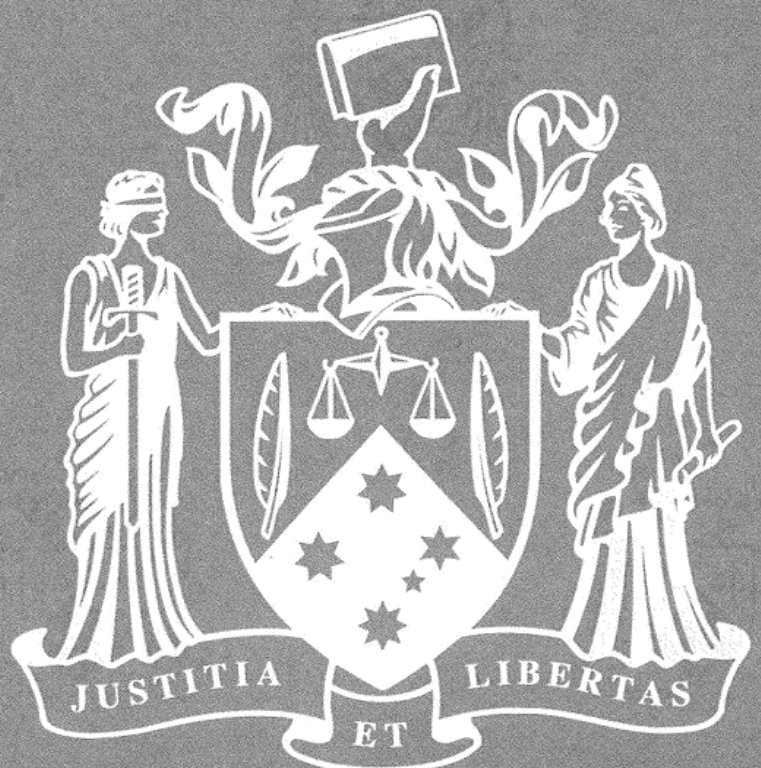


Contract of sale of land

Property: 11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT, WHEELERS HILL VIC 3150



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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:
..... on/...../20.....

Print name(s) of person(s) signing:
.....

State nature of authority, if applicable:

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*

SIGNED BY THE VENDOR:
..... on/...../20.....

Print name(s) of person(s) signing:
.....

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

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VENDOR

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VENDOR'S LEGAL PRACTITIONER OR CONVEYANCER

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Tel: (03) 9532 2993 Ref: GL:LH: 230211

PURCHASER

Name:
Address:
ABN/ACN:
Email:

PURCHASER'S LEGAL PRACTITIONER OR CONVEYANCER

Name:
Address:
Email:
Tel:..... Mob: Ref:

LAND (general conditions 7 and 13)

The land is -
described in the table below –

Volume	Folio	being lot	on plan
12603	921	58	LP111651

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 : **11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT, WHEELERS HILL VIC 3150**

GOODS SOLD WITH THE LAND (general condition 6.3(f)) (list or attach schedule)

Fixed floor coverings, electric light fittings and window furnishings.

PAYMENT

Price \$
Deposit \$
Balance \$

By/...../20..... (of which \$..... has been paid)
payable at settlement

DEPOSIT BOND

☐ General Condition 15 applies only if this box is checked

BANK GUARANTEE

☐ General Condition 15 applies only if this 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 this box is checked
 - ☐ This sale is a sale of a 'going concern' if this box is checked
 - ☐ The margin scheme will be used to calculate GST if this box is checked

SETTLEMENT (general conditions 17 & 26.2)

is due on/...../20.....

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;
- 14 days after the vendor gives notice in writing to the purchaser of registration of the plan of subdivision;
- 14 days after the vendor gives notice in writing to the purchaser of the occupancy permit issuing.

LEASE (general condition 5.1)

☐ At settlement the purchaser is entitled to vacant possession of the property unless this 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/...../20..... with [.....] options to renew, each of [.....] years.

OR

☐ a residential tenancy for a fixed term ending on/...../20.....

OR

☐ a periodic tenancy determinable by notice

TERMS CONTRACT (general condition 30)

☐ If this contract is intended to be a terms contract within the meaning of the **Sale of Land Act 1962** if this box is checked, and refer to general condition 30 and add any further provisions by way of 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 :/...../20.....

BUILDING REPORT

☐ General Condition 21 applies only if this box is checked:

PEST REPORT

☐ General Condition 22 applies only if this box is checked:

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. Amendments to General Conditions

1.1 Guarantee

General Condition 3 shall be deleted and replaced with the following:

"If the Purchaser shall be or include a Company, the Company will forthwith after execution of this contract procure the execution by each of its directors of the Guarantee annexed to the Vendor's part of this contract. If there shall be more than one Purchaser under this contract the word "Purchasers" shall be deemed substituted for the word "Purchaser" wherever appearing in the said Guarantee."

1.2 Nomination

(a) The following wording shall be added to General Condition 4 after the first sentence of that condition:

"Such substitution or addition shall be deemed to be effected by the Purchaser delivering to the Vendor's Solicitors the following:

(i) Form of Nomination attached hereto duly completed and executed by both the Purchaser and the substituted or additional Purchaser.

(ii) If the substituted or additional Purchaser is a company then a Guarantee in the form attached hereto duly completed and signed by all the directors of such Company."

(b) In the event of a Nomination by the Purchaser, and if the sale is a sale of a "going concern", the Nominated Purchaser must if requested by the Vendor sign a Deed with the Vendor on terms acceptable to the Vendor which notes inter alia, that the parties agree that the supply made under this Contract is of a going concern and that the Nominated Purchaser warrants that prior to Settlement it will be registered for GST purposes. The Nominated Purchaser shall pay the Vendor's legal costs of \$250 plus GST for the preparation of such Deed by way of an adjustment in favour of the Vendor at settlement.

(c) In the event of a Nomination by the Purchaser, and if the margin scheme will be used to calculate GST, the Nominated Purchaser must if requested by the Vendor sign a Deed with the Vendor on terms acceptable to the Vendor which notes inter alia, that the parties agree that the margin scheme will apply. The Nominated Purchaser shall pay the Vendor's legal costs of \$250 plus GST for the preparation of such Deed by way of an adjustment in favour of the Vendor at settlement.

1.3 Deposit Bond

The reference to "45 days" in General Condition 15.2, 15.4 and 15.5 is amended to "62 days".

1.4 Bank Guarantee

The following wording shall be added to General Condition 16.3 at the end of the first sentence of that condition: "and such bank guarantee shall have no expiry date".

1.5 Default Interest

The rate of interest specified in General Condition 33 of this Contract shall be deemed to be 15% per annum.

1.6 General Conditions 12, 31.4, 31.5, 31.6, 35.3(b) and 35.3(c) do not apply to this Contract.

1.7 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 applies.

1.8 General condition 28 does not apply to any amounts to which section 10G or 10H of the *Sale of Land Act* 1962 applies.

~~**2.** The property is offered for sale by public auction, subject to the Vendor's reserve price. The Rules for the conduct of the auction shall be as set out in the Schedules to the Sale of Land (Public Auctions) Regulations 2014 or any rules prescribed by regulation which modify or replace those Rules.~~

3. Any restriction on the use of the said land under any Town Planning Scheme in any legislation or imposed by any authority empowered by legislation to control the use of the land shall not affect the validity of this contract, constitute a defect in the Vendor's title, or otherwise give rise to any claim against the Vendor.

4. The Purchaser acknowledges that prior to signing this contract or any document purporting to be legally binding upon him/her he/she received from the Vendor a statement in writing setting out the particulars required by Section 32 of the Sale of Land (Amendment) Act 1982.

5. The Purchaser hereby agrees to indemnify and keep indemnified at all times hereafter the Vendor against all liabilities claims proceedings and penalties whatsoever under the Duties Act 2000 as amended from time to time relating to the Contract of Sale and/or any substitute Contract or Contracts of Sale and/or the Instrument of Transfer or conveyance of the property.

6. In addition to any interest payable by the Purchaser as provided by these Special Conditions, the Purchaser shall pay all costs charges expenses and damages of any kind whatsoever which may be incurred or suffered by the Vendor or the Vendor's legal representatives arising from any default in payment of any moneys payable hereunder by the Purchaser or owing to any breaches of or failure by the Purchaser to observe any of the terms and conditions herein contained.

7. If any provision of this Contract remains to be performed by the Purchaser or is capable of having effect after the

final settlement date this contract shall remain in full force and effect notwithstanding completion of the sale and purchase of the land and that provision shall not merge in the instrument of transfer of land.

8. It is hereby agreed that there are no conditions warranties or other terms affecting this sale other than those expressly embodied herein and the Purchaser shall not be entitled to rely on any representations made by the Vendor or the Vendor's Agent except such as are made a condition of this contract.
- 9.1 The Purchaser acknowledges and declares that he/she has purchased the property as a result of his/her own inspections and enquiries of the property and all buildings and structures thereon and that the Purchaser does not rely upon any representation or warranty of any nature made by or upon behalf of the Vendor or the Vendor's consultants or any agents or servants. It is agreed that the Purchaser shall not be entitled to make any objection or claim any compensation whatsoever in respect of the state of repair and/or condition of any buildings or other structures on the property and any items or goods within the said buildings or structures.
- 9.2 The Purchaser acknowledges that any improvements on the property including those improvements undertaken by the Vendor may be subject to or require compliance with Victorian Building Regulations, Municipal By-Laws, relevant statutes and/or any regulations thereunder and any repealed laws under which the improvements were or should have been effected. Any failure to comply with any one or more of those laws or regulations shall not be and shall not be deemed to constitute a defect in the Vendor's Title and the Purchaser shall not claim any compensation whatsoever from the Vendor, nor require the Vendor to comply with any one or more of those laws or regulations or to carry out any final inspections.
- 9.3 The Purchaser acknowledges that he/she has inspected the chattels, fittings and appliances forming part of this contract and that he/she is aware of their condition and any deficiencies. The Purchaser shall not require the chattels, fittings and appliances to be in working order at the date of settlement, nor shall he/she claim any compensation in relation thereto.
10. Each term condition and other stipulation in this contract is separate and independent and shall be so construed and interpreted and shall be deemed to be severable.
11. Words herein used in the singular shall include the plural and vice-versa, male terms shall include female and if a company is the party referred to the personal pronouns "him" or "his" shall be read as "it" or "its".
12. If there shall be more than one Purchaser the agreements and obligations of the Purchaser under this contract and the conditions thereof shall bind them and any two or more of them jointly and each of them severally.
13. The Purchaser's liability and obligation to pay the purchase money interest and other moneys payable under this contract and otherwise to pay perform and observe the terms and conditions of this contract shall not nor shall the right of the Vendor to enforce each and every such liability and obligation be or be deemed to be waived diminished varied prejudiced or otherwise affected by any time indulgence or forbearance allowed or granted or extended by the Vendor to the Purchaser otherwise than in accordance with this contract and time shall be and remain of the essence of this contract notwithstanding any act or omission on the part of the Vendor.
14. If a conveyancer acts for a party to this contract, the conveyancer may be served with a demand, notice or document in the same manner as a legal practitioner may be served.
15. **Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975** – The purchaser hereby agrees and acknowledges that should it be a party to whom the provisions of the Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975 may apply, the purchaser has made any or all required applications to the Foreign Investment Review Board necessary to enable it to fulfil all obligations under the Contract and that furthermore this contract is not conditional upon the success or otherwise of any application made under the Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975. Should the purchaser make any application under such Act and should any application made be unsuccessful and prevent the purchaser from completing the Contract, the purchaser shall compensate the vendor for any loss, damages, or expenses incurred by the vendor as a result of the purchaser being unable to complete the Contract including, but not limited to, the costs and expenses of any re-sale of the property and any loss incurred on re-sale of the property.
16. **Deposit Release**
The Purchaser acknowledges and agrees that General Conditions 6.3(a), 6.3(e), 6.3(f), 17.1(b), 24.2, and 31.2 are not valid grounds for objection pursuant to Section 27(2)(a) to a request for release of the deposit moneys paid under this Contract of Sale.
17. **Evidence of loan refusal**
If the Particulars of Sale specify that the Contract is subject to a loan being approved, the Purchaser must at the same time that the Purchaser provides notice in writing under General Condition 20.2(c), provide the Vendor with a notice from the Lender specifying the date on which the loan application was made and that the application has been refused.
18. **Supplier Notification**
The Purchaser/recipient is not required to make a payment under section 14-250 of Schedule 1 of *the Taxation Administration Act 1953 (Cwlth)* in relation to the supply of the above property.

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 one or more 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 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 and regulations made under the *Building Act* 1993.
- 6.7 Words and phrases used in general condition 6.6 which are defined in the *Building Act* 1993 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 Duties on Line 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 The purchaser must advise the vendor of any security interest that is registered on or before the day of sale on the Personal Property Securities Register, which the purchaser reasonably requires to be released, at least 21 days before the due date for settlement.
- 11.12 The vendor may delay settlement until 21 days after the purchaser advises the vendor of the security interests that the purchaser reasonably requires to be released if the purchaser does not provide an advice 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. BUILDER WARRANTY INSURANCE

The vendor warrants that the vendor will provide at settlement details of any current builder warranty insurance in the vendor's possession relating to the property if requested in writing to do so at least 21 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* 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*.

