nature and significance of the vegetation to be protected.
- The vegetation protection objectives to be achieved.

42.02-2
28/10/2022
VC224

Permit requirement

A permit is required to remove, destroy or lop any vegetation specified in a schedule to this overlay.

This does not apply:

- If the table to Clause 42.02-3 specifically states that a permit is not required.
- To the removal, destruction or lopping of native vegetation in accordance with a native vegetation precinct plan specified in the schedule to Clause 52.16.

VicSmart applications

Subject to Clause 71.06, an application under this clause for a development specified in Column 1 is a class of VicSmart application and must be assessed against the provision specified in Column 2.

Class of application	Information requirements and decision guidelines
Remove, destroy or lop one tree provided:	Clause 59.06
▪ A permit has not been granted for a VicSmart application to remove, destroy or lop a tree on the same land within the last 12 months. ▪ There is no other current VicSmart application to remove, destroy or lop a tree on the same land.	

Table of exemptions

The requirement to obtain a permit does not apply to:	
Emergency works	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped: - in an emergency by, or on behalf of, a public authority or municipal council to create an emergency access or to enable emergency works; or - where it presents an immediate risk of personal injury or damage to property. Only that part of the vegetation that presents the immediate risk may be removed, destroyed or lopped under this exemption.
Extractive industry	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary to enable the carrying out of extractive industry in accordance with a work plan approved under the <i>Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) Act 1990</i> and authorised by a work authority granted under that Act.
Fire protection	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary to enable the carrying out of any of the following fire protection activities: - fire fighting; - planned burning; - making or maintenance of a fuelbreak or fire fighting access track (or any combination thereof) that does not exceed a combined width of 6 metres; - making a strategic fuelbreak up to 40 metres wide by, or on behalf of, a public authority in accordance with a strategic fuelbreak plan approved by the Secretary to the Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning (as constituted under Part 2 of the <i>Conservation, Forests and Lands Act 1987</i>); - is ground fuel within 30 metres of a building and is vegetation other than native vegetation; - in accordance with a fire prevention notice issued under either: - section 87 of the <i>Fire Rescue Victoria Act 1958</i>; - section 65 of the <i>Forests Act 1958</i>; or - section 41 of the <i>Country Fire Authority Act 1958</i>. - keeping vegetation clear of, or minimising risk of bushfire ignition from, an electric line in accordance with a code of practice prepared under Part 8 of the <i>Electricity Safety Act 1998</i>; - minimising the risk to life and property from bushfire on a roadside of a public road managed by the relevant responsible road authority, and carried out by, or on behalf of that authority in accordance with the written agreement of the Secretary to the Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning (as constituted under Part 2 of the <i>Conservation, Forests and Lands Act 1987</i>). In this exemption, roadside, public road and responsible road authority have the same meanings as in section 3 of the <i>Road Management Act 2004</i>. <i>Note: Additional permit exemptions for bushfire protection are provided at Clause 52.12.</i>
Geothermal energy exploration and extraction	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary in accordance with an operation plan approved under the <i>Geothermal Energy Resources Act 2005</i>.
Greenhouse gas sequestration and exploration	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary in accordance with an operation plan approved under the <i>Greenhouse Gas Geological Sequestration Act 2008</i>.

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The requirement to obtain a permit does not apply to:

Land management and directions notice	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary to comply with a land management notice or directions notice served under the <i>Catchment and Land Protection Act 1994</i> .
Land use conditions	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary to comply with a land use condition served under the <i>Catchment and Land Protection Act 1994</i> .
Mineral exploration and extraction	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary by the holder of an exploration, mining, prospecting, or retention licence issued under the <i>Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) Act 1990</i>: ■ that is low impact exploration within the meaning of Schedule 4A of the <i>Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) Act 1990</i> ; or ■ in accordance with a work plan approved under Part 3 of the <i>Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) Act 1990</i> . <i>Note: Schedule 4A of the Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) Act 1990 specifies limits on the extent of native vegetation that may be removed as part of low impact exploration.</i>
Noxious weeds	Vegetation that is a noxious weed subject of a declaration under section 58 or section 58A of the <i>Catchment and Land Protection Act 1994</i> . This exemption does not apply to Australian Dodder (<i>Cuscuta australis</i>).
Pest animal burrows	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary to enable the removal of pest animal burrows. In the case of native vegetation the written agreement of an officer of the department responsible for administering the <i>Flora and Fauna Guarantee Act 1988</i> is required before the vegetation can be removed, destroyed or lopped.
Planted vegetation	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped that was either planted or grown as a result of direct seeding for Crop raising or Grazing animal production.
Railways	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary to maintain the safe and efficient function of an existing railway, or railway access road, in accordance with the written agreement of the Secretary to the Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning (as constituted under Part 2 of the <i>Conservation, Forests and Lands Act 1987</i>).
Regrowth	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped that has naturally established or regenerated on land lawfully cleared of naturally established vegetation, and is: ■ bracken (<i>Pteridium esculentum</i>); or ■ within the boundary of a timber production plantation, as indicated on a Plantation Development Notice or other documented record, and has established after the plantation. This exemption does not apply to land on which vegetation has been destroyed or otherwise damaged as a result of flood, fire or other natural disaster.
Road safety	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary by and on behalf of a public authority or municipal council to maintain the safe and efficient function of an existing public road in accordance with the written agreement of the Secretary to the Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning (as constituted under Part 2 of the <i>Conservation, Forests and Lands Act 1987</i>).

The requirement to obtain a permit does not apply to:

Stone exploration	Vegetation is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary to enable the carrying out of Stone exploration. The maximum extent of vegetation removed, destroyed or lopped under this exemption on contiguous land in the same ownership in a five year period must not exceed any of the following: ▪ 1 hectare of vegetation which does not include a tree. ▪ 15 trees with a trunk diameter of less than 40 centimetres at a height of 1.3 metres above ground level. ▪ 5 trees with a trunk diameter of 40 centimetres or more at a height of 1.3 metres above ground level. This exemption does not apply to costeaning and bulk sampling activities.
Surveying	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary by, or on behalf of, a licenced surveyor (within the meaning of section 3 of the <i>Surveying Act 2004</i>) using hand-held tools to establish a sightline for the measurement of land.
Traditional owners	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped by a person acting under, and in accordance with: ▪ a natural resources agreement under Part 6 of the <i>Traditional Owners Settlement Act 2010</i> ; or ▪ an authorisation order made under sections 82 or 84 of the <i>Traditional Owner Settlement Act 2010</i> as those sections were in force immediately before the commencement of section 24 of the <i>Traditional owners Settlement Amendment Act</i> in 2016 (1 May 2017).
Tram stops	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary by or on behalf of the Head, Transport for Victoria to construct a tram stop, including a tram stop shelter.
Transport land	Vegetation that is to be removed, destroyed or lopped to the minimum extent necessary by or on behalf of the Head, Transport for Victoria on land in a Transport Zone, or in a Public Acquisition Overlay if the Head, Transport for Victoria is the acquiring authority, to construct or maintain transport system infrastructure.

