Vendor Statement

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	Yendon No. 2 Road, Scotsburn 3352	
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Vendor's name	Ricki John Harbour	Date 18/3/2034
Vendor's signature	Rich Harlson	
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Purchaser's name		Date / /
Purchaser's signature		
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Purchaser's name		Date / /
Purchaser's signature		

1 FINANCIAL MATTERS

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- 1.1 Particulars of any Rates, Taxes, Charges or Other Similar Outgoings (and any interest on them)
 - (a) Are contained in the attached certificate/s.

1.2	Particulars of any Charge (whether registered or not) imposed by or under any Act to secure an amount due under that Act, including the amount owing under the charge
	То
	Other particulars (including dates and times of payments):
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.
	Not Applicable
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 or receipts of rents and profits.
	Not Applicable
INS	SURANCE
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.
	Not Applicable.
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 <i>the Building Act</i> 1993 applies to the residence.
	Not Applicable.
LA	ND 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 documents.
	(b) Particulars of any existing failure to comply with that easement, covenant or other similar restriction are:
	To the best of the vendor's knowledge, there is no existing failure to comply with the terms of any easement, covenant or other similar restriction.
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 under section 192A of the Building Act 1993 if

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the square box is marked with an 'X'

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3.4. Planning Scheme

Attached is a certificate with the required specified information.

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:

Not Applicable.

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 contamination 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 management plans, reports or orders, are as follows:

Not Applicable.		

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:

Not Applicable.			

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):

Not Applicable.

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.

Not Applicable.

7 GROWTH AREAS INFRASTRUCTURE CONTRIBUTION ("GAIC")

Not Applicable.

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 ⊠
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9 TITLE

Attached are copies of the following documents:

9.1 (a) Registered Title

A Register 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.

10 SUBDIVISION

10.1. Unregistered Subdivision

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

Not Applicable.

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.

Not Applicable.

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. Not Applicable.

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 area 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 at least 1000m²; (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):

Not Applicable.

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.)

	\boxtimes	Vacant Residential Land or Land with a Residence
		Attach Due Diligence Checklist (this will be attached if ticked)
13	ΑT	TACHMENTS
	(An	y certificates, documents and other attachments may be annexed to this section 13)
	(Ad	ditional information may be added to this section 13 where there is insufficient space in any of the earlier sections)
	•	ached is an "Additional Vendor Statement" if section 1.3 (Terms Contract) or section 1.4 (Sale Subject to Mortgage) lies)



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LAND DESCRIPTION

Lot 1 on Title Plan 886361J. Created by Application No. 085634B 16/06/2006

REGISTERED PROPRIETOR

Estate Fee Simple
Sole Proprietor
RICKI JOHN HARBOUR of 299 YENDON NO 2 ROAD SCOTSBURN VIC 3352
Application No. 085634B 16/06/2006

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 set out under DIAGRAM LOCATION below.

DIAGRAM LOCATION

SEE TP886361J FOR FURTHER DETAILS AND BOUNDARIES

ACTIVITY IN THE LAST 125 DAYS

NIL
-----END OF REGISTER SEARCH STATEMENT----Additional information: (not part of the Register Search Statement)
Street Address: YENDON NO 2 ROAD SCOTSBURN VIC 3352

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CROWN GRANT

LAND DESCRIPTION

Crown Allotment 7A Parish of Buninyong.

REGISTERED PROPRIETOR

Estate Fee Simple Sole Proprietor RICKI JOHN HARBOUR of 299 YENDON NO 2 ROAD SCOTSBURN VIC 3352 AE419137F 16/06/2006

ENCUMBRANCES, CAVEATS AND NOTICES

Any crown grant reservations exceptions conditions limitations and powers noted on the plan or imaged folio set out under DIAGRAM LOCATION below. For details of any other encumbrances see the plan or imaged folio set out under DIAGRAM LOCATION below.