- 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*.
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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 deposit must be released to the vendor if:
- (a) the vendor provides particulars, to the satisfaction of the purchaser, that either:
 - (i) there are no debts secured against the property; or
 - (ii) if there are any debts, the total amount of those debts together with any amounts to be withheld in accordance with general conditions 24 and 25 does not exceed 80% of the sale price; and
 - (b) at least 28 days have elapsed since the particulars were given to the purchaser under paragraph (a); and
 - (c) all conditions of section 27 of the *Sale of Land Act 1962* have been satisfied.
- 14.4 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.
- 14.5 The stakeholder may pay the deposit and any interest into court if it is reasonable to do so.
- 14.6 Where the purchaser is deemed by section 27(7) of the *Sale of Land Act 1962* 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.
- 14.7 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.
- 14.8 Payment by electronic funds transfer is made when cleared funds are received in the recipient's bank account.
- 14.9 Before the funds are electronically transferred the intended recipient must be notified in writing and given sufficient particulars to readily identify the relevant transaction.
- 14.10 As soon as the funds have been electronically transferred the intended recipient must be provided with the relevant transaction number or reference details.
- 14.11 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 Settlement must be conducted between the hours of 10.00 am and 4.00 pm unless the parties agree otherwise.

17.3 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. The workspace is an electronic address for the service of notices and for written communications for the purposes of any electronic transactions legislation.

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 by 4.00 pm, or 6.00 pm if the nominated time for settlement is after 4.00 pm.

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 by the contract) 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

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 lodgment 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 this general condition:
 - (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 a registered building practitioner or architect which discloses a current defect in a structure on the land and designates it as a major building 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 control operator licensed under Victorian law 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 following basis:
- (a) 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
 - (b) the land is treated as the only land of which the vendor is owner (as defined in the *Land Tax Act 2005*); and
 - (c) the vendor is taken to own the land as a resident Australian beneficial owner; and
 - (d) any personal statutory benefit available to each party is disregarded in calculating apportionment.
- 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.

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) 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth). 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth) ("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 lodgment 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth) 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth). 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth) or in *A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999* (Cth) 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth) 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth), 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth) 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 legislation. 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth). 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 lodgment 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth), but only if:
 - (a) so agreed by the vendor in writing; and
 - (b) the settlement is not conducted through an electronic lodgment 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth). 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth) 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth) 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 *Taxation Administration Act 1953* (Cth).
- 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 authorized 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 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.

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*:

- (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*; 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 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.
- 31.4 The purchaser may nominate an amount not exceeding \$5,000 to be held by a stakeholder to be appointed by the parties if the property is not in the condition required by general condition 31.2 at settlement.
- 31.5 The nominated amount may be deducted from the amount due to the vendor at settlement and paid to the stakeholder, but only if the purchaser also pays an amount equal to the nominated amount to the stakeholder.
- 31.6 The stakeholder must pay the amounts referred to in general condition 31.5 in accordance with the determination of the dispute, including any order for payment of the costs of the resolution of the dispute.

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 a rate of 2% per annum plus the rate for the time being fixed by section 2 of the *Penalty Interest Rates Act 1983* 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:

- (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.

GUARANTEE

TO THE WITHIN NAMED VENDOR

I,

of

in the State of Victoria (hereinafter called "the Guarantor") IN CONSIDERATION of the within named Vendor having at the request of the Guarantor entered into the within Contract of Sale with the within named Purchaser HEREBY COVENANT with the Vendor that if at any time default shall be made in payment of any balance of purchase money interest or other monies or instalments for the time being due and payable to the Vendor under the within Contract of Sale and on the part of the Purchaser to be performed or observed the Guarantor will forthwith on demand pay to the Vendor the whole of the monies payments whereof shall be in default and will keep the Vendor indemnified against all losses damages costs charges and expenses whatsoever which the Vendor may incur by reason of or arising howsoever out of any default on the part of the Purchaser in the due performance and observance by the Purchaser of any such agreement or obligation of the Purchaser AND IT IS HEREBY AGREED AND DECLARED that this Guarantee shall be a continuing Guarantee and the Guarantor shall not be released by any neglect or forbearance on the part of the Vendor in enforcing performance or observance of any agreement or obligation of the Purchaser or payment of any sum payable by the Purchaser or by any time or indulgence granted by the Vendor to the Purchaser or by any variation or extension of the within Contract of Sale or by any other thing whatsoever which under the law relating to sureties would but for this provision have the effect of so releasing the Guarantor. If there is more than one Guarantor, this Guarantee binds them jointly and each of them individually.

DATED this day of 2025.

<u>SIGNED SEALED AND DELIVERED</u>)
)
by the said)
)
in the presence of:)

SALE OF REAL ESTATE NOMINATION FORM

Relating to a contract between:

VENDOR

and

PURCHASER

concerning

DATE OF
CONTRACT:

PROPERTY

NOMINEE

As the Property is expressed as sold to the Purchaser "and/or Nominee" (or words of like effect) then pursuant to the conditions of the contract the Purchaser nominates the Nominee as substitute purchaser to take a transfer or conveyance in lieu of the Purchaser.

The Purchaser and the Nominee acknowledge that they will henceforth be jointly and severally liable for the due performance of the obligations of the Purchaser under the contract and payment of any expenses resulting from this nomination (including any Stamp Duty).

DATED the day of 2025.

Signature of the Purchaser:

Signature of the Nominees:

.....

Vendor Statement

Instructions for completing this document

Words in *italics* are generally for instruction or information only.

Where marked "+" below, the authority of a person signing under a power of attorney, as a director of a corporation or as an agent authorized in writing must be added in the vendor or purchaser's name or signature box. A corporation's ACN OR ABN should also be included.


Delete as appropriate wherever an asterisk (*) appears. "Nil" may be written in any of the rectangular boxes if appropriate.

Additional information may be added to section 13 where there is sufficient space.

The vendor makes this statement in respect of the land in accordance with section 32 of the *Sale of Land Act 1962*. This statement must be signed by the vendor and given to the purchaser before the purchaser signs the contract. The vendor may sign by electronic signature. The purchaser acknowledges being given this statement signed by the vendor with the attached documents before the purchaser signed any contract.

Land **11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT, WHEELERS HILL VIC 3150**

Vendor's Name + SAMIR KHALIL NICOLA DEIR

Vendor's signature  Date 16 / 06 / 2025

Vendor's Name + AMAL DEIR

Vendor's signature  Date 16 / 06 / 2025

Purchaser's Name + _____

Purchaser's signature _____ Date _____ / _____ / _____

Purchaser's Name + _____

Purchaser's signature _____ Date _____ / _____ / _____

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1. FINANCIAL MATTERS

1.1 Particulars of any Rates, Taxes, Charges or Other Similar Outgoings (and any interest on them)

- (a) ☐ * Their Total does not exceed \$
- OR
- (b) ☒ * Are contained in the attached certificate/s
- OR
- (c) ☐ * Their amounts are:

Authority	Amount	Interest (if any)
(1)	(1) \$	(1) \$
(2)	(2) \$	(2) \$

- (d) ☐ * There are NO amounts for which the purchaser may become liable as a consequence of the sale of which the vendor might reasonably expect to have knowledge¹, which are not included in items 1.1(a), (b) or (c) above; other than any amounts described in this rectangular box.

\$

1.2 Particulars of any Charge (whether registered or not) imposed by or under any Act to secure an amount due under the Act, including the amount owing under the charge

\$	To
Other particulars (including dates and times of payment):	

1.3 Terms Contract

This Section 1.3 only applies if this vendor statement is in respect of a terms contract where the purchaser is obliged to make 2 or more payments (other than a deposit or final payment) to the vendor after the execution of the contract and before the purchaser is entitled to a conveyance or transfer of the land.

- ☐ * Attached is a Law Institute of Victoria published "Additional Vendor Statement".

1.4 Sale Subject to Mortgage

This Section 1.4 only applies if this vendor statement is in respect of a contract which provides that any mortgage (whether registered or unregistered), is NOT to be discharged before the purchaser becomes entitled to possession of receipts and profits.

- ☐ * Attached is a Law Institute of Victoria published "Additional Vendor Statement".

2. INSURANCE

2.1 Damage and Destruction

This section 2.1 only applies if this vendor statement is in respect of a contract which does NOT provide for the land to remain at the risk of the vendor until the purchaser becomes entitled to possession or receipt of rents and profits.

- (a) ☐ * Attached is a copy or extract of any policy of insurance in respect of any damage to or destruction of the land.

OR

- (b) ☐ * Particulars of any such policy of insurance in respect of any damage to or destruction of the land are as follows:

¹ Other than any GST payable in accordance with the Contract

Name of insurance company:

Type of Policy:

Policy No.

Expiry date:

Amount insured:

2.2 Owner Builder

This section 2.2 only applies where there is a residence on the land that was constructed by an owner builder within the preceding 6 years and section 137B of the Building Act 1993 applies to the residence.

- (a) ☐ * Attached is a copy or extract of any policy of insurance required under the Building Act 1993.
OR
(b) ☐ * Particulars of any required insurance under the Building Act 1993 are as follows:

Name of insurance company:

Policy No.

Expiry date:

Note: There may be additional legislative obligations in respect of the sale of land on which there is a building or on which building work has been carried out.

3. LAND USE

3.1 Easements, Covenants or Other Similar Restrictions

- (a) A description of any easement, covenant or other similar restriction affecting the land (whether registered or unregistered) –
☒ * is in the attached copies of title document/s
OR
☐ * is as follows

- (b) ☐ * Particulars of any existing failure to comply with that easement, covenant or other similar restriction are:

3.2 Road Access

There is NO access to the property by road if the square box is marked with an "X"

☐

3.3 Designated Bushfire Prone Area

* The land is in a designated bushfire prone area within the meaning of regulations made under the Building Act 1993 if the square box is marked with an "X"

☐

3.4 Planning Scheme

- ☒ * Attached is a certificate with the required specified information.
OR
☐ * The required specified information is as follows:
(a) Name of the Planning Scheme:
(b) Name of the responsible Authority:
(c) Zoning of the land:
(d) Name of the planning overlay:

4. NOTICES

4.1 Notice, Order, Declaration, Report or Recommendation

Particulars of any notice, order, declaration, report or 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.

- ☒ * Are contained in the attached certificates and/or statements.
OR
☐ * Are as follows:

4.2 Agricultural Chemicals

There are NO 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 contaminations by agricultural chemicals affecting the ongoing use of the land for agricultural purposes. However, if this is not the case, the details of any such notices, property maintenance plans, reports or orders are as follows:

4.3 Compulsory Acquisition

The particulars of any notices of intention to acquire that have been served under section 6 of the *Land Acquisition and Compensation Act 1986* are as follows:

5. BUILDING PERMITS

Particulars of any building permit issued under the *Building Act 1993* in the preceding 7 years (required only where there is a residence on the land):

☒ * Are contained in the attached certificates and/or statements.

OR

☐ * Are as follows:

6. OWNERS CORPORATION

This section 6 only applies if the land is affected by an owners corporation within the meaning of the *Owners Corporations Act 2006*.

☐ 6.1 *Attached is a current owners corporation certificate with its required accompanying documents and statements, issued in accordance with section 151 of the *Owners Corporations Act 2006*.

OR

☐ 6.2 *Attached is the information prescribed for the purposes of action 151(4)(a) of the *Owners Corporations Act 2006* and the copy documents specified in section 151(4)(b)(i) and (iii) of that Act.

OR

☐ 6.3 *The owners corporation is an inactive owners corporation².

7. ☐ *GROWTH AREAS INFRASTRUCTURE CONTRIBUTIONS ("GAIC")

Words and expressions in this section 7 have the same meaning as in Part 9B of the *Planning and Environment Act 1987*.

7.1 Work-in-Kind Agreement

This section 7.1 only applies if the land is subject to a work-in-kind agreement.

- (a) *The land is NOT to be transferred under the agreement unless the square box is marked with an "X" ☐
- (b) *The land is NOT land on which works are to be carried out under the agreement (other than Crown land) unless the square box is marked with an "X" ☐
- (c) *The land is NOT land in respect of which a GAIC is imposed unless the square box is marked with an "X" ☐

7.2 GAIC Recording

This section 7.2 only applies if there is a GAIC recording.

Any of the following certificates or notices must be attached if there is a GAIC recording.

The accompanying boxes marked with an "X" indicate that such a certificate or notice that is attached:

- (a) *Any certificate of release from liability to pay a GAIC ☐
- (b) *Any certificate of deferral of the liability to pay the whole or part of a GAIC ☐
- (c) *Any certificate of exemption from liability to pay a GAIC ☐
- (d) *Any certificate of staged payment approval ☐
- (e) *Any certificate of no GAIC liability ☐
- (f) *Any notice providing evidence of the grant of a reduction of the whole or part of the liability for a GAIC or any exemption from that liability ☐
- (g) *A GAIC certificate issued under Part 9B of the *Planning and Environment Act 1987* must be attached if there is no certificate or notice issued under any of sub-sections 7.2(a) to (f) above ☐

² An inactive owners corporation includes one that in the previous 15 months has not held an annual general meeting, not fixed any fees and not held any insurance.

8. SERVICES

The services which are marked with an "X" in the accompanying square box are NOT connected to the land:
Electricity supply ☐ Gas Supply ☐ Water supply ☐ Sewerage ☐ Telephone services ☐

9. TITLE

Attached are copies of the following documents:

- ☒ 9.1 *(a) Registered Title
 A Registered Search Statement and the document, or part of a document, referred to as the
 "diagram location" in that statement which identifies the land and its location.
 OR
☐ *(b) General Law Title
 The last conveyance in the chain of title or other document which gives evidence of the
 vendor's title to the land.
- ☐ *9.2 Evidence of the vendor's rights or power to sell (where the vendor is not the registered proprietor or
 the owner in fee simple).

10. SUBDIVISION

10.1 Unregistered Subdivision

This section 10.1 only applies if the land is subject to a subdivision which is not registered.