42.02-431/07/2018
VC148**Application requirements**

An application must be accompanied by any information specified in a schedule to this overlay.

42.02-531/07/2018
VC148**Decision guidelines**

Before deciding on an application, in addition to the decision guidelines in Clause 65, the responsible authority must consider, as appropriate:

- The Municipal Planning Strategy and the Planning Policy Framework.
- The statement of the nature and significance of the vegetation to be protected and the vegetation protection objective contained in a schedule to this overlay.
- The effect of the proposed use, building, works or subdivision on the nature and type of vegetation to be protected.
- The role of native vegetation in conserving flora and fauna.
- The need to retain native or other vegetation if it is rare, supports rare species of flora or fauna or forms part of a wildlife corridor.

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- The need to retain vegetation which prevents or limits adverse effects on ground water recharge.
- The need to retain vegetation:
 - Where ground slopes exceed 20 percent.
 - Within 30 metres of a waterway or wetland.
 - On land where the soil or subsoil may become unstable if cleared.
 - On land subject to or which may contribute to soil erosion, slippage or salinisation.
 - In areas where the removal, destruction or lopping of vegetation could adversely affect the integrity or long term preservation of an identified site of scientific, nature conservation or cultural significance.
 - Which is of heritage or cultural significance.
- The need to remove, destroy or lop vegetation to create a defensible space to reduce the risk of bushfire to life and property.
- Any relevant permit to remove, destroy or lop vegetation in accordance with a land management plan or works program.
- Whether the application includes a land management plan or works program.
- Whether provision is made or is to be made to establish and maintain vegetation elsewhere on the land.
- Any other matters specified in a schedule to this overlay.

SCHEDULE 1 TO CLAUSE 42.02 VEGETATION PROTECTION OVERLAY

Shown on the planning scheme map as **VPO1** .

TOWNSHIP VEGETATION**1.0**
22/07/2021
C255morn**Statement of nature and significance of vegetation to be protected**

There are many residential areas within the Mornington Peninsula's where substantial vegetation cover, rather than built form, is the dominant visual and environmental feature. These areas include the Mt Eliza escarpment, areas of the Mornington and Mt Martha townships, the rural residential areas of Somerville, Hastings and Crib Point, the Westernport coastal villages, and the hillside, cliff top, sand dune and wildcoast areas of the southern Peninsula.

In these areas, the impression is of buildings within a landscape rather than that of landscaping around buildings. This balance between natural or introduced vegetation and built form contributes substantially to local character. Vegetation in these areas also serves important environmental functions in providing areas of habitat and habitat corridors, assisting soil stability, reducing the intensity of stormwater runoff and limiting the erosion and siltation of streamlines.

2.0
22/07/2021
C255morn**Vegetation protection objectives to be achieved**

To recognise areas where substantial vegetation cover is the dominant visual and environmental feature.

To ensure that subdivision and development proposals have proper regard to the landscape character of township areas.

To ensure that new development has proper regard for the established landscape, streetscape and development pattern in terms of being consistent with the existing balance between vegetation and building form in the local area and contributing to the landscape character of the area.

To ensure that any removal of natural vegetation and works associated with development in environmentally sensitive areas, including streamline areas, is carried out with proper regard to the physical characteristics of each site and the local area.

To avoid grazing on the steeper slopes of Arthur's Seat.

To ensure that any removal of natural vegetation in proximity to the Point Nepean National Park or other public land has proper regard to the impact on these areas.

To protect and conserve native vegetation, including grasses and ground flora.

To protect and conserve the habitat value of vegetation within township areas.

To encourage strategic replanting to provide for the long term maintenance of landscape and environmental values within townships.

To ensure that the proposed relocation of dwellings, or other buildings, includes measures to minimise the removal of vegetation on site and from road reserves.

To prevent the premature removal of vegetation from a site prior to consideration of design options for a proposed development.

3.0
22/07/2021
C255morn**Permit requirement**

A permit is required to remove, destroy or lop any vegetation, except for:

- The removal of vegetation which is to be carried out in conjunction with a development approved under a planning permit and in accordance with an endorsed plan.
- The removal of vegetation necessary for the construction of a dwelling, dwelling extension or outbuilding where no planning permit is required and provided that:
 - A building permit has been granted for the proposed development.

- No tree with a trunk circumference greater than 0.35 metres is removed within 6 metres of a road frontage.
- Vegetation is only removed from the building footprint or within 2 metres of the proposed building.
- The removal of vegetation, not within a road reserve, to enable the formation of a single crossing and access driveway with a maximum width of 3.7 metres.
- The removal of vegetation which presents an immediate risk of personal injury or damage to property including the culling of single trees located within 3 metres of a dwelling or outbuilding, or which overhangs a boundary line.
- The removal of any dead timber or branch which has occurred through natural circumstances, fire or the spread of noxious weeds.
- The removal of any tree or branch of a tree which impairs the access of motor vehicles along any existing or approved access track, provided that such access track has a width no greater than 3.7 metres.
- The maintenance of landscaping, including pruning, which does not effect the stability, general form and viability of the vegetation.
- The removal of vegetation that has been established for less than 10 years and which is not required as landscaping under a planning approval.
- The removal of vegetation specified in the schedule to Clause 52.17.

4.0

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Application requirements

The following application requirements apply to an application for a permit under Clause 42.02, in addition to those specified elsewhere in the scheme and must accompany an application, as appropriate, to the satisfaction of the responsible authority:

- An application for permit must be accompanied by a vegetation management plan clearly indicating:
 - All existing vegetation on the site, the extent and purpose of proposed vegetation removal and the species, density and location of trees and other vegetation to be planted.
 - The location of any watercourse on the property, and, if relevant, the location of areas where the ground slope exceeds 20 per cent.
- Where it is proposed to relocate a building, the application must specify the intended access route and provide an assessment of the vegetation impact, both on the site and on road reserves, including any proposed replanting.

