



# Planning Panels Victoria

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As addressed

Dear Submitter

## **Fishermans Bend Standing Advisory Committee**

**Amendment C165port – 264-270 Normanby Road, South Melbourne (Site 1)**

**Amendment C164port – 248-254 Normanby Road, South Melbourne (Site 3)**

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The above matters were referred to the Standing Advisory Committee (SAC) on 8 September 2019. The sites were moving towards Hearing by the SAC, but in April 2020 due to Covid-19 amongst other reasons subsequent Directions Hearing and Hearings were delayed.

On 30 June 2020 the Proponent for the two sites requested that the Hearing again be delayed, and a Directions Hearing held in January 2021. The SAC asked for submissions on this question of the Hearing parties.

There were no objections to the delay request subject to:

- The Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning flagging that any further deferral beyond January 2021 may be incompatible with the SACs purpose of providing a “timely” process; and
- The City of Port Phillip requesting that the matters proceed under the current Terms of Reference dated 29 April 2020.

Having considered these submissions, the SAC consents to the Proponent’s request and a further Directions Hearing for the two matters above will be scheduled for late January 2021.

The SAC proposes to hear the matters under the new Terms of Reference signed by the Minister for Planning on 29 April 2020. These Terms can be accessed [here](#). Several matters that were in train, were completed under the old Terms in a transition process. However, given the new timing for the above matters, consideration under the current Terms is considered necessary and desirable.

## **Reconstitution of the Fishermans Bend Standing Advisory Committee**

In line with the revised Terms of Reference issued by the Minister for Planning, the SAC has been reconstituted. The current members are:

- Nick Wimbush (Chair)
- Tim Hellsten (Deputy Chair)
- Peter Marshall
- Rachael O’Neill
- Kate Partenio
- John Roney
- Philippa Crone
- Jonathan Halaliku

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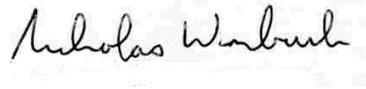
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The biographies of the current membership can be found [here](#).

The SAC members who will consider Sites 1 and 3 going forward will be appointed from this list.

If you have any queries, please contact Planning Panels Victoria at [planning.panels@delwp.vic.gov.au](mailto:planning.panels@delwp.vic.gov.au).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nick Wimbush". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above the printed name.

**Nick Wimbush**

Chair

Fishermans Bend Standing Advisory Committee