- (a) ☐ *Attached is a copy of the plan of subdivision certified by the relevant municipal council if the
 plan is not yet registered.
 OR
(b) ☐ *Attached is a copy of the latest version of the plan if the plan of subdivision has not yet
 been certified

10.2 Staged Subdivision

This Section 10.2 only applies if the land is part of a staged subdivision within the meaning of section 37 of the *Subdivision Act* 1988.

- (a) ☐ *Attached is a copy of the plan for the first stage if the land is in the second or a subsequent
 stage.
(b) The requirements in a statement of compliance relating to the stage in which the land is included
 that have not been complied with are as follows:

- (c) The proposals relating to subsequent stages that are known to the vendor are as follows:

- (d) The contents of any permit under the *Planning and Environment Act* 1987 authorising the staged
 subdivision are:

10.3 Further Plan of Subdivision

This section 10.3 only applies if the land is subject to a subdivision in respect of which a further plan within the meaning of the *Subdivision Act* 1988 is proposed.

- (a) ☐ *Attached is a copy of the plan which has been certified by the relevant municipal council (if
 the later plan has not been registered).
 OR
(b) ☐ *Attached is a copy of the latest version of the plan (if the later plan has not yet been certified).

11. ☐ *DISCLOSURE OF ENERGY INFORMATION

(Disclosure of this information is not required under section 32 of the Sale of Land Act 1962 but may be included in this vendor statement for convenience)

Details of any energy efficiency information required to be disclosed regarding a disclosure affected building or disclosure affected area of a building as defined by the *Building Energy Efficiency Disclosure Act* 2010 (Cth)

- (a) to be a building or part of a building used or capable of being used as an office for administrative clerical, professional or similar based activities including any support facilities; and
(b) which has a net lettable area of a least 2000m²; (but does not include a building under a strata title system or if an occupancy permit was issued less than 2 years before the relevant date):

☐ * Are contained in the attached building energy efficiency certificate

☐ OR
*Are as follows:

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12. DUE DILIGENCE CHECKLIST

(The Sale of Land Act 1962 provides that the vendor or the vendor's licensed estate agent must make a prescribed due diligence checklist available to purchasers before offering land for sale that is vacant residential land or land on which there is a residence. The due diligence checklist is NOT required to be provided with, or attached to, this vendor statement but the checklist may be attached as a matter of convenience).

13. ATTACHMENTS

(Any certificates, documents and other attachments may be annexed to this section 13).

(Additional information may be added to this section 13 where there is insufficient space in any of the earlier sections).

(Attached is a Law Institute of Victoria published "Additional Vendor Statement" if section 1.3 (Terms Contract) or section 1.4 (Sale Subject to Mortgage) applies).

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

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LAND DESCRIPTION

Lot 58 on Plan of Subdivision 111651.
PARENT TITLE Volume 09102 Folio 323
Created by instrument AZ000024X 28/03/2025

REGISTERED PROPRIETOR

Estate Fee Simple
Joint Proprietors
AMAL DEIR
SAMIR KHALIL NICOLA DEIR both of 11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL VIC
3150
AT682605U 12/10/2020

ENCUMBRANCES, CAVEATS AND NOTICES

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 or imaged folio set out under DIAGRAM LOCATION below.

DIAGRAM LOCATION

SEE LP111651 FOR FURTHER DETAILS AND BOUNDARIES

ACTIVITY IN THE LAST 125 DAYS

NUMBER	STATUS	DATE
AZ000024X (E)	APPLICATION LOST TITLE Registered	28/03/2025

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

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

Street Address: 11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL VIC 3150

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTICES

NIL

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Effective from 28/03/2025

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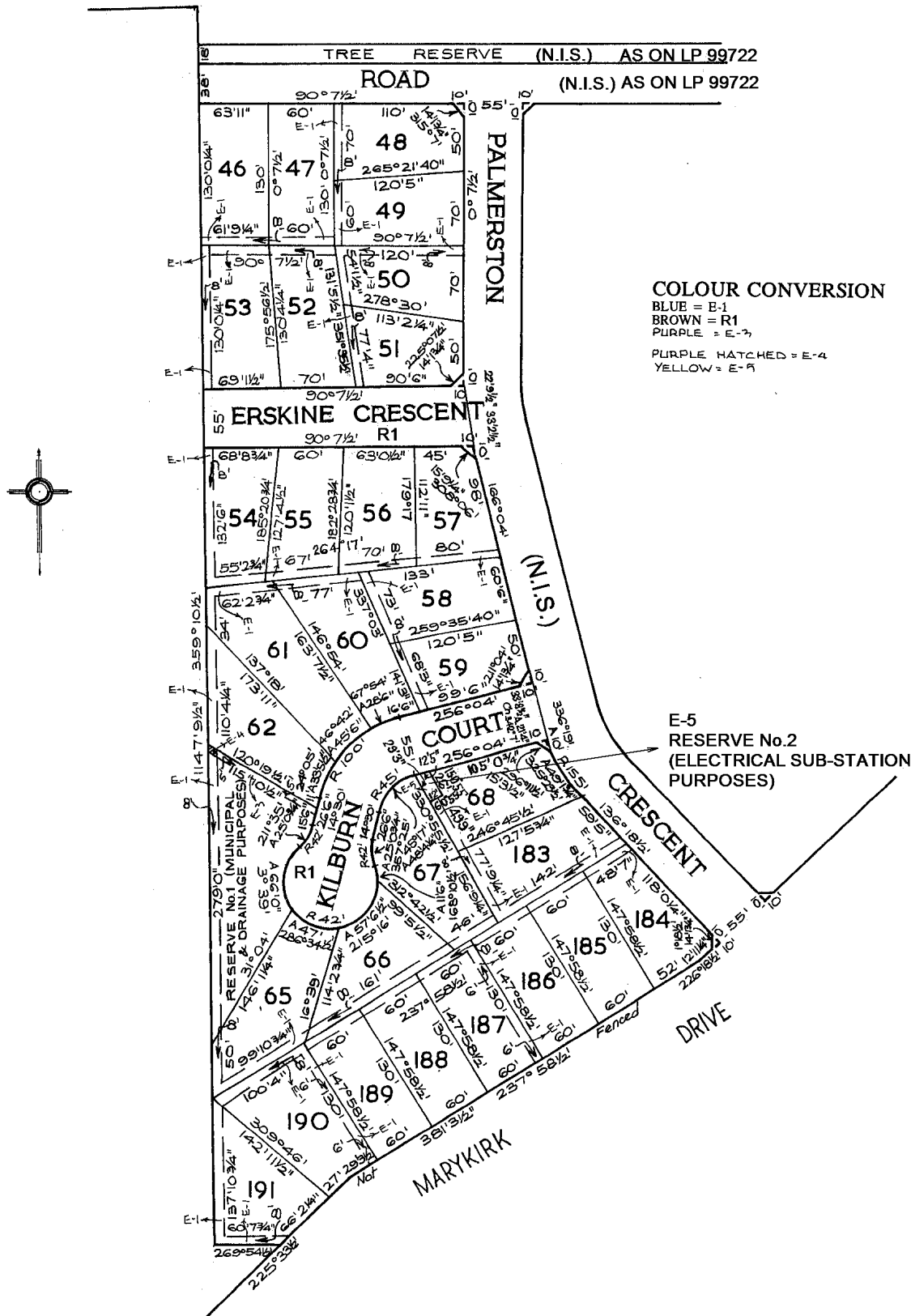
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	Brown - way & drainage
	Purple - electricity supply purposes.
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Property Clearance Certificate

Land Tax



BALFE AND WEBB

Your Reference:	LD:76116828-011-5.230211 - I
Certificate No:	86550564
Issue Date:	11 MAR 2025
Enquiries:	ESYSPROD

Land Address: 11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL VIC 3150					
Land Id	Lot	Plan	Volume	Folio	Tax Payable
23739094	58	111651	9102	323	\$0.00

Vendor: AMAL DEIR & SAMIR DEIR
Purchaser: UNKNOWN UNKNOWN

Current Land Tax	Year Taxable Value (SV)	Proportional Tax	Penalty/Interest	Total
MS AMAL DEIR	2025	\$1,090,000	\$0.00	\$0.00

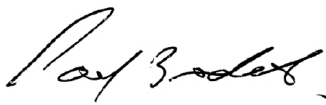
Comments: Property is exempt: LTX Principal Place of Residence.

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

Arrears of Land Tax	Year	Proportional Tax	Penalty/Interest	Total
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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):	\$2,930,000
SITE VALUE (SV):	\$1,090,000
CURRENT LAND TAX AND VACANT RESIDENTIAL LAND TAX CHARGE:	\$0.00



Notes to Certificate - Land Tax

Certificate No: 86550564

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 = \$5,460.00

Taxable Value = \$1,090,000

Calculated as \$4,650 plus (\$1,090,000 - \$1,000,000) multiplied by 0.900 cents.

VACANT RESIDENTIAL LAND TAX CALCULATION

Vacant Residential Land Tax = \$29,300.00

Taxable Value = \$2,930,000

Calculated as \$2,930,000 multiplied by 1.000%.

Land Tax - Payment Options

BPAY



Billers Code: 5249
Ref: 86550564

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CARD



Ref: 86550564

Visa or Mastercard

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

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Property Clearance Certificate

Commercial and Industrial Property Tax



BALFE AND WEBB

Your Reference:	LD:76116828-011-5.230211 - Dei
Certificate No:	86550564
Issue Date:	11 MAR 2025
Enquires:	ESYSPROD

Land Address: 11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL VIC 3150

Land Id	Lot	Plan	Volume	Folio	Tax Payable
23739094	58	111651	9102	323	\$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:	\$2,930,000
SITE VALUE:	\$1,090,000
CURRENT CIPT CHARGE:	\$0.00

Notes to Certificate - Commercial and Industrial Property Tax

Certificate No: 86550564

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



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Your Reference:	LD:76116828-011-5.230211 - DEI
Certificate No:	86550564
Issue Date:	11 MAR 2025

Land Address: 11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL VIC 3150

Lot	Plan	Volume	Folio
58	111651	9102	323

Vendor: AMAL DEIR & SAMIR DEIR
Purchaser: UNKNOWN UNKNOWN

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: 86550564

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

<div><div><div>BPAY</div><div></div><div>Billers Code: 416073 Ref: 86550563</div></div><div><div>Telephone & Internet Banking - BPAY®</div><div>Contact your bank or financial institution to make this payment from your cheque, savings, debit or transaction account.</div><div>www.bpay.com.au</div></div></div>	<div><div><div>CARD</div><div></div><div>Ref: 86550563</div></div><div><div>Visa or Mastercard</div><div>Pay via our website or phone 13 21 61. A card payment fee applies.</div><div>sro.vic.gov.au/payment-options</div></div></div>	<div><div><div>Important payment information</div><div>Windfall gains tax payments must be made using only these specific payment references.</div><div>Using the incorrect references for the different tax components listed on this property clearance certificate will result in misallocated payments.</div></div></div>
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Land Information Certificate

Local Government Act 2020 - Section 121

Certificate Number: 90252

Issued: 14 March 2025

This certificate **provides** information regarding valuation, rates, charges, other moneys owing and any orders and notices made under the Local Government Act 1958, Local Government Act 1989 and Local Government Act 2020 or under a local law or by-law of the council, as at the above date.

This certificate is **not required** to include information regarding planning, building, health, land fill, land slip, other flooding information or service easements. Information regarding these matters may be available from the Council or the relevant authority. A fee may be charged for such information.

Property Information:

Property location: **11 Palmerston Crescent WHEELERS HILL VIC 3150**

Title details: **Lot 58 LP 111651 Parish of Mulgrave**

AVPCC/Land Use: **Land Use: 110 - Detached Dwelling**

Valuation details:

Current level of value date: 1 January 2024

Valuation date operative for rating purposes: 1 July 2024

Capital Improved Value: 2,930,000

Site Value: 1,090,000

Net Annual Value: 146,500

This Council uses the 'Capital Improved Value' of the property for rating purposes.

Due Dates for Payment:

1. **Arrears Rates & Charges & Arrears Legal** - Immediately - **PLEASE NOTE** If this certificate has Arrears Rates & Charges greater than \$100.00 or any Arrears Legal then **the owner must contact** Council's recovery agency Maddocks Recoveries on 03 9258 3847 to discuss this debt as further legal action may be pending and additional costs incurred.
2. **Legal/Bank fees/Interest raised current year** - Immediately.
3. **In Full** - 17 February 2025. If amount unpaid after this date refer to point 1 above.
4. **Four Instalments** – 30 September 2024, 2 December 2024, 28 February 2025 & 2 June 2025.
5. **Ten Instalments** – Commencing 2 September 2024 ending 2 June 2025.

Rates & Charges - Multiple assessments may apply (see below) for the year ending:
30 June 2025:

Assessment No. 1436005

Charges:

Residential/Supplementary Rate	4,004.65
Recycle and Waste Levy	52.00
Fire Services Levy - State Government	386.90
Legal Costs and Fees	0.00

Pension Rebates (if applicable):

Residential/Supplementary Rate - Government	0.00
Residential/Supplementary Rate - Council	0.00
Legal Costs and Fees	0.00
Recycle and Waste Levy	0.00
Fire Services Levy - State Government	0.00

Additional information and amounts:

Arrears Rates & Charges	B/Fwd 01/07/2024	0.00
Arrears Legal	B/Fwd 01/07/2024	0.00
Interest raised current year on	Arrears Rates & Charges	0.00
Interest raised current year on	Overdue Instals/General/Supp Rates	0.00
Legal/Bank Fees		0.00
Payments		-4,443.55
Overpayments		0.00
Refunds		0.00

BALANCE OWING	Assessment No. 1436005	\$0.00
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The Local Government Act 1989, Section 175, requires all arrears/interest/legal fees amounts to be paid in full immediately upon settlement.