5.0

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Decision guidelines

The following decision guidelines apply to an application for a permit under Clause 42.02, in addition to those specified in Clause 42.02 and elsewhere in the scheme which must be considered, as appropriate, by the responsible authority:

- The vegetation protection objectives of this schedule.
- The value of the native vegetation to be removed in terms of its habitat, landscape and environmental values, age, physical condition, rarity or variety.
- The need for a report, by a properly qualified person and to the satisfaction of the responsible authority, on the vegetation and habitat significance of the vegetation to be removed.
- Whether there is any reasonable alternative means of siting buildings and works in order to conserve the native vegetation of the area.
- The extent of the proposed vegetation removal and its likely effect on the stability of the site, particularly along streamlines or in erosion prone areas.

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- The extent to which the removal of vegetation is necessary to achieve proper fire management.
- The benefit of conditions providing for the relocation of significant species prior to development of a site, having particular regard to the occurrence of native orchids.
- The benefit of conditions requiring planting, replanting and other treatment of the land, having regard to the relationship between buildings and the landscape and the maintenance, where possible, of shared view lines.
- The need for replacement vegetation to be of an appropriate species and to exclude environmental weeds.
- The need for a condition requiring the payment of a bond as part of a development approval to ensure that no unauthorised removal of vegetation occurs.
- The comments of any relevant coastal management, fire prevention, land management or soil conservation authority.

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Statement for property:
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REFERENCE NO.	YOUR REFERENCE	DATE OF ISSUE	CASE NUMBER
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1. Statement of Fees Imposed

The property is classified as a serviced property with respect to charges which as listed below in the Statement of Fees.

(a) By Other Authorities

Parks Victoria - Parks Service Charge	01/07/2026 to 30/09/2026	\$23.06
Melbourne Water Corporation Total Service Charges	01/07/2026 to 30/09/2026	\$32.64

(b) By South East Water

Water Service Charge	01/07/2026 to 30/09/2026	\$19.49
Sewerage Service Charge	01/07/2026 to 30/09/2026	\$109.87
Subtotal Service Charges		<u>\$185.06</u>
Payments		\$88.15
TOTAL UNPAID BALANCE		\$96.91

- Financial Updates (free service) are only available online please go to (type / copy the complete address shown below): <https://secureapp.southeastwater.com.au/PropertyConnect/#/order/info/update>

* Please Note: if usage charges appear above, the amount shown includes one or more of the following:

Water Usage, Recycled Water Usage, Sewage Disposal, Fire Service Usage and Trade Waste Volumetric Fees.

Interest may accrue on the South East Water charges listed in this statement if they are not paid by the due date as set out in the bill.

- The total annual service fees and volumetric fees for water usage and sewerage disposal for each class of property are set out at www.southeastwater.com.au.
- Updates of rates and other charges will only be provided for up to six months from the date of this statement.
- If this property has recently been subdivided from a "parent" title, there may be service or other charges owing on the "parent" which will be charged to this property, once sold, that do not appear on this statement.

AUTHORISED OFFICER:



LARA SALEMBIER
GENERAL MANAGER
CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE

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You must contact us to see if there are any such charges as they may be charged to this property on sale and should therefore be adjusted with the owner of the parent title beforehand.

- If the property is sold, the vendor is liable to pay all fees incurred in relation to the property until the vendor gives South East Water a Notice of Disposition of Land required by the Water (General) Regulations 2021, please include the Reference Number set out above in that Notice.
- Fees relating to the property may change from year-to-year in accordance with the Essential Service Commission's Price Determination for South East Water.
- Every fee referred to above is a charge against the property and will be recovered from a purchaser of the property if it is not paid by the vendor.
- Information about when and how outstanding fees may be paid, collected and recovered is set out in the Essential Services Commission's Customer Service Code, Urban Water Businesses.
- If this Statement only sets out rates and fees levied by Parks Victoria and Melbourne Water, the property may not be connected to South East Water's works. To find out whether the property is, or could be connected upon payment of the relevant charges, or whether it is separately metered, telephone 131 694.
- For a new connection to our water or sewer services, fees / charges will be levied.

2. Encumbrance Summary

Where available, the location of sewers is shown on the attached plan. Please ensure where manholes appear, that they remain accessible at all times "DO NOT COVER". Where driveways/paving is proposed to be constructed over easements for water supply/sewerage purposes, or within 1 metre of a South East Water asset, the owner will be responsible for all costs associated with any demolition and or re-instatement works, necessary to allow maintenance and or repair of the asset effected. Where changes to the surface levels requires maintenance shafts/holes to be altered, all works must be carried out by South East Water approved contractors only. For information call 131694. For all other works, prior consent is required from south East Water for any construction over easements for water supply/sewerage purposes, or within 1 metre of a South East Water asset.

To assist in identifying if the property is connected to South East Waters sewerage system, connected by a shared, combined or encroaching drain, it is recommended you request a copy of the Property Sewerage Plan. A copy of the Property Sewerage Plan may be obtained for a fee at www.southeastwater.com.au Part of the Property Sewerage Branch servicing the property may legally be the property owners responsibility to maintain not South East Waters. Refer to Section 11 of South East Waters Customer Charter to determine if this is the case. A copy of the Customer Charter can be found at www.southeastwater.com.au. When working in proximity of drains, care must be taken to prevent infiltration of foreign material and or ground water into South East Waters sewerage system. Any costs associated with rectification works will be charged to the property owner.

Melbourne Water became responsible for waterway management, flood plain management and regional drainage on Friday 18 November 2005. Melbourne Water is undertaking an ongoing process of investigation within this area which may provide additional information applicable to this property. For further information please contact Melbourne Water on 9679-7517.

ENCUMBRANCE ENQUIRY EMAIL infostatements@sew.com.au

If no plan is attached to this Statement, South East Water is not aware of any works belonging to South East Water being present on the property.

AUTHORISED OFFICER:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lara Salembier'.

LARA SALEMBIER
GENERAL MANAGER
CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE

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If a plan is attached to this Statement, it indicates the nature of works belonging to South East Water, their approximate location, and the approximate location of any easement relating to those works.

Important Warnings

The map base for any attached plan is not created by South East Water which cannot and does not guarantee the accuracy, adequacy or completeness of any information in the plan, especially the exact location of any of South East Water's works, which may have changes since the attached plan was prepared. Their location should therefore be proven by hand before any works are commenced on the land.

Unless South East Water's prior written approval is obtained, it is an offence to cause any structure to be built or any filling to be placed on a South East Water easement or within 1 metre laterally of any of its works or to permit any structure to be built above or below any such area.

Any work that requires any South East Water manhole or maintenance shaft to be altered may only be done by a contractor approved by South East Water at the property owner's cost.

If the owner builds or places filling in contravention of that requirement, the owner will be required to pay the cost of any demolition or re-instatement of work that South East Water considers necessary, in order to maintain, repair or replace its asset.