DIAGRAM LOCATION

SEE TP569050W FOR FURTHER DETAILS AND BOUNDARIES

ACTIVITY IN THE LAST 125 DAYS

NIL
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LAND DESCRIPTION

Portion 7 Section 8 Parish of Buninyong. Created by Application No. 085636W 16/06/2006

REGISTERED PROPRIETOR

Estate Fee Simple
Sole Proprietor
RICKI JOHN HARBOUR of 299 YENDON NO 2 ROAD SCOTSBURN VIC 3352
Application No. 085636W 16/06/2006

ENCUMBRANCES, CAVEATS AND NOTICES

For details of any other encumbrances see the plan or imaged folio set out under DIAGRAM LOCATION below.

DIAGRAM LOCATION

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ACTIVITY IN THE LAST 125 DAYS

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

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TITLE PLAN

EDITION 1

TP 569050W

Location of Land

Parish:

BUNINYONG

Township: Section

Crown Allotment: 7A

Crown Portion:

Last Plan Reference:

Derived From: VOL 0980 FOL 867

NIL Depth Limitation:

Notations
SUBJECT TO THE RESERVATIONS EXCEPTIONS CONDITIONS AND
POWERS CONTAINED IN CROWN GRANT VOL. 0980 FOL. 867 AND NOTED
ON SHEET 2 OF THIS PLAN

ANY REFERENCE TO MAP IN THE TEXT MEANS THE DIAGRAM SHOWN ON

THIS TITLE PLAN

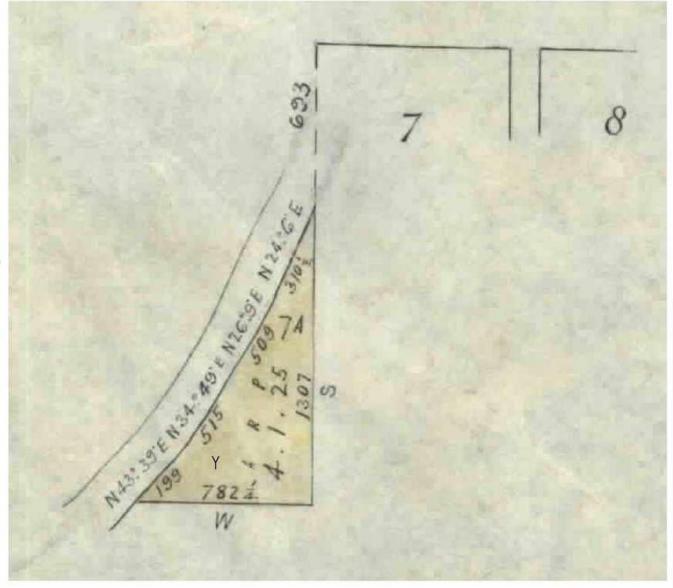
Description of Land / Easement Information

THIS PLAN HAS BEEN PREPARED FOR THE LAND REGISTRY, LAND VICTORIA, FOR TITLE DIAGRAM PURPOSES AS PART OF THE LAND TITLES AUTOMATION PROJECT 17/07/2000 COMPILED:

VERIFIED: HG

COLOUR CODE

Y = YELLOW



LENGTHS ARE IN LINKS

Metres = 0.3048 x Feet Metres = 0.201168 x Links

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TITLE PLAN TP 569050W

LAND DESCRIPTION INCLUDING RESERVATIONS EXCEPTIONS CONDITIONS AND POWERS SHOWN ON THE CROWN GRANT

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EXECUTING however unto us our heirs and successors all gold and auriferous earth or stone and all mines containing gold within the boundaries of the said land. And axed reserving to us our heirs and successors free liberty and authority for us our heirs and successors and our and their agents and servants at any time or times hereafter to enter upon the said land and to search and mine therein for gold and to extract and remove therefrom any gold and any surficeous earth or stone and for the purposes aforesaid to sink shafts erect machinery carry on any works and do any other things which may be necessary or usual in mining. Proving axways that it shall be lawful for us our heirs and successors at any time on paying full compensation to the said. GRANTEE

her, heirs executors administrators or assigns for the full value other than auriferous of the said piece of land or so much thereof as may be resumed as hereinafter mentioned and of the improvements upon the said piece of land or the part so resumed such value in case of disagreement to be ascertained by arbitration to resume the said piece of land or any part thereof for mining purposes