Section 175 of the Local Government Act 1989 refers to the purchasers' responsibilities for payments upon becoming the owner of the land.


To confirm the amount payable please contact Customer Service on (03) 9518 3555. Please note, overdue amounts continue to accrue interest at 10.00% pa until payment in full is received by Council.

Notices, Orders, Outstanding or Potential Liability / Subdivisional:

- A. Potential liability for rates under the Cultural and Recreational Land Act 1963:**
 - N/A
- B. Potential liability for property to become rateable under Section 173 or 174A of the Local Government Act 1989:**
 - N/A
- C. Outstanding monies required to be paid under Section 18 of the Subdivision Act 1988 or the Local Government Act 1958, 1989 or 2020:**
 - N/A
- D. Monies owed under Section 227 of the Local Government Act 1989 or Section 119 of the Local Government Act 2020:**
 - N/A
- E. Flood levels specified by Council:**
 - N/A
- F. Any money owned in relation to the land under section 94(5) of the Electricity Industry Act 2000**
 - N/A
- G. Other Information under Section 121 (4) of the Local Government Act 2020:**
 - A notice may be/has been served on the owner to clear a potential fire hazard non-compliance with this notice will result in a charge being levied. Council's Local Law No. 3 requires the owners of the land shall keep it free of vegetation and any other materials which are likely to constitute a fire hazard. Enquiries to Local Laws on (03) 9518 3555.
- H. Landfill Gas Risk Area**
 - Not Applicable

IMPORTANT TO NOTE:

- Verbal confirmation of any variation to this certificate **will not** be given after 12 June 2025. A new certificate **must be** applied for after this date.
- No liability will be accepted for verbal updates given or for any changes that occur after the issue date.
- In all cases Council recommends a new Certificate be applied for to have written updated information.
- Amounts shown as paid on this certificate may be subject to clearance by a Bank.
- Overdue amounts accrue interest on a daily basis at 10.00% pa.
- All Notice of Acquisitions documents are to be sent to mail@monash.vic.gov.au

HOW AND WHERE TO PAY OUTSTANDING RATES				
IN PERSON TO THE CASHIER MON- FRI 8.30AM to 5.00PM:		BY MAIL:		 Billers Code: 1826 REF: 0001436005 \$0.00 Total Outstanding: \$0.00
GLEN WAVERLEY OFFICE 293 SPRINGVALE RD GLEN WAVERLEY	OAKLEIGH OFFICE 3 ATHERTON RD OAKLEIGH	CITY OF MONASH PO BOX 1 GLEN WAVERLEY 3150		
CREDIT CARD				
By Phone Call Council on (03) 9518 3555 and pay using your MasterCard, Visa, American Express		Pay Online At: www.monash.vic.gov.au/payments		Telephone & Internet Banking – BPAY Call your bank, credit union or building society to make this payment from your cheque, savings or credit card account. More info: www.bpay.com.au
1436005 - \$0.00		1436005 - \$0.00		

PLEASE NOTE: The prescribed fee for a Land Information Certificate effective from 1 July 2024 is **\$29.70**.

I confirm I have received the sum of **\$29.70** being the fee for this Certificate.

Applicant details:

Landata
GPO Box 527
MELBOURNE VIC 3001

Reference date: 11/03/2025
Reference no: 76116828-014-6:56836

Document summary:

MARGARET SPOWART

Manager Customer Experience

11th March 2025

Balfe and Webb C/- LANDATA
LANDATA

Dear Balfe and Webb C/- LANDATA,

RE: Application for Water Information Statement

Property Address:	11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL 3150
Applicant	Balfe and Webb C/- LANDATA LANDATA
Information Statement	30924480
Conveyancing Account Number	7959580000
Your Reference	230211 - Deir

Thank you for your recent application for a Water Information Statement (WIS). We are pleased to provide you the WIS for the above property address. This statement includes:

- Yarra Valley Water Property Information Statement
- Melbourne Water Property Information Statement
- Asset Plan
- Conditions of Connection and Consent
- Rates Certificate
- Build Over Easement

If you have any questions about Yarra Valley Water information provided, please phone us on **1300 304 688** or email us at the address propertyflow@yvw.com.au. For further information you can also refer to the Yarra Valley Water website at www.yvw.com.au.

Yours sincerely,

Lisa Anelli
GENERAL MANAGER
RETAIL SERVICES

Yarra Valley Water Property Information Statement

Property Address	11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL 3150
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STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 158 WATER ACT 1989

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION RELATES TO SECTION 158(3)

Existing sewer mains will be shown on the Asset Plan.

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION RELATES TO SECTION 158(4)

YVW has imposed conditions on the erection of structures on or near the water and/or sewer assets and/or easement. This consent binds the owner(s) of the land and successors in title and is enforceable under Section 148 of the Water Act 1989.

Please note: Unless prior consent has been obtained, the Water Act prohibits:

1. The erection and/or placement of any building, wall, bridge, fence, embankment, filling, material, machinery or other structure over or under any sewer or drain.
2. The connection of any drain or sewer to, or interference with, any sewer, drain or watercourse.

Melbourne Water Property Information Statement

Property Address	11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL 3150
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STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 158 WATER ACT 1989

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION RELATES TO SECTION 158(4)

Information available at Melbourne Water indicates that this property is not subject to flooding from Melbourne Water's drainage system, based on a flood level that has a probability of occurrence of 1% in any one year.

Please note: Unless prior consent has been obtained, the Water Act prohibits:

1. The erection and/or placement of any building, wall, bridge, fence, embankment, filling, material, machinery or other structure over or under any sewer or drain.
2. The connection of any drain or sewer to, or interference with, any sewer, drain or watercourse.

If you have any questions regarding Melbourne Water encumbrances or advisory information, please contact Melbourne Water on 9679 7517.

2nd August 2016

Application ID: 209064

CONDITIONS OF CONNECTION

Approval is subject to payment of all charges and completion of conditions. This approval covers the following services and connections:

Approval Detail

Water

Connection Details

Product	Pipe Material	Pipe Size	Qty	Street where main located
20mm Connection - Drinking Water	CAST IRON CEMENT LI	225	1	Palmerston Crescent

Required Services

Product	Qty
20mm Connection - Drinking Water	1
Std 20mm DW Meter & Installation (incl meter w/lock)	1

Sewer

Connection Or Disconnection Details

Sewer Connection Description	PSP Number
Water & Sewer Connection	520445

Conditions of Connection Details

GENERAL

In these conditions the terms,

- (a) 'You' and 'Your' refer to the owner of a property connected (or about to be connected) to Yarra Valley Water assets
- (b) 'We', 'Us' and 'Our' refer to Yarra Valley Water.

Section 145 of the Water Act 1989 details the legislative rights and responsibilities of both the applicant and Yarra Valley Water in relation to connection, alteration or removal and discharging to the works of Yarra Valley Water. These Conditions of Connection set out the terms and conditions to be satisfied for connecting a property to sewer, potable and recycled water.

These conditions are binding on successor-in-title of the person who applied for that consent, under section 145 of the Water Act 1989. If you are not the owner of the property, please provide a copy of this letter to the owner.

The Conditions of Connection must be handed to the Licensed Plumber. Any work which these Conditions of Connection require you to undertake, must be done by a Licensed Plumber, engaged by you, at your cost.

It is the Licensed Plumber's responsibility to ensure that the plumbing and drainage work is completed in accordance with the relevant plumbing regulations and to the satisfaction of the Victorian Building Authority – Plumbing.

Any sewer connection branch and the connecting works must be installed so that they comply, in all respects, with the:

- Plumbing Regulations 1998 (Vic);
 - Water Industry Regulations 2006 (Vic);
 - Building Act 1993 (Vic);
 - Relevant AS/NZS series of standards applicable to sewer connection branch and connecting works from time to time,
- and any other technical requirements which we reasonably specify.

It is the responsibility of the person performing any excavation in a road reserve to obtain a Road Opening Permit from the relevant Authority before any excavation work commences. All traffic management requirements contained in the permit must be complied with.

WATER

General water supply(s) are to be installed as referenced in the table of approval details of this document as required services. The table includes water main and connection details. In a mandated recycled water area recycling connections also apply and are referenced in the same table.

For 20mm and 25mm services and all services where a manifold is to be installed, the service pipe, including a meter assembly with a temporary spacer pipe and any relevant backflow device must be

installed by the plumber, prior to the time of the tapping or meter installation. Meters are installed by Yarra Valley Waters plumbing contractor. For 32mm and larger services, the meter will be delivered to you and must be installed on the property prior to the tapping. The service pipe must also be installed prior to the tapping. All manifolds are to be located below ground and must be left exposed for Yarra Valley Water's plumbing contractor to inspect prior to installation of the meters. Failure to comply will result in the tapping being cancelled. A rebooking fee will be applicable when rebooking the tapping.

All tapplings, pluggings and metering products can be arranged using easyACCESS. Work must be carried out in accordance with the Water Metering & Servicing Guidelines (see our website). Once all fees have been paid and you are ready to book your plumbing products, please contact Yarra Valley Water's contractor Select Solutions on 1300 724 858. A phone call is not required if products are New Estate Connections or Combo Drinking Water & Recycled Water. Please allow a minimum of 10 business days' notice when contacting Select Solutions.

All meters are supplied by Yarra Valley Water after payment of the relevant fees.

If the tapping and/or plugging is required to be performed outside of business hours, either at your request or as determined by Yarra Valley Water's plumbing contractor, an additional after hours fee will apply.

Meters are not permitted to be installed inside units/dwellings. In all situations where the meter is deemed inaccessible, either by your advice, or as determined by Yarra Valley Water plumbing contractor, remote read meters must be fitted at your cost. Remote read meters must be installed in the following circumstances: high rise developments; any water meter which is located where Yarra Valley Water will have to enter a building to read the meter; where access to the meter will be restricted by gates/fences. If you are aware that remote read meters will be required, please inform the easyACCESS staff at the time of booking.

For all tapplings and/or pluggings, it is the responsibility of the person performing the excavation to obtain a Road Opening Permit from the local municipal authority before any excavation work commences. All traffic management requirements contained in the Road Opening permit must be complied with. The excavation must expose the main at the tapping/plugging point and be made safe prior to the tapping / plugging appointment time. If you choose to have Yarra Valley Water's plumbing contractor carry out the excavation, Yarra Valley Water will organize the necessary permit at an additional cost on a per road opening basis.

Failure to comply with any of these requirements will result in the booking being cancelled and a rebooking fee will apply.

Yarra Valley Water's plumbing contractor can be contacted on 1300 724 858.

Whether you have elected your plumber or Yarra Valley Water to carry out the excavation, please contact Yarra Valley Water's Plumbing Contractor Select Solutions on 1300 724 858 to schedule a date and time. Prior to our Plumbing Contractor attending on site to carry out the scheduled work you will be required to clearly mark your preferred location for the service. If the preferred location is not marked, the work will not be undertaken and you will incur a wasted site visit fee. Please note; bookings can take up to three (3) business days to generate after payment is made.

Should you wish to reschedule the booking, Yarra Valley Water's plumbing contractor can be contacted on 1300 724 858. If you cancel or reschedule a booking within 24 hours of the scheduled date / time a wasted site visit fee will apply. If you wish to cancel the booking you will need to contact Yarra Valley Water (if applicable), to seek a refund. A cancellation fee may apply.

METER ASSEMBLIES & POSITIONING

It is the responsibility of the private plumber to ensure that containment, zone and individual backflow prevention is provided.

Water meter assemblies:

- a) Must be within 2 metres of the title boundary that abuts the water main
- b) Must be fitted at right angles to the water main, in line with the tapping
- c) Must be fully supported with minimum ground clearance of 150mm and should not be >300mm from the finished ground level to the base of the assembly
- d) Must not be encased in concrete surrounds
- e) Must be readily accessible for reading, maintenance and replacement. If Yarra Valley Water deem meters to be inaccessible, remote meters may be required at additional cost to the customer
- f) Can be installed in utility rooms or meter cabinets located within a common access area and must be readily accessible, subject to Yarra Valley Water's approval

If meters need to be moved >600mm a plugging and re-tapping must be booked and the relevant fee paid.

Meters which are in a public space such as a reserve or school must be protected by an appropriate cage to prevent tampering.

Meters are not permitted to be installed in pits unless prior approval has been given by Yarra Valley Water.

Meter assemblies must adhere to the meter installation diagrams available on the Yarra Valley Water website (www.yvw.com.au) to ensure the installations meet the required standard.

REMOVAL OF WATER METERS

Only Yarra Valley Water's plumbing contractor is permitted to remove water meters.

If redevelopment of the site is occurring and the meter is no longer required, a plugging of the service must be arranged and the meter will be collected by our contractor at the time of the plugging.

DAMAGED OR STOLEN METERS

If the builder/plumber damage a meter or meter assembly, it is the responsibility of the builder/plumber to rectify these assets back to the same condition as at time of installation by Yarra Valley Water.

- Failure to do so will result in Yarra Valley Water making the necessary amendments and recovering these costs from the property owner.
- Repeat offences may result in the services being plugged and re-booking fees will apply to have the services reinstated

Stolen meters are to be reported to Yarra Valley Water faults and emergencies:

- Call **13 2762** (24 hrs).
- Replacement of stolen meters can take up to 10 days. If replacement is required more urgently, please advise the operator at the time of the call.
- Until the meter is replaced no connections between the supply and the dwelling are to be reinstated. No straight pieces or alternative connections are allowed to be installed.

SEWER

Following the completion of new or altered property sewerage drain, a copy of the updated Property Sewerage Plan must be returned within 7 days to Yarra Valley Water easyACCESS@yvw.com.au.