This Statement does not include any information about current or outstanding consent issued for plumbing works on at the property.

3. Disclaimer

This Statement does not contain all the information about the property that a prospective purchaser may wish to know. Accordingly, appropriate enquiries should be made of other sources and information.

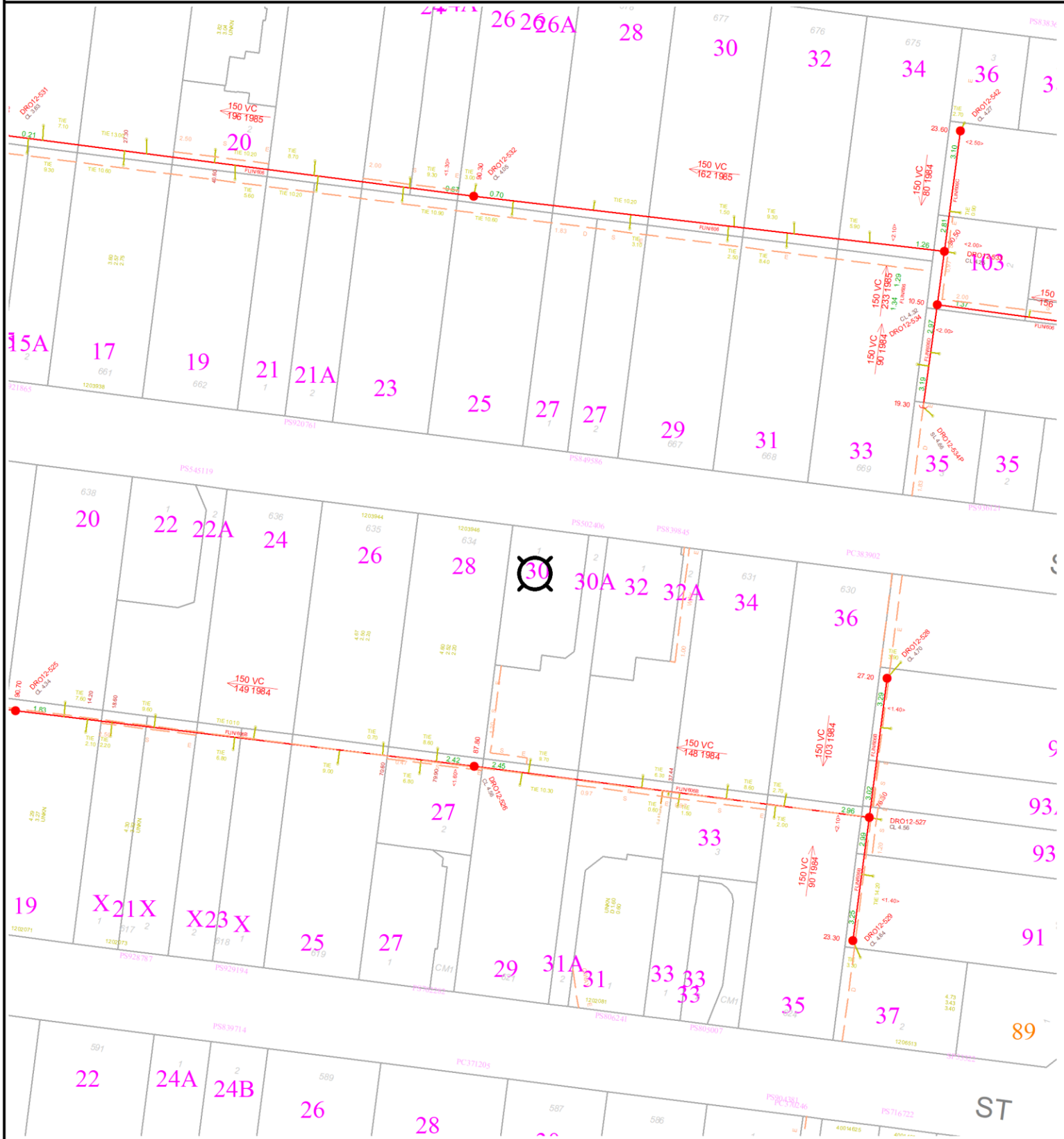
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AUTHORISED OFFICER:

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LARA SALEMBIER
GENERAL MANAGER
CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE

South East Water
Information Statement Applications
PO Box 2268, Seaford, VIC 3198



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— Title/Road Boundary		Subject Property	● Maintenance Hole	✕✕✕ Abandoned Sewer
- - - - - Proposed Title/Road		Sewer Main & Property Connections	■ Inspection Shaft	
- - - - - Easement		Direction of Flow	<1.0> Offset from Boundary	

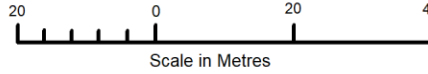
Melbourne Water Assets

— Sewer Main	— Underground Drain	— Natural Waterway
● Maintenance Hole	— Channel Drain	□ Underground Drain M.H.