AND THAT the terms conditions and events upon which such land may be resumed and the manner in which such arbitration may be conducted may be determined by regulations in such manner as the Governor in Council may from time to time direct or if at any time no such regulations shall be in force then by the regulations concerning the resumption of land for mining purposes in force at

the date of this Grant unless Parliament shall otherwise determine

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Sheet 2 of 2 sheets

PROPERTY REPORT



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PROPERTY DETAILS

YENDON NO 2 ROAD SCOTSBURN 3352 Address:

Crown Description: This property has 3 parcels. See table below

Standard Parcel Identifier (SPI): See table below

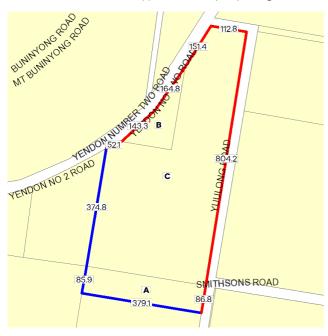
Local Government Area (Council): MOORABOOL www.moorabool.vic.gov.au

Council Property Number: 271850

Directory Reference: Vicroads 76 G4

SITE DIMENSIONS

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



Area: 266962 sq. m (26.70 ha)

Perimeter: 2355 m For this property: Site boundaries Road frontages

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

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

For more accurate dimensions get copy of plan at<u>Title and Property</u> Certificates

PARCEL DETAILS

The letter in the first column identifies the parcel in the diagram above

	Lot/Plan or Crown Description	SPI
А	Lot 1 TP886361	1\TP886361
	PARISH OF BUNINYONG	
В	Allot. 7A	7A\PP2287
С	Por. 7 Sec. 8	7~8\PP2287

UTILITIES STATE ELECTORATES

Urban Water Corporation: Central Highlands Water

Rural Water Corporation: Southern Rural Water

Melbourne Water: **Outside drainage boundary**

Power Distributor: **POWERCOR**

WESTERN VICTORIA Legislative Council:

Legislative Assembly: **EUREKA**

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PLANNING INFORMATION

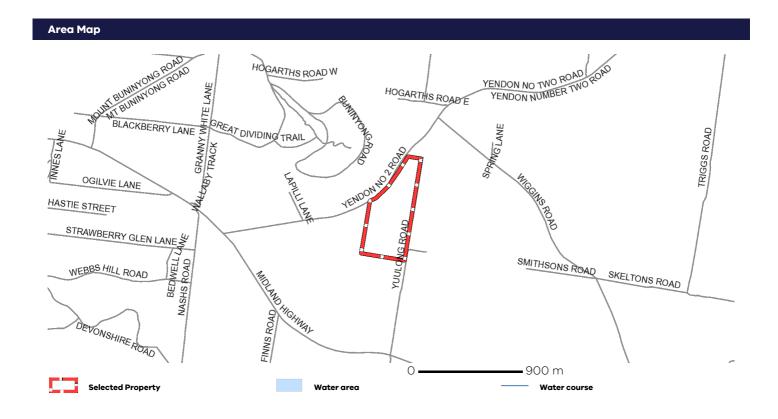
Property Planning details have been removed from the Property Reports to avoid duplication with the Planning Property Reports from the Department of Transport and Planning which are the authoritative source for all Property Planning information.

The Planning Property Report for this property can found here - <u>Planning Property Report</u>

Planning Property Reports can be found via these two links

Vicplan https://mapshare.vic.gov.au/vicplan/

Property and parcel search https://www.land.vic.gov.au/property-and-parcel-search





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PROPERTY DETAILS

Address: YENDON NO 2 ROAD SCOTSBURN 3352 Crown Description: More than one parcel - see link below Standard Parcel Identifier (SPI): More than one parcel - see link below

Local Government Area (Council): MOORABOOL www.moorabool.vic.gov</u>.au

Council Property Number: 271850

<u>Planning Scheme - Moorabool</u> Planning Scheme: Moorabool

Vicroads 76 G4 Directory Reference:

This property has 3 parcels. For full parcel details get the free Property report at Property Reports

UTILITIES STATE ELECTORATES

WESTERN VICTORIA Rural Water Corporation: **Southern Rural Water** Legislative Council:

Urban Water Corporation: Central Highlands Water Legislative Assembly: **EUREKA**

Melbourne Water: **Outside drainage boundary**

Power Distributor: **POWERCOR OTHER**

Registered Aboriginal Party: Wadawurrung Traditional Owners

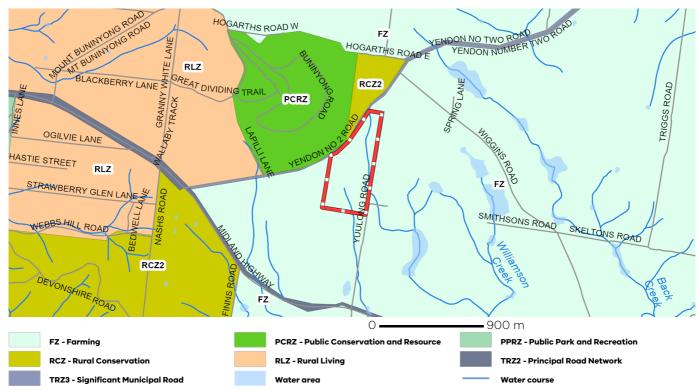
Aboriginal Corporation

View location in VicPlan

Planning Zones

FARMING ZONE (FZ) (MOORABOOL)

SCHEDULE TO THE FARMING ZONE (FZ) (MOORABOOL)



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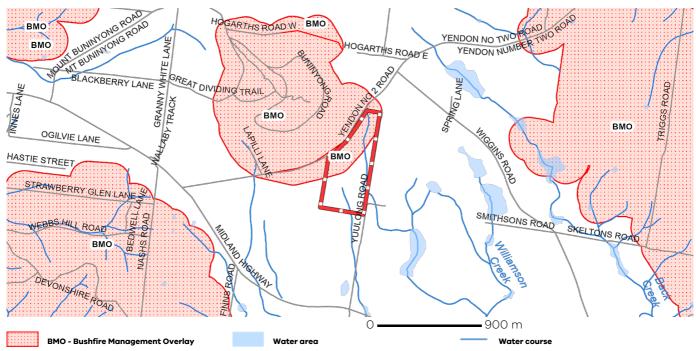
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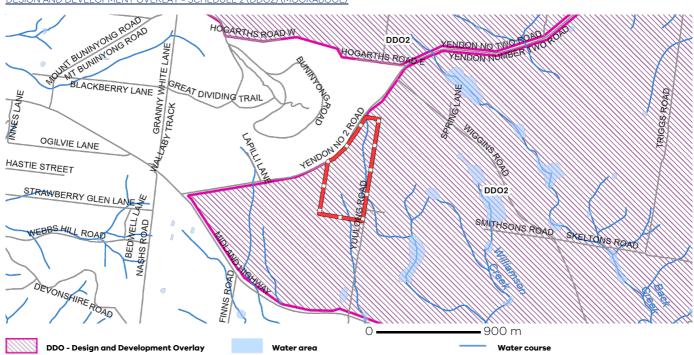




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DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OVERLAY (DDO) (MOORABOOL)

DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OVERLAY - SCHEDULE 2 (DDO2) (MOORABOOL)



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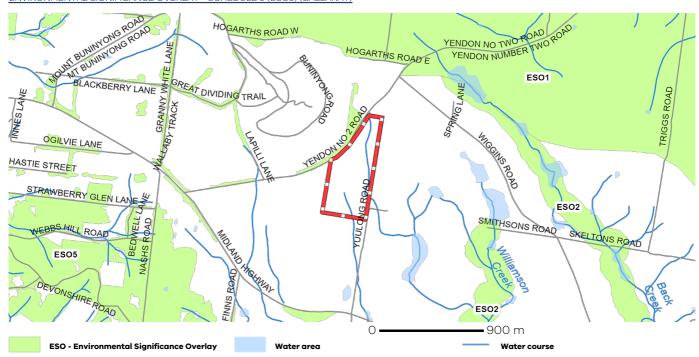
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Planning Overlays