Where a proposed development is to be constructed boundary to boundary and there is no compliant location for a sewer connection branch within the property, Yarra Valley Water approves the endpoint of the YVW sewer branch to be located outside the property and raised to surface with an appropriate approved cover. The sewer branch must meet the required clearances from proposed structures as per the Build Over Easement Guidelines. Approval may be required for private plumbing located in road reserves by Council or VicRoads. Any unused sewer branches at the site must be cut and sealed by a Yarra Valley Water accredited live sewer contractor.

AMENDMENTS

We may amend these conditions by writing to you. We may do so if we consider that any change, or proposed change, to relevant laws or our regulatory obligations require an amendment to be made.

We may also amend these conditions from time to time if we consider that it is necessary to:

- ensure that we are able to continue to comply with any law relating to health, safety or the environment, or our agreement with our bulk supplier of sewage transfer and treatment services; or
- the health or safety of anyone; or
- any part of the environment; or
- any of our works.

INDEMNITY

You must indemnify Yarra Valley Water against:

- all damages, losses, penalties, costs and expenses whatsoever, which we suffer or incur; and
- all proceedings, prosecutions or demands brought or made against us by anyone, as a result of you failing to perform any of our obligations under these conditions, except to the extent that the failure has been caused by our negligence.

You must not bring any proceeding or make any demand against us for any damage, loss, cost or expense of any kind whatsoever which you incur, directly or indirectly, as a result of Yarra Valley Water amending these conditions.

You must pay us any costs we reasonably incur in:

- making good any damage to our assets or works directly or indirectly caused by your failure to comply with these conditions; and
- inspecting our assets or works to see if such damage has been caused.

22nd October 2015

Application ID: 182197

CONDITIONS OF CONNECTION

Approval is subject to payment of all charges and completion of conditions. This approval covers the following services and connections:

Approval Detail

Sewer

Connection Or Disconnection Details

Sewer Connection Description	PSP Number
Sewer Connection	520445

Conditions of Connection Details

GENERAL

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These conditions are binding on successor-in-title of the person who applied for that consent, under section 145 of the Water Act 1989. If you are not the owner of the property, please provide a copy of this letter to the owner.

The Conditions of Connection must be handed to the Licensed Plumber. Any work which these Conditions of Connection require you to undertake, must be done by a Licensed Plumber, engaged by you, at your cost.

It is the Licensed Plumber's responsibility to ensure that the plumbing and drainage work is completed in accordance with the relevant plumbing regulations and to the satisfaction of the Victorian Building Authority – Plumbing.

Any sewer connection branch and the connecting works must be installed so that they comply, in all respects, with the:

- Plumbing Regulations 1998 (Vic);
 - Water Industry Regulations 2006 (Vic);
 - Building Act 1993 (Vic);
 - Relevant AS/NZS series of standards applicable to sewer connection branch and connecting works from time to time,
- and any other technical requirements which we reasonably specify.

It is the responsibility of the person performing any excavation in a road reserve to obtain a Road Opening Permit from the relevant Authority before any excavation work commences. All traffic management requirements contained in the permit must be complied with.

SEWER

Following the completion of new or altered property sewerage drain, a copy of the updated Property Sewerage Plan must be returned within 7 days to Yarra Valley Water. The plan can be uploaded for you at one of the easyACCESS outlets, emailed to easyACCESS@yvw.com.au.

Any unused sewer connection branches at the site must be cut and sealed.

AMENDMENTS

We may amend these conditions by writing to you. We may do so if we consider that any change, or proposed change, to relevant laws or our regulatory obligations require an amendment to be made.

We may also amend these conditions from time to time if we consider that it is necessary to:

- ensure that we are able to continue to comply with any law relating to health, safety or the environment, or our agreement with our bulk supplier of sewage transfer and treatment services; or
- the health or safety of anyone; or
- any part of the environment; or
- any of our works.

INDEMNITY

You must indemnify Yarra Valley Water against:

- all damages, losses, penalties, costs and expenses whatsoever, which we suffer or incur; and
- all proceedings, prosecutions or demands brought or made against us by anyone, as a result of you failing to perform any of our obligations under these conditions, except to the extent that the failure has been caused by our negligence.

You must not bring any proceeding or make any demand against us for any damage, loss, cost or expense of any kind whatsoever which you incur, directly or indirectly, as a result of Yarra Valley Water amending these conditions.

You must pay us any costs we reasonably incur in:

- making good any damage to our assets or works directly or indirectly caused by your failure to comply with these conditions; and
- inspecting our assets or works to see if such damage has been caused.

Balfe and Webb C/- LANDATA
LANDATA
certificates@landata.vic.gov.au

RATES CERTIFICATE

Account No: 5400543229
Rate Certificate No: 30924480

Date of Issue: 11/03/2025
Your Ref: 230211 - Deir

With reference to your request for details regarding:

Property Address	Lot & Plan	Property Number	Property Type
11 PALMERSTON CRES, WHEELERS HILL VIC 3150	58\LP111651	1307495	Residential

Agreement Type	Period	Charges	Outstanding
Residential Water Service Charge	01-01-2025 to 31-03-2025	\$20.41	\$0.00
Residential Water and Sewer Usage Charge Step 1 – 43.120000kL x \$3.43420000 = \$148.08 Step 2 – 5.880000kL x \$4.50590000 = \$26.49 Estimated Average Daily Usage \$1.78	03-10-2024 to 09-01-2025	\$174.57	\$0.00
Residential Sewer Service Charge	01-01-2025 to 31-03-2025	\$116.90	\$0.00
Parks Fee	01-01-2025 to 31-03-2025	\$21.50	\$0.00
Drainage Fee	01-01-2025 to 31-03-2025	\$30.10	\$0.00
Other Charges:			
Interest	No interest applicable at this time		
	No further charges applicable to this property		
Balance Brought Forward			\$0.00
Total for This Property			\$0.00



GENERAL MANAGER
RETAIL SERVICES

Note:

- From 1 July 2023, the Parks Fee has been charged quarterly instead of annually.
- From 1 July 2023, for properties that have water and sewer services, the Residential Water and Sewer Usage charge replaces the Residential Water Usage and Residential Sewer Usage charges.
- This statement details all tariffs, charges, and penalties due and payable to Yarra Valley Water as of the date of this statement and includes tariffs and charges (other than for usage charges yet to be billed) which are due and

payable to the end of the current financial quarter.

4. All outstanding debts are due to be paid to Yarra Valley Water at settlement. Any debts that are unpaid at settlement will carry over onto the purchaser's first quarterly account and follow normal credit and collection activities - pursuant to section 275 of the Water Act 1989.

5. If the total due displays a (-\$ cr), this means the account is in credit. Credit amounts will be transferred to the purchaser's account at settlement.

6. Yarra Valley Water provides information in this Rates Certificate relating to waterways and drainage as an agent for Melbourne Water and relating to parks as an agent for Parks Victoria - pursuant to section 158 of the Water Act 1989.

7. The charges on this rates certificate are calculated and valid at the date of issue. To obtain up-to-date financial information, please order a Rates Settlement Statement prior to settlement.

8. From 01/07/2024, Residential Water Usage is billed using the following step pricing system: 256.31 cents per kilolitre for the first 44 kilolitres; 327.60 cents per kilolitre for 44-88 kilolitres and 485.34 cents per kilolitre for anything more than 88 kilolitres. From 1 July 2023, this charge is applicable for properties with water service only.

9. From 01/07/2024, Residential Water and Sewer Usage is billed using the following step pricing system: 343.42 cents per kilolitre for the first 44 kilolitres; 450.59 cents per kilolitre for 44-88 kilolitres and 523.50 cents per kilolitre for anything more than 88 kilolitres. From 1 July 2023, this charge is applicable for residential properties with both water and sewer services.

10. From 01/07/2024, Residential Recycled Water Usage is billed 192.59 cents per kilolitre.

11. From 01/07/2022 up to 30/06/2023, Residential Sewer Usage was calculated using the following equation: Water Usage (kl) x Seasonal Factor x Discharge Factor x Price (/kl) 1.1540 per kilolitre. From 1 July 2023, this charge will no longer be applicable for residential customers with both water and sewer services.

12. The property is a serviced property with respect to all the services, for which charges are listed in the Statement of Fees above.

To ensure you accurately adjust the settlement amount, we strongly recommend you book a **Special Meter Reading**:

- Special Meter Readings ensure that actual water use is adjusted for at settlement.
- Without a Special Meter Reading, there is a risk your client's settlement adjustment may not be correct.

Property No: 1307495

Address: 11 PALMERSTON CRES, WHEELERS HILL VIC 3150

Water Information Statement Number: 30924480

HOW TO PAY



Bill Code: 314567
Ref: 54005432295

**Amount
Paid**

**Date
Paid**

**Receipt
Number**

21st May 2015

Chandra Senanayaka
GWS Design & Consulting
care of
cs@geoworks.com.au

Dear Chandra Senanayaka,

APPLICATION FOR BUILD OVER CONDITIONS

Application ID	167445
Property Address	11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL 3150
Service Location ID	1307495

Thank you for your recent application. Based on the information you have supplied, we are pleased to provide you with Build Over conditions for the above property address.

Yarra Valley Water has imposed conditions on the erection of structures on or near the water and/or sewer assets and/or easement which you need to review carefully. This consent binds the Owner(s) of the land and successors in title and is enforceable under Section 148 of the Water Act 1989. We have placed an encumbrance to this effect on the above property referencing these conditions.

Please note that our imposition of conditions does not affect the rights of any other parties over the area in question.

If there are changes or errors in the details supplied, or we determine that inaccurate information has been provided, this consent may be withdrawn by Yarra Valley Water or additional conditions imposed.

For more information and full explanations of conditions, please visit our website:
www.yvw.com.au/easyaccess.

These conditions are for the structures that you have indicated that are to be constructed, as listed below.

Structures
Driveways & Paving (Plain Concrete Only) for a Residential Property (Please Note Ramps over sewer mains are not allowed)

Details of the assets covered by these conditions are shown in the attached asset plans

and sewer depth and offset plan for each asset showing its size and average depth as applicable.

Please refer to the attached Build Over Easement and conditions applicable for each structure relative to asset and or easement on or near your property. The colours on the plans denote the following:

Colour Code	Interpretation	Relevant condition and requirement
Red circled area	Your property's identification on the plan	For information relative to easements and assets
Orange line	Boundary of easement	Generally cannot be built over except as specified below
Red shaded area around assets	Assets and area that cannot be built over	Cannot build within one meter of these assets except if conditions are specified below
Yellow hatched area	Area around the asset and the associated easement, taking into account one meter from the asset or the easement boundary (not shaded) whichever is the greater	Cannot be built over except if conditions are specified below
Green highlighted	Asset or easement that can be built over	Build over is subject to conditions below

The last page of these conditions provides a guide on how to interpret these plans and the application of the specific conditions.

If you have any enquiries please email us at easyaccess@yvw.com.au or visit our website yvw.com.au/easyACCESS for further information. Alternatively you can contact us on 1300 651 511.

Yours sincerely,



John Maudsley

Divisional Manager, Development Services

Conditions and definitions that apply under this consent:

Land:

Yarra Valley Water ("YVW") grants its consent to the owner to build a structure or place fill on land over an easement in favour of YVW, over an easement for water supply, sewerage or drainage purposes, or over or within 1 metre of YVW works (referred to as "Owner's Works"), subject to the following terms and conditions:

Standard conditions:

1. A reference in these terms and conditions to YVW includes YVW's employees, agents and contractors.
2. The applicant applying for YVW's consent for the Owner's Works warrants that they made the application as or on behalf of the owner. A reference in these terms and conditions to the owner includes a reference to the applicant or any successors in title to the owner.
3. YVW's conditional consent is to the owner's application and plans for the Owner's Works as previously provided to YVW. The owner must only construct the Owner Works in accordance with YVW's conditions of consent. Any variation to the owner's application and plans or Owner's Works requires a new application to YVW which may be approved or rejected in YVW's absolute discretion.
4. The owner is solely responsible for, and indemnifies and releases and will keep indemnified and released YVW from and against all direct and indirect actions, claims, demands, cost or expenses made, sustained, incurred, brought or prosecuted or in any manner based upon, occasioned by, or attributable to any injury to any person (including illness or death) or loss of or damage to any property which may arise from, or as a result of the Owner's Works, including but not limited to being as a result of the design, construction, placement or presence of the Owner's Works.
5. The owner is solely responsible for, and indemnifies and releases and will keep indemnified and released YVW from and against all direct and indirect actions, claims, demands, cost or expenses made, sustained, incurred, brought or prosecuted or in any manner based upon, occasioned by, or attributable to YVW inspecting, constructing, maintaining, repairing or replacing any assets or other property of YVW beneath or in the vicinity of the Owner's Works except to the extent caused by negligence of YVW.
6. YVW makes no warranty or representation and excludes all liability of any kind for the accuracy, adequacy or completeness of any plans or other information it has provided on sewer, water and other assets. The plans and any asset information accompanying this letter are issued solely as a guide for the investigation and identification of the assets specified and must not be used for

any other purpose, including to identify any property boundaries, dimensions, structures or other assets. The location of all assets must be proven on site prior to the commencement of any works. Due to ongoing potential asset changes the plans or any other information provided should not be reused at a later date and new plans and asset information should be obtained.