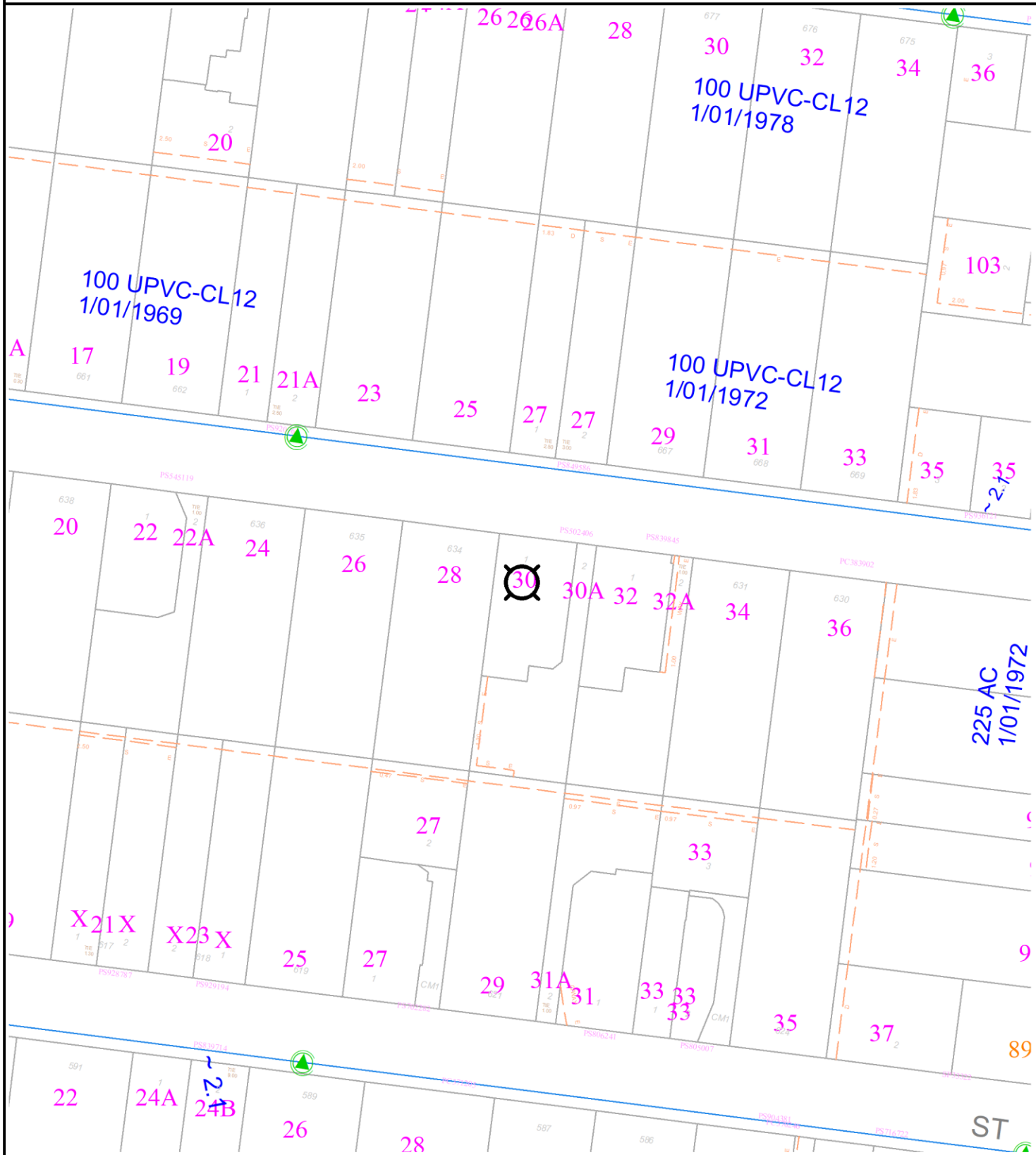


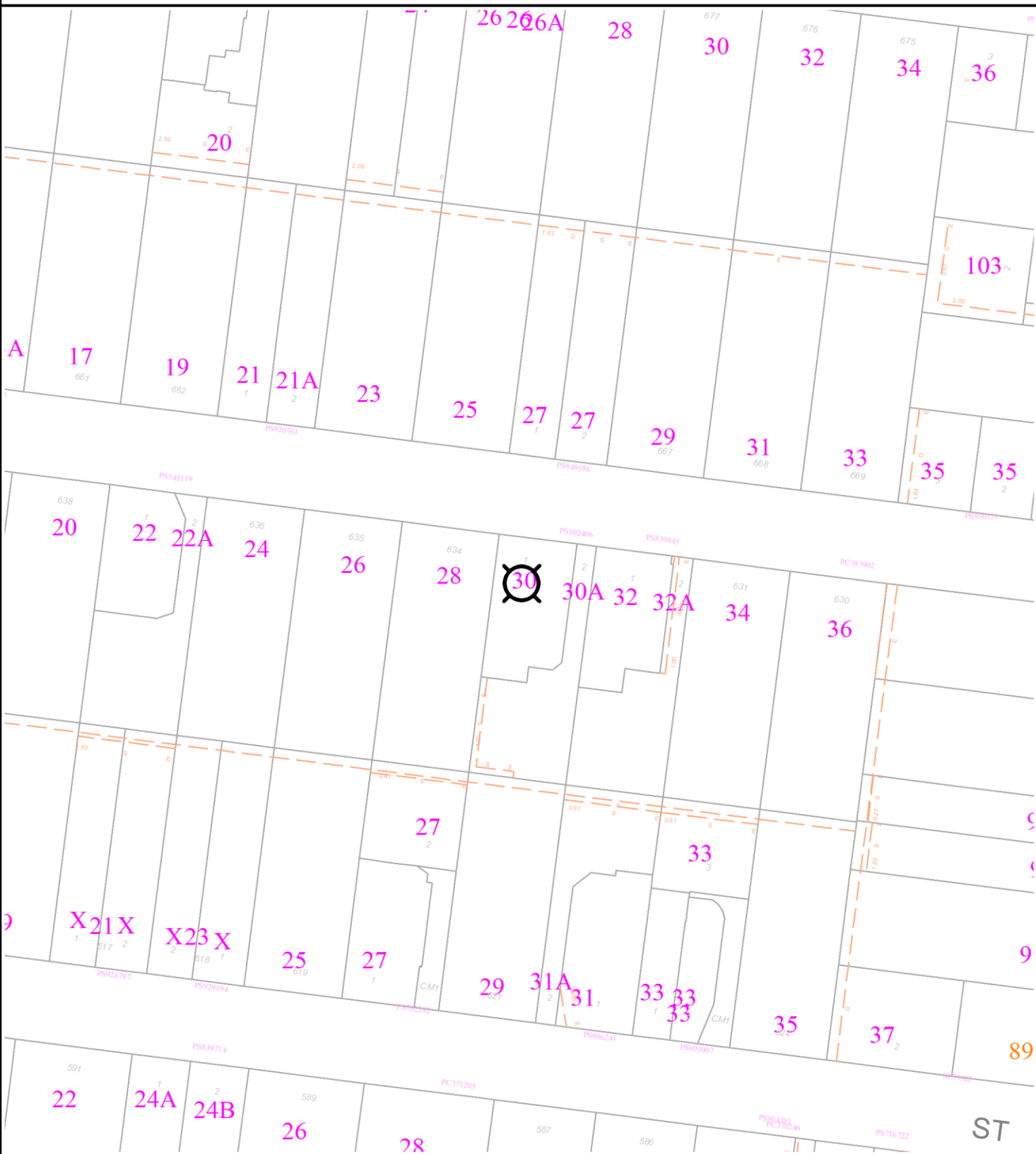
Property: Lot 1 30 KNOTT STREET SAFETY BEACH 3936

Case Number: 52959327



Date: 26AUGUST2026





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LEGEND

— Title/Road Boundary

- - - - - Proposed Title/Road

- - - - - Easement



Subject Property



Recycled Water Main Valve

Recycled Water Main & Services



Hydrant



Fireplug/Washout



Offset from Boundary

Property Clearance Certificate

Land Tax



SARGEANTS - BASS COAST

Your Reference:	26089449
Certificate No:	11116710
Issue Date:	26 AUG 2026
Enquiries:	ESYSPROD

Land Address: 30 KNOTT STREET SAFETY BEACH VIC 3936					
Land Id	Lot	Plan	Volume	Folio	Tax Payable
31624392	1	502406	10802	989	\$641.04

Vendor: JOHN CORVAN
Purchaser: FOR INFORMATION PURPOSES

Current Land Tax	Year Taxable Value (SV)	Proportional Tax	Penalty/Interest	Total
MR JOHN RONAN CORVAN	2026	\$430,000	\$1,740.00	\$0.00
				\$641.04

Comments: Land Tax of \$1,740.00 has been assessed for 2026, an amount of \$1,098.96 has been paid. Land Tax will be payable but is not yet due - please see notes on reverse.