ENVIRONMENTAL SIGNIFICANCE OVERLAY (ESO) (BALLARAT) ENVIRONMENTAL SIGNIFICANCE OVERLAY - SCHEDULE 5 (ESO5) (BALLARAT)



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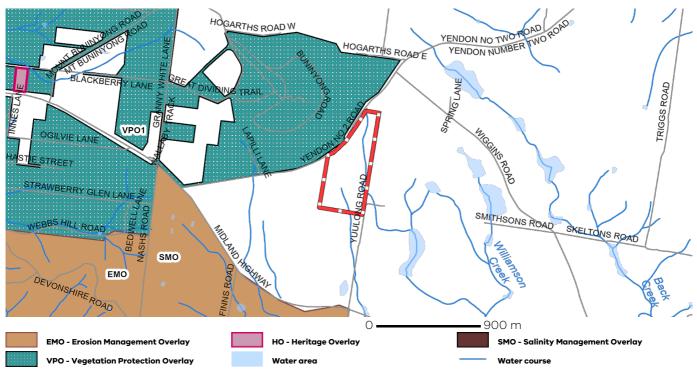
Other overlays in the vicinity not directly affecting this land

EROSION MANAGEMENT OVERLAY (EMO) (BALLARAT)

HERITAGE OVERLAY (HO) (BALLARAT)

SALINITY MANAGEMENT OVERLAY (SMO) (BALLARAT)

VEGETATION PROTECTION OVERLAY (VPO) (BALLARAT)



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Areas of Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Sensitivity

All or part of this property is an 'area of cultural heritage sensitivity'.

'Areas of cultural heritage sensitivity' are defined under the Aboriginal Heritage Regulations 2018, and include registered Aboriginal cultural heritage places and land form types that are generally regarded as more likely to contain Aboriginal cultural heritage.

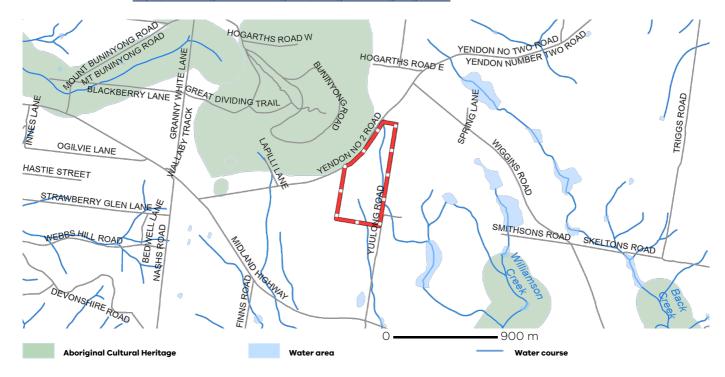
Under the Aboriginal Heritage Regulations 2018, 'areas of cultural heritage sensitivity' are one part of a two part trigger which require a 'cultural heritage management plan' be prepared where a listed 'high impact activity' is proposed.

If a significant land use change is proposed (for example, a subdivision into 3 or more lots), a cultural heritage management plan may be triggered. One or two dwellings, works ancillary to a dwelling, services to a dwelling, alteration of buildings and minor works are examples of works exempt from this requirement.

Under the Aboriginal Heritage Act 2006, where a cultural heritage management plan is required, planning permits, licences and work authorities cannot be issued unless the cultural heritage management plan has been approved for the activity.

For further information about whether a Cultural Heritage Management Plan is required go to http://www.aav.nrms.net.au/aavQuestion1.aspx

 $More\ information, including\ links\ to\ both\ the\ Aboriginal\ Heritage\ Act\ 2006\ and\ the\ Aboriginal\ Heritage\ Regulations\ 2018,$ can also be found here - https://www.aboriginalvictoria.vic.gov.au/aboriginal-heritage-legislation



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Further Planning Information

Planning scheme data last updated on 7 December 2023.