7. The owner must complete and ensure the Owner's Works comply with all applicable laws and authorisations.
8. The owner is solely responsible and warrants the structural integrity and sufficiency of the Owner's Works, including any footings, having regard to the presence of YVW's assets and/or easements.
9. The owner permits YVW to enter into and upon the land and structures contained on the land, for the purpose of inspecting, constructing, maintaining, repairing or replacing assets or other property of YVW, and for that purpose to excavate through any part of the Owner's Works. YVW will not repair or reinstate the Owner's Works.
10. YVW's conditions of consent are binding upon all successors in title to the land. The owner must disclose these conditions to all prospective purchasers, mortgagees or other successors in title.
11. A failure to comply with YVW's conditions of consent will invalidate YVW's consent and render the owner liable for penalties pursuant to the Water Act 1989 which may include fines or imprisonment.
12. Should any monies become due to YVW from the owner pursuant to these terms and conditions, the owner must pay such monies within 30 days of receipt of a written notice from YVW.

Specific conditions:

For any driveways and paving (plain concrete only) for a residential property (please note ramps over sewer mains are not permitted) in the vicinity of a maintenance hole, the following apply:

1. Refer to the attached plan 'F' for this structure.
2. Paving is not allowed over a maintenance hole.
3. For Driveways, maintenance hole cover levels must match new surface levels. Where alteration works are applicable the works are to be carried out by YVW at the Owner's expense.
4. For Driveways, where heavy covers are required to be fitted to comply with YVW's requirements, works must be carried out by YVW at the Owner's expense.

5. Maintenance holes can only be opened by YVW's authorised personnel

For any driveways and paving (plain concrete only) for a residential property (please note ramps over sewer mains are not permitted) in the vicinity of a sewer main up to and including 225 mm diameter and less than 3.5 m deep (excluding concrete sewers), the following apply:

1. Refer to attached plan 'F' for this structure.
2. A minimum 750 mm vertical cover is to be maintained over the sewer main.
3. No additional load is to be placed on the sewer main.

For any driveways and paving (plain concrete only) for a residential property (please note ramps over sewer mains are not permitted) in the vicinity of a property connection branch servicing the property, the following conditions apply:

1. Refer to attached plan 'F' for this structure
2. A minimum 750 mm vertical cover is to be maintained over the property connection branch
3. No additional load is to be placed on the property connection branch by the works
4. The inspection Shaft (27A) must be extended to surface. It must be fitted with an approved screw cap finishing below an appropriate cover for vehicle loading where required, flush with the finished floor level of the sewer point. Works must be performed by a Licensed Plumber.
5. The licensed plumber will be responsible to record all changes to the sewer branch on the Property Sewerage Plan. The updated information must include Surface and Invert level at inspection shaft (27A), new branch length to 27A and new Tie measurement.

Notes:

These conditions of consent will be disclosed to any person making an application for an

information statement in relation to the land pursuant to section 158 of the Water Act 1989.









































The advice in this approval letter supersedes any previous written or verbal advice that Yarra Valley Water has provided.

How to interpret the attached plans.

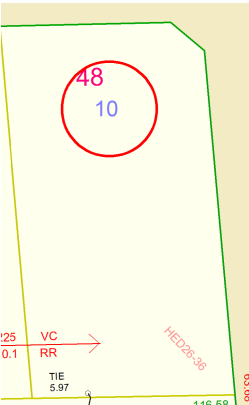
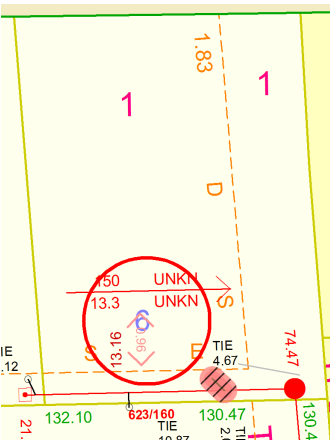
The following information will help you to interpret the build over conditions in this response. You should review this information carefully.

There are three types of plans provided.

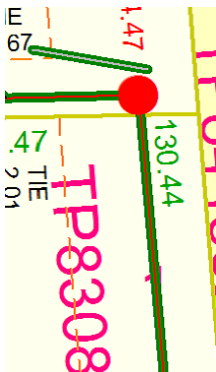
Plan Type	Purpose
Asset Plan	An Asset Plan (sometimes referred to as a Property Asset Plan) shows the water supply pipes and sewer main pipes and associated infrastructure for a property and adjacent properties that are serviced by Yarra Valley Water. These pipes are referred to as 'assets'.
Sewer Depth and Offset (SDO) Plan	<p>A Sewer Depth and Offset (SDO) Plan shows details of sewer main pipes and house connection branches on a property or on nearby properties. There is one of these plans for each relevant asset on or near your property and also any property connection branches.</p> <p>Details include pipe size, pipe material, average depth of sewer mains and depth to the connection point on a house connection branch as shown below.</p> <p>These details allow you to determine which conditions apply to a particular asset as conditions vary depending on the pipes material and depth.</p> <p>This is a Vitreous Clay pipe of 225 mm at an average depth of 3.13 m, less than the key depth of 3.5 meters.</p> <div data-bbox="478 1400 782 1630"> <p>ASSET DETAILS</p> <p>Pipe Size: 225</p> <p>Pipe Material: VC</p> <p>Average Depth (m): 3.13</p> <p>Note: Offsets denoted in brackets < > are from the title boundary to centreline of pipe.</p> <p>If pipe offset is not shown, it is unknown and will need to be proven on site.</p> </div> <p>Typical sewer types include Vitreous Clay (VC) and Concrete (CONC).</p> <p>Where a sewer type is Unknown (UNK), we assume it is Concrete and apply relevant Concrete asset conditions.</p> <p>The distance of a sewer main from the property boundary (sewer offset) is also shown on the plan when the offset information is available.</p> <p>There is a table of material types shown to the left side of each SDO Plan.</p>

Plan Type	Purpose																								
	<div><div><div>Abbreviation Pipe Material</div><div>AC Abestos Cement CICL Cast Iron Cement Lined CI Cast Iron (Unlined) CI Cast Iron (CI 75") CU Copper Tube GWI Galvanised Wrought Iron MSCL Mild Steel Cement Lined MSEL Steel Enamel Lined MSW Mild Steel Welded UPVC Poly Vinyl Chloride</div></div></div> <div><p>Particular asset types are referred to in the build over conditions. These are shown at the bottom left side of each SDO Plan to assist you in determining the conditions applicable to each asset.</p><table><tr><td>Existing Title</td><td></td><td>Circular Access Point</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Proposed Title</td><td></td><td>Offset Distance</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Access Point Number</td><td></td><td>Square Manhole</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Sewer Pipe Flow</td><td></td><td>End of Pipe</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Existing Sewer</td><td></td><td>Maintenance Shaft</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Change of Grade</td><td></td><td>Inspection Shaft</td><td></td></tr></table></div>	Existing Title		Circular Access Point		Proposed Title		Offset Distance		Access Point Number		Square Manhole		Sewer Pipe Flow		End of Pipe		Existing Sewer		Maintenance Shaft		Change of Grade		Inspection Shaft	
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Build Over Easement (BOE) Plans	<p>Your build over conditions will reference one or more specific Plans, labelled "A" to "K" depending on the type of structure and the specific conditions.</p> <p>The plan type is referenced as "Plan F" in the example below.</p> <div><table><tr><td rowspan="3">Yarra Valley Water Buildover Plan Reference: Plan F</td><td>Address</td><td colspan="2">WHITEHORSE ROAD BLACKBURN 3130</td></tr><tr><td>Date</td><td>20/04/2013</td><td rowspan="2"></td></tr><tr><td>Scale</td><td>400</td></tr></table><div><div><small>Disclaimer: This Buildover Plan is for property information only. Yarra Valley Water does not warrant the accuracy or scale of this plan. The company accepts no liability for any loss, damage or injury suffered by any person as a result of an inaccuracy in this plan.</small></div><div> ABN 93 066 902 501</div></div></div> <p>The address of the plan and the date that the BOE plan has been produced is also illustrated. Scale is provided so you can measure off the plan, in addition to the specific clearances set out in the written conditions.</p> <p>The following table sets out how each of the clearances and areas that can or cannot be built over, subject to the conditions, are shown on each Build Over Easement Plan.</p>	Yarra Valley Water Buildover Plan Reference: Plan F	Address	WHITEHORSE ROAD BLACKBURN 3130		Date	20/04/2013		Scale	400															
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The following table explains how to interpret different symbols and colour coded areas represented in Build Over Easement Plans. Each colour code defines the clearances and areas that can or cannot be built over, subject to the conditions.

Colour Code	Interpretation	Relevant condition and requirement
Red circled area	<p>Your property's identification on the plan.</p>  <p>The circle in this case highlights '10', the number of the property in the street.</p> <p>This example is a corner block.</p>	<p>For information relative to easements and assets.</p> <p>As noted in this document these conditions and binding on the owner and successors in title of the property.</p> <p>Conditions and a copy of the attached plans are automatically recorded as an encumbrance against this property. It is provided as part of property information in Section 32 searches at the time of sale and purchase.</p>
Orange line	<p>This represents the boundary of the easement as a dotted orange line..</p>  <p>In this case two easements are shown on the property number "6" in this plan. There is one easement labelled 1.83 on the right and another with a sewer asset across the bottom of the plan.</p>	<p>Generally this area cannot be built over except as specified in the conditions related to each structure and plan type. Where assets are shaded yellow the affected area is not just the area covering the asset, but also area to the edge of the easement, whichever is greater.</p>

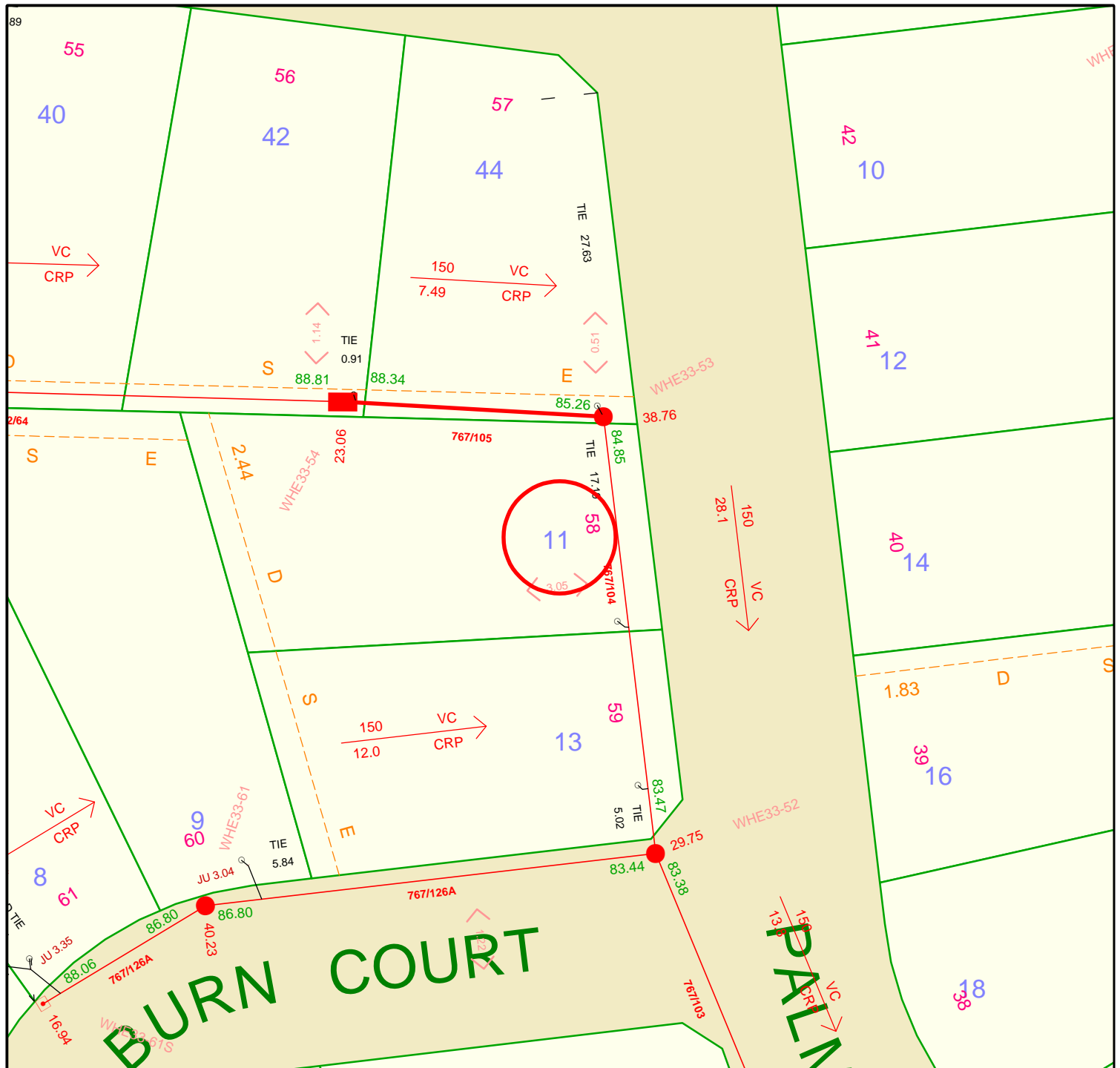
Colour Code	Interpretation	Relevant condition and requirement
<p>Red shaded area around assets</p> <p>Shown as Condition C on BOE plans</p>	<p>This represents the area and the assets that cannot be built over.</p> <p>In this case the sewer at the bottom of the property cannot be built over.</p>	<p>Cannot build within one meter of these assets except if the conditions are specified for the structure and plan type above.</p> <p>Depending on the type of structure, this restriction can extend to property connection branches as shown below. Branches that service other properties cannot be built over in any circumstances.</p> <p>In this example there are four branches near the property, including branches that service other properties.</p>
<p>Yellow hatched area</p> <p>Shown as Condition B on BOE plans</p>	<p>This is the area around the asset and the associated easement, taking into account one meter from the asset or the easement boundary (not shaded) whichever is the greater.</p> <p>This is an example of where the restricted area is greater based on the easement boundary being wider (shown as 3.05 in the plan).</p>	<p>Cannot be built over except if conditions are specified above.</p> <p>This can include areas not covered by an easement where an asset is within one meter of a property as shown below:</p> <p>In this case an asset in a lane or on the boundary of a property can restrict what may be constructed.</p>