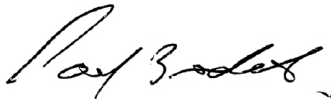
Current Vacant Residential Land Tax	Year Taxable Value (CIV)	Tax Liability	Penalty/Interest	Total

Comments:

Arrears of Land Tax	Year	Proportional Tax	Penalty/Interest	Total

Arrears of Vacant Residential Land Tax	Year	Proportional Tax	Penalty/Interest	Total

This certificate is subject to the notes that appear on the reverse. The applicant should read these notes carefully.


Paul Broderick
Commissioner of State Revenue

CAPITAL IMPROVED VALUE (CIV):	\$630,000
SITE VALUE (SV):	\$430,000
CURRENT LAND TAX AND VACANT RESIDENTIAL LAND TAX CHARGE:	\$641.04



Notes to Certificate - Land Tax

Certificate No: 11116710

Power to issue Certificate

1. Pursuant to section 95AA of the *Taxation Administration Act 1997*, the Commissioner of State Revenue must issue a Property Clearance Certificate (Certificate) to an owner, mortgagee or bona fide purchaser of land who makes an application specifying the land for which the Certificate is sought and pays the application fee.

Amount shown on Certificate

2. The Certificate shows any land tax (including Vacant Residential Land Tax, interest and penalty tax) that is due and unpaid on the land described in the Certificate at the date of issue. In addition, it may show:
 - Land tax that has been assessed but is not yet due,
 - Land tax for the current tax year that has not yet been assessed, and
 - Any other information that the Commissioner sees fit to include, such as the amount of land tax applicable to the land on a single holding basis and other debts with respect to the property payable to the Commissioner.

Land tax is a first charge on land

3. Unpaid land tax (including Vacant Residential Land Tax, interest and penalty tax) is a first charge on the land to which it relates. This means it has priority over any other encumbrances on the land, such as a mortgage, and will continue as a charge even if ownership of the land is transferred. Therefore, a purchaser may become liable for any such unpaid land tax.

Information for the purchaser

4. Pursuant to section 96 of the *Land Tax Act 2005*, if a purchaser of the land described in the Certificate has applied for and obtained a certificate, the amount recoverable from the purchaser by the Commissioner cannot exceed the amount set out in the certificate, described as the "Current Land Tax Charge and Vacant Residential Land Tax Charge" overleaf. A purchaser cannot rely on a Certificate obtained by the vendor.

Information for the vendor

5. Despite the issue of a Certificate, the Commissioner may recover a land tax liability from a vendor, including any amount identified on this Certificate.

Apportioning or passing on land tax to a purchaser

6. A vendor is prohibited from apportioning or passing on land tax including vacant residential land tax, interest and penalty tax to a purchaser under a contract of sale of land entered into on or after 1 January 2024, where the purchase price is less than \$10 million (to be indexed annually from 1 January 2025, as set out on the website for Consumer Affairs Victoria).

General information

7. A Certificate showing no liability for the land does not mean that the land is exempt from land tax. It means that there is nothing to pay at the date of the Certificate.
8. An updated Certificate may be requested free of charge via our website, if:
 - The request is within 90 days of the original Certificate's issue date, and
 - There is no change to the parties involved in the transaction for which the Certificate was originally requested.

For Information Only

LAND TAX CALCULATION BASED ON SINGLE OWNERSHIP

Land Tax = \$1,740.00

Taxable Value = \$430,000

Calculated as \$1,350 plus (\$430,000 - \$300,000) multiplied by 0.300 cents.

VACANT RESIDENTIAL LAND TAX CALCULATION

Vacant Residential Land Tax = \$6,300.00

Taxable Value = \$630,000

Calculated as \$630,000 multiplied by 1.000%.

Land Tax - Payment Options

BPAY



Billers Code: 5249
Ref: 11116710

Telephone & Internet Banking - BPAY®

Contact your bank or financial institution to make this payment from your cheque, savings, debit or transaction account.

www.bpay.com.au

CARD



Ref: 11116710

Visa or Mastercard

Pay via our website or phone 13 21 61.
A card payment fee applies.

sro.vic.gov.au/paylandtax

Property Clearance Certificate

Commercial and Industrial Property Tax



SARGEANTS - BASS COAST

Your Reference:	26089449
Certificate No:	11116710
Issue Date:	26 AUG 2026
Enquires:	ESYSPROD

Land Address: 30 KNOTT STREET SAFETY BEACH VIC 3936

Land Id	Lot	Plan	Volume	Folio	Tax Payable
31624392	1	502406	10802	989	\$0.00
AVPCC	Date of entry into reform	Entry interest	Date land becomes CIPT taxable land	Comment	
110	N/A	N/A	N/A	The AVPCC allocated to the land is not a qualifying use.	

This certificate is subject to the notes found on the reverse of this page. The applicant should read these notes carefully.

Paul Broderick
Commissioner of State Revenue

CAPITAL IMPROVED VALUE: \$630,000

SITE VALUE: \$430,000

CURRENT CIPT CHARGE: \$0.00

Notes to Certificate - Commercial and Industrial Property Tax

Certificate No: 11116710

Power to issue Certificate

1. Pursuant to section 95AA of the *Taxation Administration Act 1997*, the Commissioner of State Revenue must issue a Property Clearance Certificate (Certificate) to an owner, mortgagee or bona fide purchaser of land who makes an application specifying the land for which the Certificate is sought and pays the application fee.

Amount shown on Certificate

2. The Certificate shows any commercial and industrial property tax (including interest and penalty tax) that is due and unpaid on the land described in the Certificate at the date of issue.