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 abut 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

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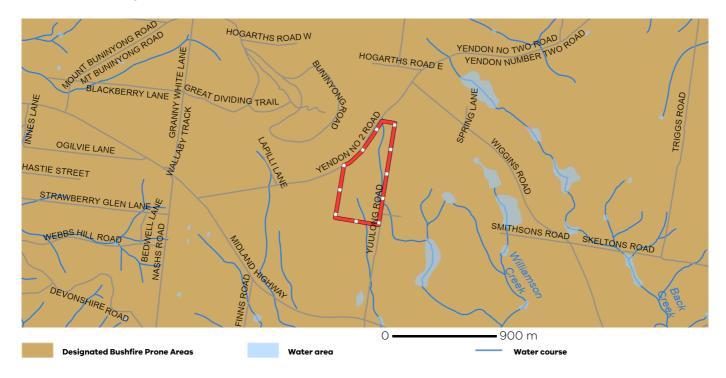


Designated Bushfire Prone Areas

This property is in a designated bushfire prone area. Special bushfire construction requirements apply to the part of the property mapped as a designated bushfire prone area (BPA). 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)

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PLANNING PROPERTY REPORT: YENDON NO 2 ROAD SCOTSBURN 3352

PLANNING CERTIFICATE

Official certificate issued under Section 199 Planning & Environment Act 1987 and the Planning and Environment Regulations 2005

CERTIFICATE REFERENCE NUMBER

1010555

APPLICANT'S NAME & ADDRESS

MULCAHY & CO LEGAL PTY LTD C/- INFOTRACK (LEAP) C/-LANDATA

DOCKLANDS

VENDOR

HARBOUR, RICKI JOHN

PURCHASER

NOT KNOWN, NOT KNOWN

REFERENCE

61485

This certificate is issued for:

LAND CONTAINED IN VOLUME: 980 FOLIO: 867 CROWN ALLOTMENT 7A PARISH OF BUNINYONG ALSO KNOWN AS YENDON NO 2 ROAD SCOTSBURN

MOORABOOL SHIRE

The land is covered by the:

MOORABOOL PLANNING SCHEME

The Minister for Planning is the responsible authority issuing the Certificate.

The land:

- is included in a FARMING ZONE

- is within a BUSHFIRE MANAGEMENT OVERLAY

and a DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OVERLAY - SCHEDULE 2
- and abuts a TRANSPORT ZONE 3 - SIGNIFICANT MUNICIPAL ROAD

A detailed definition of the applicable Planning Scheme is available at : (http://planningschemes.dpcd.vic.gov.au/schemes/moorabool)

Historic buildings and land protected under the Heritage Act 1995 are recorded in the Victorian Heritage Register at:

http://vhd.heritage.vic.gov.au/

Additional site-specific controls may apply. The Planning Scheme Ordinance should be checked carefully.

The above information includes all amendments to planning scheme maps placed on public exhibition up to the date of issue of this certificate and which are still the subject of active consideration

Copies of Planning Schemes and Amendments can be inspected at the relevant municipal offices.

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06 March 2024 Sonya Kilkenny Minister for Planning



ROADS PROPERTY CERTIFICATE

The search results are as follows:

Mulcahy & Co Legal Pty Ltd C/- InfoTrack (LEAP) 135 King St SYDNEY 2000 AUSTRALIA

Client Reference: 61485

NO PROPOSALS. As at the 6th March 2024, 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®.