Colour Code	Interpretation	Relevant condition and requirement
<p>Green highlighted asset</p> <p>Shown as Condition A on BOE plans</p>	<p>This is the area around an asset or easement that can be built over.</p>  <p>The asset here is shown with a green highlight and the branch with simple green line where build over is permitted. In this case the manhole remains red preventing it being built over.</p>	<p>Build over is subject to conditions set out above.</p> <p>Please note property connection branches servicing an adjoining property or multiple lots cannot be built over except if specifically allowed in above conditions for limited structures such as driveways.</p>

The following Build Over Easement plan types will be attached to this document based on the proposed structures, applicable assets and/or easements as follows:

- Plan A - General Structures
- Plan B - Residences & Habitable Structures
- Plan C - Commercial and Industrial Structures
- Plan D - General Structures
- Plan E – Excavation and Landscaping
- Plan F – Driveways and paving
- Plan G – Above ground pools, saunas, spas
- Plan H – Above ground pools, saunas, spas
- Plan I – Below ground pools and basements
- Plan J – Below ground pools, basements poles and towers
- Plan K – Utilities and Property Drains





Yarra Valley Water Sewerage Depth Offset Asset Map

Address 11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL 3150

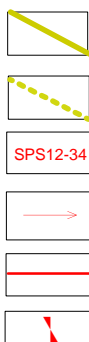
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ABN 93 066 902 501

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Existing Title
Proposed Title
Access Point Number
Sewer Pipe Flow
Existing Sewer
Change of Grade



Circular Access Point
Offset Distance
Square Manhole
End of Pipe
Maintenance Shaft
Inspection Shaft
Pump Station
Ventilation



Abbreviation Pipe Material

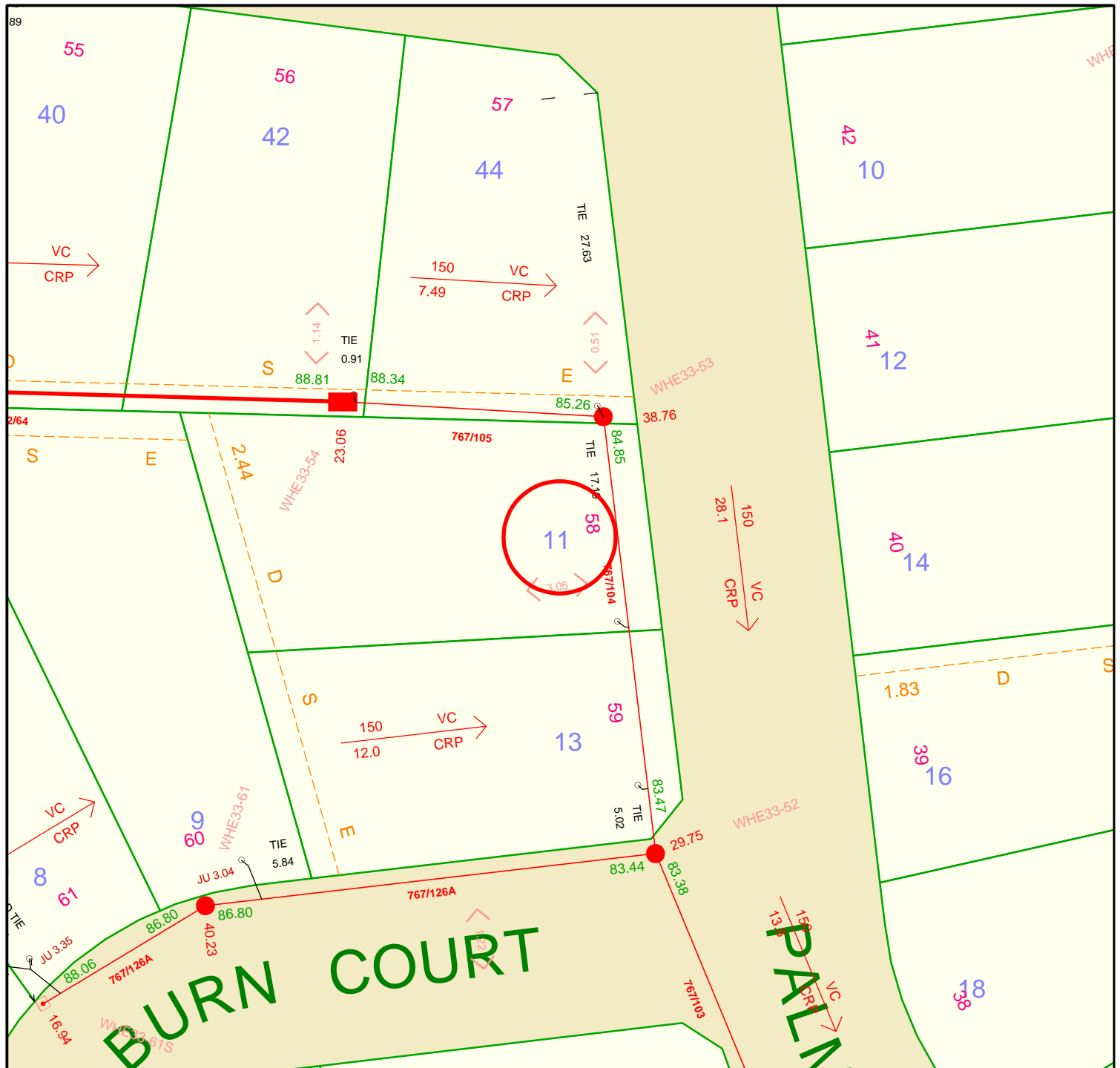
VC VITREOUS CLAY
PVC-NP UPVC - Non Pressure
PVC-PW UPVC - Profile Wall
CONC CONCRETE
RC/UCON CC Re/Un-reinforced
PP_SW POLYPROYLENE
HDPE POLYETHYLENE
CI CAST IRON

ASSET DETAILS

Pipe Size: 150
Pipe Material: VC
Average Depth (m): 1.45
Branch Length (m): 1.12

Note: Offsets denoted in brackets < > are from the title boundary to centreline of pipe.
If pipe offset is not shown, it is unknown and will need to be proven on site.

YVW Ref: 1307495



Yarra Valley Water **Sewerage Depth Offset** **Asset Map**

Address 11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL 3150

Date	21/05/2015
Scale	500



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Existing Title	
Proposed Title	
Access Point Number	
Sewer Pipe Flow	
Existing Sewer	
Change of Grade	

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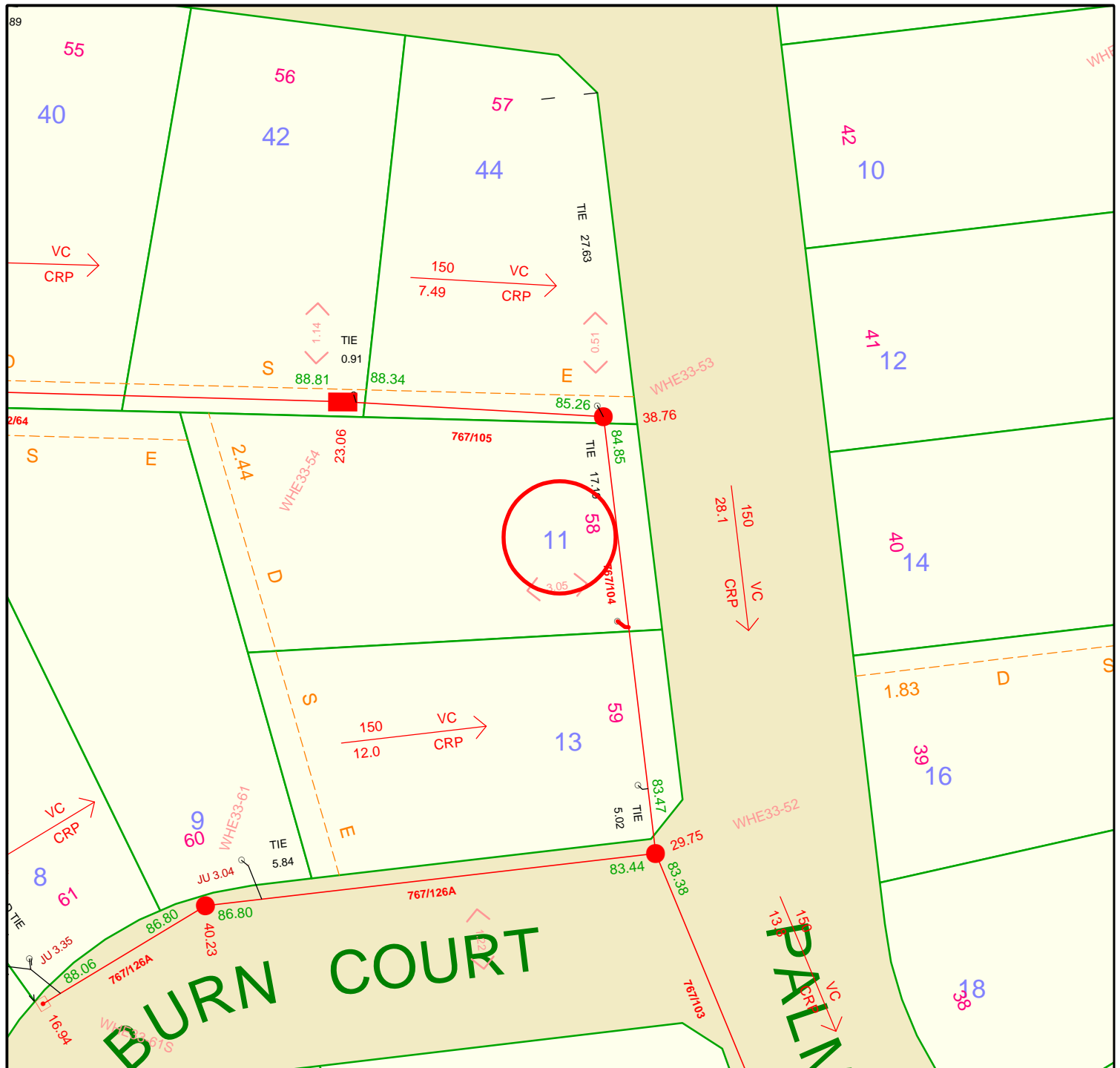
Abbreviation Pipe Material	
VC	VITREOUS CLAY
PVC-NP	UPVC - Non Pressure
PVC-PW	UPVC - Profile Wall
CONC	CONCRETE
RC/UCON	CC Re/Un-reinforced
PP_SW	POLYPROYLENE
HDPE	POLYETHYLENE
CI	CAST IRON

ASSET DETAILS

Pipe Size: 150
Pipe Material: VC
Average Depth (m): 1.48
Branch Length (m): 1.12

Note: Offsets denoted in brackets < > are from the title boundary to centreline of pipe.
If pipe offset is not shown, it is unknown and will need to be proven on site.

YVW Ref: 1307495



Yarra Valley Water Sewer Branch Asset Map

Address 11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL 3150

Date	21/05/2015
Scale	500



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Existing Title	
Proposed Title	
Access Point Number	
Sewer Pipe Flow	
Existing Sewer	
Change of Grade	

Circular Access Point	
Offset Distance	
Square Manhole	
End of Pipe	
Maintenance Shaft	
Inspection Shaft	
Pump Station	
Ventilation	