Australian Valuation Property Classification Code (AVPCC)

3. The Certificate may show one or more AVPCC in respect of land described in the Certificate. The AVPCC shown on the Certificate is the AVPCC allocated to the land in the most recent of the following valuation(s) of the land under the *Valuation of Land Act 1960*:
 - a general valuation of the land;
 - a supplementary valuation of the land returned after the general valuation.
4. The AVPCC(s) shown in respect of land described on the Certificate can be relevant to determine if the land has a qualifying use, within the meaning given by section 4 of the *Commercial and Industrial Property Tax Reform Act 2024* (CIPT Act). Section 4 of the CIPT Act Land provides that land will have a qualifying use if:
 - the land has been allocated one, or more than one, AVPCC in the latest valuation, all of which are in the range 200-499 and/or 600-699 in the Valuation Best Practice Specifications Guidelines (the requisite range);
 - the land has been allocated more than one AVPCC in the latest valuation, one or more of which are inside the requisite range and one or more of which are outside the requisite range, and the land is used solely or primarily for a use described in an AVPCC in the requisite range; or
 - the land is used solely or primarily as eligible student accommodation, within the meaning of section 3 of the CIPT Act.

Commercial and industrial property tax information

5. If the Commissioner has identified that land described in the Certificate is tax reform scheme land within the meaning given by section 3 of the CIPT Act, the Certificate may show in respect of the land:
 - the date on which the land became tax reform scheme land;
 - whether the entry interest (within the meaning given by section 3 of the Duties Act 2000) in relation to the tax reform scheme land was a 100% interest (a whole interest) or an interest of less than 100% (a partial interest); and
 - the date on which the land will become subject to the commercial and industrial property tax.
6. A Certificate that does not show any of the above information in respect of land described in the Certificate does not mean that the land is not tax reform scheme land. It means that the Commissioner has not identified that the land is tax reform scheme land at the date of issue of the Certificate. The Commissioner may identify that the land is tax reform scheme land after the date of issue of the Certificate.

Change of use of tax reform scheme land

7. Pursuant to section 34 of the CIPT Act, an owner of tax reform scheme land must notify the Commissioner of certain changes of use of tax reform scheme land (or part of the land) including if the actual use of the land changes to a use not described in any AVPCC in the range 200-499 and/or 600-699. The notification

must be given to the Commissioner within 30 days of the change of use.

Commercial and industrial property tax is a first charge on land

8. Commercial and industrial property tax (including any interest and penalty tax) is a first charge on the land to which the commercial and industrial property tax is payable. This means it has priority over any other encumbrances on the land, such as a mortgage, and will continue as a charge even if ownership of the land is transferred. Therefore, a purchaser may become liable for any unpaid commercial and industrial property tax.

Information for the purchaser

9. Pursuant to section 27 of the CIPT Act, if a bona fide purchaser for value of the land described in the Certificate applies for and obtains a Certificate in respect of the land, the maximum amount recoverable from the purchaser is the amount set out in the Certificate. A purchaser cannot rely on a Certificate obtained by the vendor.

Information for the vendor

10. Despite the issue of a Certificate, the Commissioner may recover a commercial and industrial property tax liability from a vendor, including any amount identified on this Certificate.

Passing on commercial and industrial property tax to a purchaser

11. A vendor is prohibited from apportioning or passing on commercial and industrial property tax to a purchaser under a contract of sale of land entered into on or after 1 July 2024 where the purchase price is less than \$10 million (to be indexed annually from 1 January 2025, as set out on the website for Consumer Affairs Victoria).

General information

12. Land enters the tax reform scheme if there is an entry transaction, entry consolidation or entry subdivision in respect of the land (within the meaning given to those terms in the CIPT Act). Land generally enters the reform on the date on which an entry transaction occurs in respect of the land (or the first date on which land from which the subject land was derived (by consolidation or subdivision) entered the reform).
13. The Duties Act includes exemptions from duty, in certain circumstances, for an eligible transaction (such as a transfer) of tax reform scheme land that has a qualifying use on the date of the transaction. The exemptions apply differently based on whether the entry interest in relation to the land was a whole interest or a partial interest. For more information, please refer to www.sro.vic.gov.au/CIPT.
14. A Certificate showing no liability for the land does not mean that the land is exempt from commercial and industrial property tax. It means that there is nothing to pay at the date of the Certificate.
15. An updated Certificate may be requested free of charge via our website, if:
 - the request is within 90 days of the original Certificate's issue date, and
 - there is no change to the parties involved in the transaction for which the Certificate was originally requested.

Property Clearance Certificate

Windfall Gains Tax



SARGEANTS - BASS COAST

Your Reference:	26089449
Certificate No:	11116710
Issue Date:	26 AUG 2026

Land Address: 30 KNOTT STREET SAFETY BEACH VIC 3936

Lot	Plan	Volume	Folio
1	502406	10802	989

Vendor: JOHN CORVAN
Purchaser: FOR INFORMATION PURPOSES

WGT Property Id	Event ID	Windfall Gains Tax	Deferred Interest	Penalty/Interest	Total
		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Comments: No windfall gains tax liability identified.

This certificate is subject to the notes that appear on the reverse. The applicant should read these notes carefully.

Paul Broderick
Commissioner of State Revenue

CURRENT WINDFALL GAINS TAX CHARGE:
\$0.00



Notes to Certificate - Windfall Gains Tax

Certificate No: 11116710

Power to issue Certificate

1. Pursuant to section 95AA of the *Taxation Administration Act 1997*, the Commissioner of State Revenue must issue a Property Clearance Certificate (Certificate) to an owner, mortgagee or bona fide purchaser of land who makes an application specifying the land for which the Certificate is sought and pays the application fee.

Amount shown on Certificate

2. The Certificate shows in respect of the land described in the Certificate:
- Windfall gains tax that is due and unpaid, including any penalty tax and interest
 - Windfall gains tax that is deferred, including any accrued deferral interest
 - Windfall gains tax that has been assessed but is not yet due
 - Windfall gains tax that has not yet been assessed (i.e. a WGT event has occurred that rezones the land but any windfall gains tax on the land is yet to be assessed)
 - Any other information that the Commissioner sees fit to include such as the amount of interest accruing per day in relation to any deferred windfall gains tax.

Windfall gains tax is a first charge on land

3. Pursuant to section 42 of the *Windfall Gains Tax Act 2021*, windfall gains tax, including any accrued interest on a deferral, is a first charge on the land to which it relates. This means it has priority over any other encumbrances on the land, such as a mortgage, and will continue as a charge even if ownership of the land is transferred. Therefore, a purchaser may become liable for any unpaid windfall gains tax.

Information for the purchaser

4. Pursuant to section 42 of the *Windfall Gains Tax Act 2021*, if a bona fide purchaser for value of land applies for and obtains a Certificate in respect of the land, the maximum amount recoverable from the purchaser by the Commissioner is the amount set out in the certificate, described as the "Current Windfall Gains Tax Charge" overleaf.
5. If the certificate states that a windfall gains tax is yet to be assessed, note 4 does not apply.
6. A purchaser cannot rely on a Certificate obtained by the vendor.