YENDON NO 2 ROAD OTHER, SCOTSBURN 3352 SHIRE OF MOORABOOL

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: 6th March 2024

Telephone enquiries regarding content of certificate: 13 11 71

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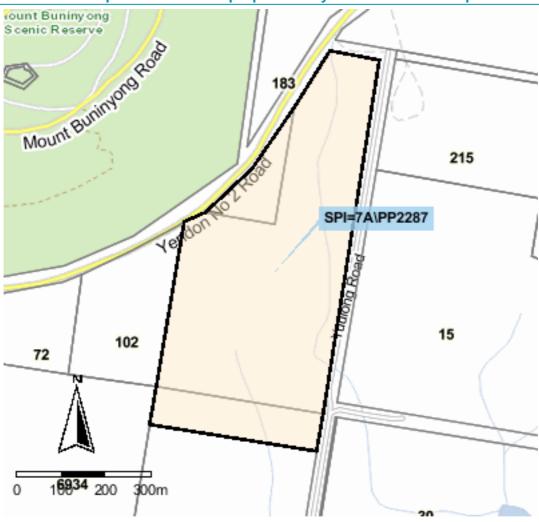
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The attached certificate is issued by the Minister for Planning of the State of Victoria and is protected by statute.

The document has been issued based on the property information you provided. You should check the map below - it highlights the property identified from your information.

If this property is different to the one expected, you can phone (03) 9102 0402 or email landata.enquiries@servictoria.com.au

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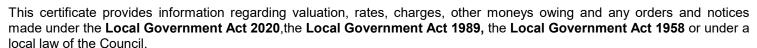


LAND INFORMATION CERTIFICATE

in accordance with Section 229 of The Local Government Act 1989

Certificate No: 31074

Date of Issue: 16 March 2024



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

APPLICANT'S DETAILS

APPLICANT: Mulcahy & Co Legal Pty Ltd C/- InfoTrack

(LEAP) c/o Landata

Purchaser: N/A

PROPERTY DETAILS

PROPERTY VALUATIONS

Applicant's Ref:

Property Number: 271850 Land Valuation Date: 01/01/2023

Address: Yendon No 2 Road Operative Date of Valuation: 01/07/2023
Scotsburn 3352

Site Value: \$1,250,000

Capital Improved Value: \$1,250,000 **Area (Ha):** 26.10 Net Annual value: \$62,500

Description: CA 7A, 7 SEC 8 PSH Buninyong; Lot 1 TP 886361 PSH Buninyong

2023/2024 LEGISLATED PAYMENT DATES AND METHODS

Instalment 1 02-Oct-2023
Instalment 2 30-Nov-2023
Instalment 3 28-Feb-2024
Instalment 4 31-May-2024
Other payment options are available and therefore updates prior to settlement should be conducted to ensure no further interest will be applied.

B

Biller code: 129155

72098602-031-0

Moorabool

Ref: 47666

Full Payment 15-Feb-2024

Statement of Rates and Charges for YEAR ENDING 30 June 2024

RATES AND CHARGES	BALANCE DUE
Farm @ 0.1781% of CIV	2,226.25
CFA Residential Levy Rate @ 0.000046 x CIV	57.50
Payments made against current year property rates	(1,670.73)
Payments made against current year FSPL rates	(43.02)
	Total \$570.00

Any other monies due for this property are shown in the Other Information section on Page 2 of this Certificate.

If this Certificate shows any unpaid rates, please contact this office for an update, prior to settlement.

Mail PO Box 18 Ballan Vic 3342

Ballan 15 Stead St Ballan

Bacchus Marsh 215 Main St Bacchus Marsh

Darley 182 Halletts Way Darley

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PROPERTY NUMBER: 271850

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING CERTIFICATE:

* Verbal confirmation or variations will only be given for a period of 60 days from the date of issue to the applicant of the certificate. However, Council will not be held responsible for information provided verbally. For settlement purposes another certificate should be obtained after 60 days.

31074

- * Amounts shown as paid on this Certificate may be subject to clearance by a Bank.
- * Overdue amounts accrue interest on a daily basis.
- * Please contact the relevant local water authority(ies) for any additional fees and charges relating to the property.