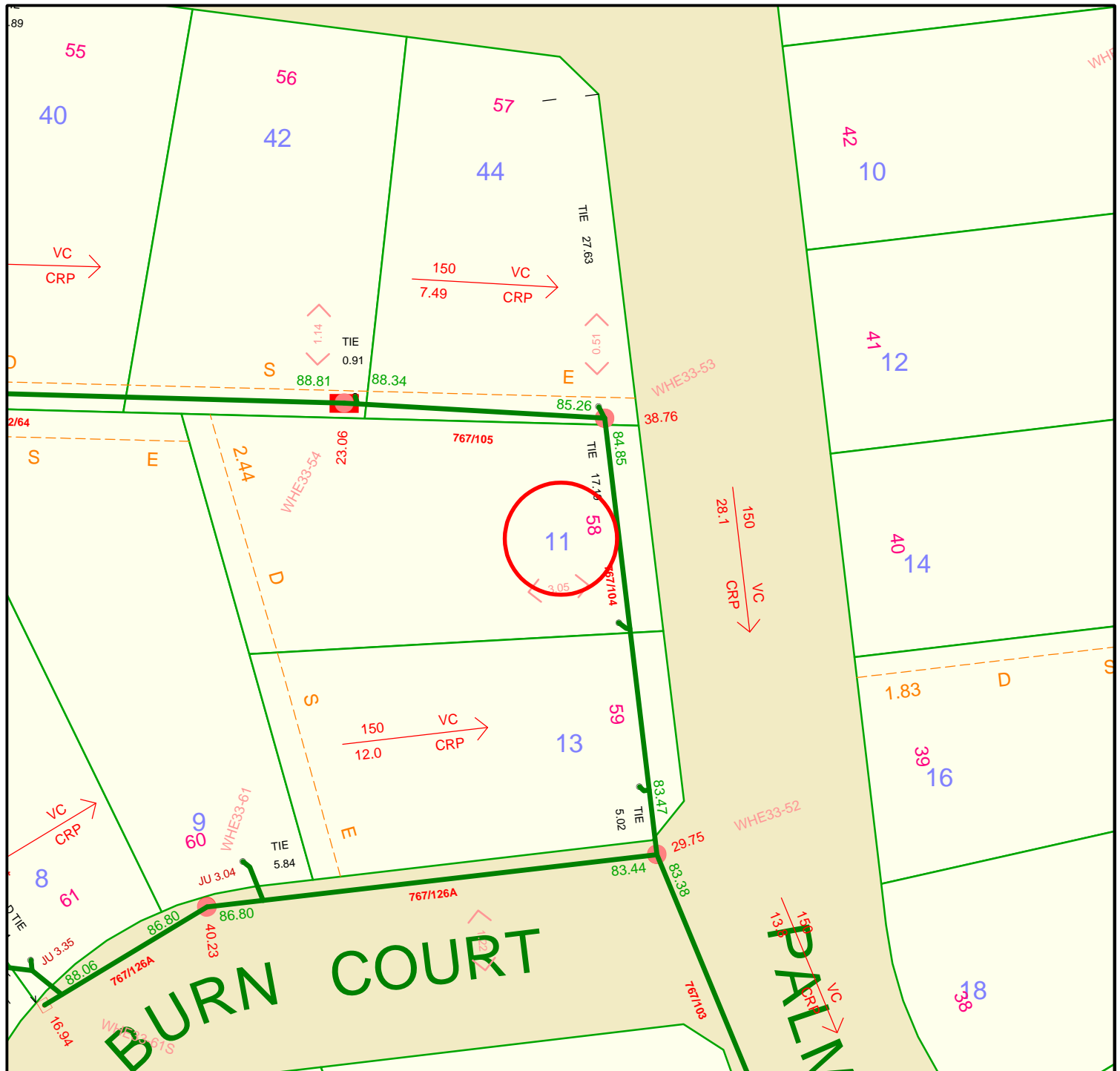
Abbreviation Pipe Material	
VC	VITREOUS CLAY
PVC-NP	UPVC - Non Pressure
PVC-PW	UPVC - Profile Wall
CONC	CONCRETE
RC/UONCC	Re/Un-reinforced
PP_SW	POLYPROYLENE
HDPE	POLYETHYLENE
CI	CAST IRON

ASSET DETAILS

Branch Size: 100
Branch Material: UNK
Branch Depth (m): 2.12
Branch Length(m) 1.12

Note: Offsets denoted in brackets < > are from the title boundary to centreline of pipe.

YVW Ref: 1307495



Yarra Valley Water
Buildover Plan
Reference: Plan F
Driveways and paving

Address 11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL 3150

Date	21/05/2015
Scale	500



Disclaimer: This Buildover Plan imposes conditions on the erection of structures on or near Water and / or Sewer assets and / or within easements. This restriction is enforceable under Section 148 of the Water Act 1989.

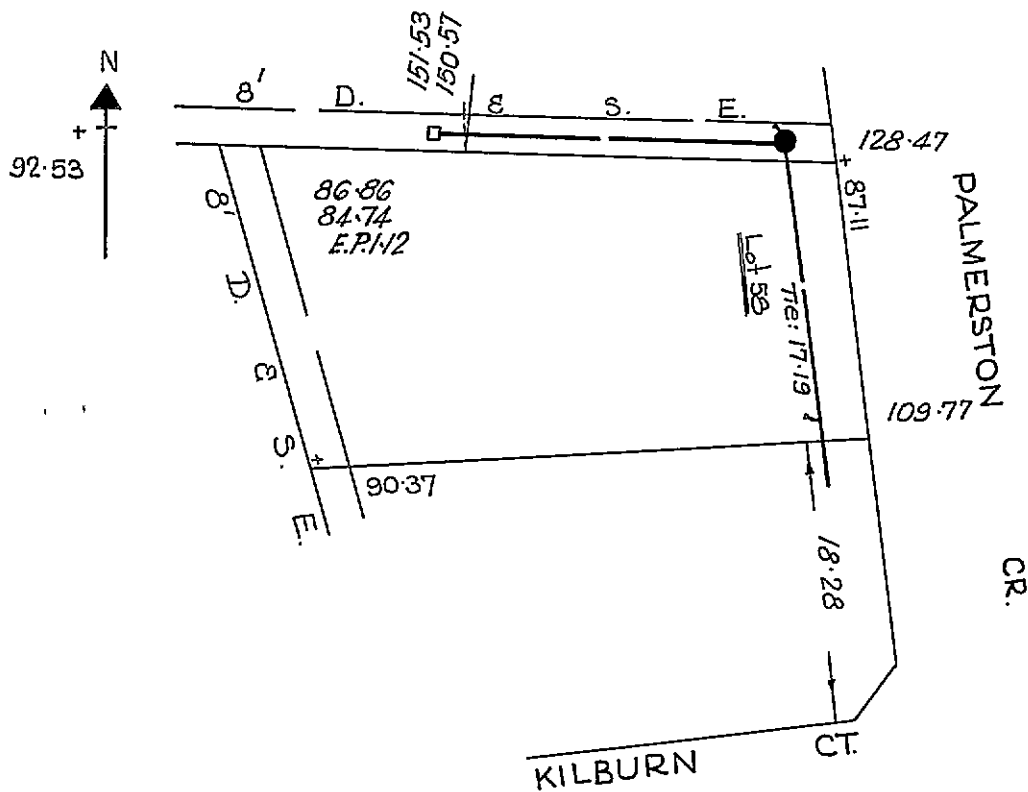
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Existing Title		Circular Access Point		Offset Distance		PLAN REFERENCE CONDITION Condition A Condition B Condition C This plan and relevant clearances relate to your application and is to be read in conjunction with the approval letter it was issued with. YVW Ref: 167445
Proposed Title		Junction		End of Pipe		
Access Point Number		Gas Check Manhole		Maintenance Shaft		
Sewer Pipe Flow		Square Manhole		Long Branch Reducer		
Abandoned Sewer		Rectangle Manhole		Pump Station		
Existing Sewer		Chambered Manhole		Ventilation		
Change of Grade		Inspection Shaft				

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FIXTURES:

Closet internal
 Closet external
 Urinal internal
 Urinal external
 Bath
 Shower
 Lav. Basin
 Sink
 Laundry Trough
 Clothes Washing Machine

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Property Information Certificate

Regulation 51(1)

Your Ref: **76116828-015-3:56837**

Our Ref: CERT1 No. **82715**

11-Mar-2025

PROPERTY: 11 Palmerston Crescent WHEELERS HILL VIC 3150

Thank you for your request for property information relating to the above property address.

Building Permit Details:

Building Permits, Occupancy Permits and Certificates of Final Inspection issued in preceding 10 years are as follows:

Application Number	Permit Date	Application Status	Issued By:
184478/0	12-Oct-2015	OP / CFI Issued - Filed	Philip Ivan Wood BS-U 1255
Application Description: Construction of three storey dwelling & garage Building Permit - 201514952/0			
Occupancy Permit Date:		07-Dec-2017	
Certificate of Final Inspection Date:			

Notices/Orders:

There are no current Notices or Orders issued by Council under the Building Act or Building Regulations.

There are no current Notices or Orders issued by a private surveyor under the Building Act or Building Regulations, of which Council is aware.

Smoke Detectors:

All dwellings/units are required to be fitted with self-contained smoke alarms in accordance with Regulation 145 of the Building Regulations 2018.

Swimming Pools & Spas:

The property owner is responsible for providing and maintaining pool/spa barriers in accordance with the Building Regulations 2018. Your pool can be inspected and a Certificate of Compliance issued on request – a fee is applicable. Swimming pools/spas that don't comply may incur a fine and/or a Building Notice.

Part 5 – Siting

Part 5 of the Building Regulations 2018 applies to the construction of a Class 1 or 10 building on this allotment. Scheduled variations to Regulations 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 86 and 89 apply within the City of Monash.

City Planning Support Team



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ROADS PROPERTY CERTIFICATE

The search results are as follows:

Balfe and Webb
358A Boundary Road
DINGLEY 3172

Client Reference: 230211 - Deir

NO PROPOSALS. As at the 11th March 2025, VicRoads has no approved proposals requiring any part of the property described in your application. You are advised to check your local Council planning scheme regarding land use zoning of the property and surrounding area.

This certificate was prepared solely on the basis of the Applicant-supplied address described below, and electronically delivered by LANDATA®.

11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT, WHEELERS HILL 3150
CITY OF MONASH

This certificate is issued in respect of a property identified above. VicRoads expressly disclaim liability for any loss or damage incurred by any person as a result of the Applicant incorrectly identifying the property concerned.

Date of issue: 11th March 2025

Telephone enquiries regarding content of certificate: 13 11 71

[Vicroads Certificate] # 76116828 - 76116828125901 '230211 - Deir'

PLANNING PROPERTY REPORT

From www.planning.vic.gov.au at 11 March 2025 03:19 PM

PROPERTY DETAILS

Address: **11 PALMERSTON CRESCENT WHEELERS HILL 3150**
Lot and Plan Number: **Lot 58 LP111651**
Standard Parcel Identifier (SPI): **58\LP111651**
Local Government Area (Council): **MONASH**
Council Property Number: **216688**
Planning Scheme: **Monash**
Directory Reference: **Melway 71 K10**

www.monash.vic.gov.au

[Planning Scheme - Monash](#)

UTILITIES

Rural Water Corporation: **Southern Rural Water**
Melbourne Water Retailer: **Yarra Valley Water**
Melbourne Water: **Inside drainage boundary**
Power Distributor: **UNITED ENERGY**

STATE ELECTORATES

Legislative Council: **SOUTH-EASTERN METROPOLITAN**
Legislative Assembly: **MULGRAVE**

OTHER

Registered Aboriginal Party: **Wurundjeri Woi Wurrung Cultural
Heritage Aboriginal Corporation**

[View location in VicPlan](#)

Planning Zones

[NEIGHBOURHOOD RESIDENTIAL ZONE \(NRZ\)](#)

[NEIGHBOURHOOD RESIDENTIAL ZONE - SCHEDULE 4 \(NRZ4\)](#)

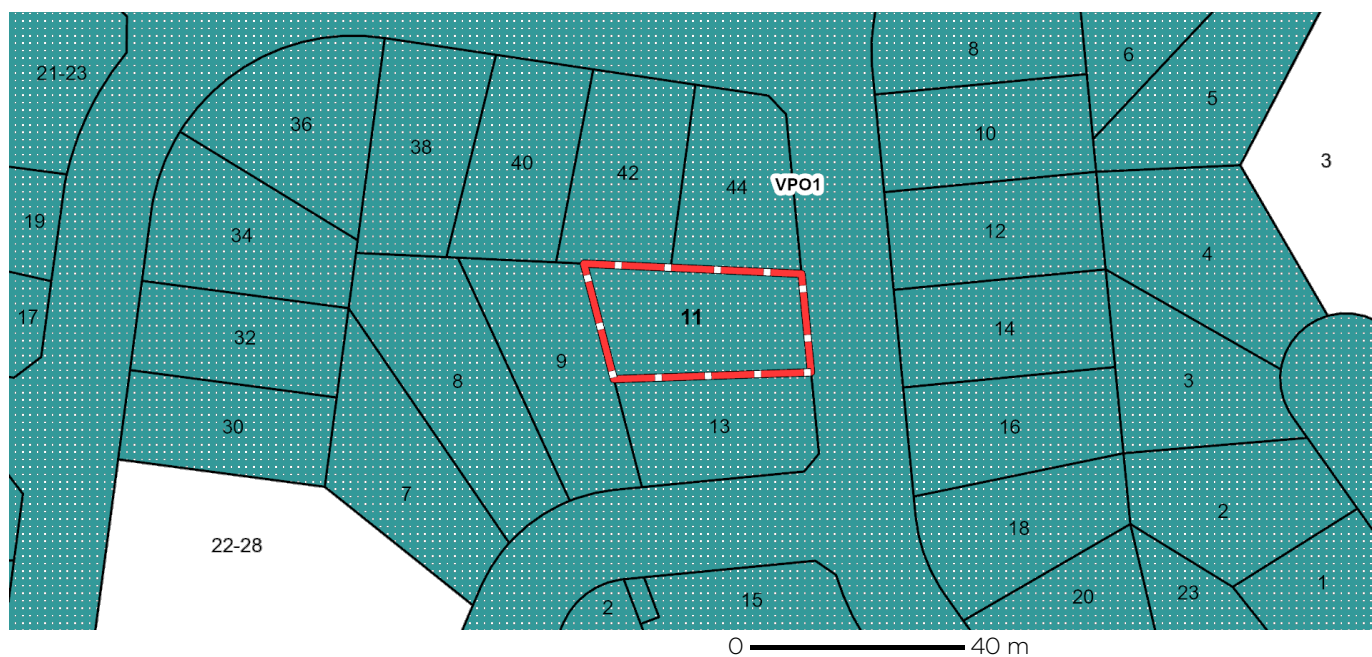


Note: labels for zones may appear outside the actual zone - please compare the labels with the legend.

Planning Overlay

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

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



VPO - Vegetation Protection Overlay

Note: due to overlaps, some overlays may not be visible, and some colours may not match those in the legend

Further Planning Information

Planning scheme data last updated on 06 March 2025.

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.maps.vic.gov.au/vicplan>

For other information about planning in Victoria visit <https://www.planning.vic.gov.au>

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 the region 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 Information Management system <https://nvim.delwp.vic.gov.au/> and [Native vegetation \(environment.vic.gov.au\)](#) or please contact your relevant council.

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

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.