Information for the vendor

7. Despite the issue of a Certificate, the Commissioner may recover a windfall gains tax liability from a vendor, including any amount identified on this Certificate.

Passing on windfall gains tax to a purchaser

8. A vendor is prohibited from passing on a windfall gains tax liability to a purchaser where the liability has been assessed under a notice of assessment as at the date of the contract of sale of land or option agreement. This prohibition does not apply to a contract of sale entered into before 1 January 2024, or a contract of sale of land entered into on or after 1 January 2024 pursuant to the exercise of an option granted before 1 January 2024.

General information

9. A Certificate showing no liability for the land does not mean that the land is exempt from windfall gains tax. It means that there is nothing to pay at the date of the Certificate.
10. An updated Certificate may be requested free of charge via our website, if:
- The request is within 90 days of the original Certificate's issue date, and
 - There is no change to the parties involved in the transaction for which the Certificate was originally requested.
11. Where a windfall gains tax liability has been deferred, interest accrues daily on the deferred liability. The deferred interest shown overleaf is the amount of interest accrued to the date of issue of the certificate.

Windfall Gains Tax - Payment Options

BPAY  Billers Code: 416073 Ref: 11116712 Telephone & Internet Banking - BPAY® Contact your bank or financial institution to make this payment from your cheque, savings, debit or transaction account. www.bpay.com.au	CARD  Ref: 11116712 Visa or Mastercard Pay via our website or phone 13 21 61. A card payment fee applies. sro.vic.gov.au/payment-options	Important payment information Windfall gains tax payments must be made using only these specific payment references. Using the incorrect references for the different tax components listed on this property clearance certificate will result in misallocated payments.
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Due diligence checklist

What you need to know before buying a residential property

Before you buy a home, you should be aware of a range of issues that may affect that property and impose restrictions or obligations on you, if you buy it. This checklist aims to help you identify whether any of these issues will affect you. The questions are a starting point only and you may need to seek professional advice to answer some of them. You can find links to organisations and web pages that can help you learn more, by visiting the [Due diligence checklist page on the Consumer Affairs Victoria website](http://consumer.vic.gov.au/duediligencechecklist) (consumer.vic.gov.au/duediligencechecklist).

Urban living

Moving to the inner city?

High density areas are attractive for their entertainment and service areas, but these activities create increased traffic as well as noise and odours from businesses and people. Familiarising yourself with the character of the area will give you a balanced understanding of what to expect.

Is the property subject to an owners corporation?

If the property is part of a subdivision with common property such as driveways or grounds, it may be subject to an owners corporation. You may be required to pay fees and follow rules that restrict what you can do on your property, such as a ban on pet ownership.

Growth areas

Are you moving to a growth area?

You should investigate whether you will be required to pay a growth areas infrastructure contribution.

Flood and fire risk

Does this property experience flooding or bushfire?

Properties are sometimes subject to the risk of fire and flooding due to their location. You should properly investigate these risks and consider their implications for land management, buildings and insurance premiums.

Rural properties

Moving to the country?

If you are looking at property in a rural zone, consider:

- Is the surrounding land use compatible with your lifestyle expectations? Farming can create noise or odour that may be at odds with your expectations of a rural lifestyle.
- Are you considering removing native vegetation? There are regulations which affect your ability to remove native vegetation on private property.
- Do you understand your obligations to manage weeds and pest animals?

Can you build new dwellings?

Does the property adjoin crown land, have a water frontage, contain a disused government road, or are there any crown licences associated with the land?

Is there any earth resource activity such as mining in the area?

You may wish to find out more about exploration, mining and quarrying activity on or near the property and consider the issue of petroleum, geothermal and greenhouse gas sequestration permits, leases and licences, extractive industry authorisations and mineral licences.

Soil and groundwater contamination

Has previous land use affected the soil or groundwater?

You should consider whether past activities, including the use of adjacent land, may have caused contamination at the site and whether this may prevent you from doing certain things to or on the land in the future.

(04/10/2016)

Land boundaries

Do you know the exact boundary of the property?

You should compare the measurements shown on the title document with actual fences and buildings on the property, to make sure the boundaries match. If you have concerns about this, you can speak to your lawyer or conveyancer, or commission a site survey to establish property boundaries.

Planning controls

Can you change how the property is used, or the buildings on it?

All land is subject to a planning scheme, run by the local council. How the property is zoned and any overlays that may apply, will determine how the land can be used. This may restrict such things as whether you can build on vacant land or how you can alter or develop the land and its buildings over time.

The local council can give you advice about the planning scheme, as well as details of any other restrictions that may apply, such as design guidelines or bushfire safety design. There may also be restrictions – known as encumbrances – on the property's title, which prevent you from developing the property. You can find out about encumbrances by looking at the section 32 statement.

Are there any proposed or granted planning permits?

The local council can advise you if there are any proposed or issued planning permits for any properties close by. Significant developments in your area may change the local 'character' (predominant style of the area) and may increase noise or traffic near the property.

Safety

Is the building safe to live in?

Building laws are in place to ensure building safety. Professional building inspections can help you assess the property for electrical safety, possible illegal building work, adequate pool or spa fencing and the presence of asbestos, termites, or other potential hazards.

Building permits

Have any buildings or retaining walls on the property been altered, or do you plan to alter them?

There are laws and regulations about how buildings and retaining walls are constructed, which you may wish to investigate to ensure any completed or proposed building work is approved. The local council may be able to give you information about any building permits issued for recent building works done to the property, and what you must do to plan new work. You can also commission a private building surveyor's assessment.

Are any recent building or renovation works covered by insurance?

Ask the vendor if there is any owner-builder insurance or builder's warranty to cover defects in the work done to the property.

Utilities and essential services

Does the property have working connections for water, sewerage, electricity, gas, telephone and internet?

Unconnected services may not be available, or may incur a fee to connect. You may also need to choose from a range of suppliers for these services. This may be particularly important in rural areas where some services are not available.

Buyers' rights

Do you know your rights when buying a property?

The contract of sale and section 32 statement contain important information about the property, so you should request to see these and read them thoroughly. Many people engage a lawyer or conveyancer to help them understand the contracts and ensure the sale goes through correctly. If you intend to hire a professional, you should consider speaking to them before you commit to the sale. There are also important rules about the way private sales and auctions are conducted. These may include a cooling-off period and specific rights associated with 'off the plan' sales. The important thing to remember is that, as the buyer, you have rights.