DISCLOSURES:

- 1. Any details regarding notices or orders on the land that have been served by Council under the Local Government Act 1958, Local Government Act 1989, or any other Act or Regulation, or under a Local Law of the Council, which have a continuing application at the date of the certificate need to be sought via a Property Information Certificate.
- 2. There ARE NO monies owed for works under the Local Government Act 1958.
- 3. There IS NO potential liability for rates under the Cultural and Recreational Lands Act 1963.
- 4. Any monies owed under Section 227 of the Local Government Act 1989 are shown in the Rates and Charges section of this certificate.
- 5. Personal information will be held securely and will not be used or disclosed for any other purpose.
- 6. Please contact the relevant Water Authority as a Melbourne Waterway charge may be applicable to this property.

Please Note:

This property is currently rated on a farm differential rate and has a Single Farm Enterprise exemption applied for some fixed service charges and the Fire Service Property Levy. A change in ownership will result in a review of the differential rate and associated service charges and Fire Service Property Levy. For further information please contact Council's Revenue Services Team.

Please Note

The fourth Instalment of rates and charges is due and payable by the 31st May 2024. If payment is not received by this date the property may be subject to penalty interest charges which will be backdated to the date the instalment was due and payable.

Please Note:

Property owners and prospective purchasers should be aware that this property may be serviced by an Onsite Wastewater Management System. Certain restrictions and conditions apply to the Onsite Wastewater Management System, waste disposal area and to any proposed development on the property. Proposed developments could include housing extensions or alternations, sheds, tennis courts, in-ground pools, driveways, paths or any form of excavation or earth works. Any proposed developments, on the property may require alteration to the Onsite Wastewater Management System. For further information please contact Council's Environmental Health Team.

I hereby certify that, as at the date of issue, the information given in this certificate is a correct disclosure of the rates, charges, interest and other monies payable to the MOORABOOL SHIRE COUNCIL, together with any Notices pursuant to The Local Government Act 1989, Local Laws or any other legislation.

I acknowledge having received the appropriate statutory fee for this certificate.

Authorised Officer

Property Clearance Certificate

Land Tax



INFOTRACK / MULCAHY & CO LEGAL PTY LTD

Your Reference: 240359

Certificate No: 72382187

Issue Date: 08 MAR 2024

Enquiries: MXS26

Land Address: YENDON NO 2 ROAD SCOTSBURN VIC 3352

Volume Land Id Plan Folio Tax Payable Lot \$0.00

28351493 980 867

10949 947

Vendor: **RICKI JOHN HARBOUR**

Purchaser: FOR INFORMATION PURPOSES

Current Land Tax Year **Taxable Value Proportional Tax** Penalty/Interest **Total**

MR RICKI JOHN HARBOUR \$0.00 2024 \$1,250,000 \$0.00 \$0.00

Comments: Property is exempt: LTX primary production land.

Current Vacant Residential Land Tax Year **Taxable Value Proportional Tax** Penalty/Interest **Total**

Comments:

Arrears of Land Tax Proportional Tax Penalty/Interest **Total** Year

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: \$1,250,000

SITE VALUE: \$1,250,000

CURRENT LAND TAX CHARGE: \$0.00



Notes to Certificate - Land Tax

Certificate No: 72382187

Power to issue Certificate

 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

- 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" overleaf. A purchaser cannot rely on a Certificate obtained by the vendor.

Information for the vendor

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 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.
- 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 = \$6,900.00

Taxable Value = \$1,250,000

Calculated as \$4,650 plus (\$1,250,000 - \$1,000,000) multiplied by 0.900 cents.

Land Tax - Payment Options

BPAY



Biller Code: 5249 Ref: 72382187

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Visa or Mastercard

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Property Clearance Certificate

Windfall Gains Tax



INFOTRACK / MULCAHY & CO LEGAL PTY LTD

Your Reference: 240359

Certificate No: 72382187

Issue Date: 08 MAR 2024

Land Address: YENDON NO 2 ROAD SCOTSBURN VIC 3352

Lot Plan Volume Folio

980 867 10949 947

Vendor: RICKI JOHN HARBOUR

Purchaser: FOR INFORMATION PURPOSES

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

\$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.

CURRENT WINDFALL GAINS TAX CHARGE:

\$0.00

Paul Broderick

Commissioner of State Revenue



Notes to Certificate - Windfall Gains Tax

Certificate No: 72382187

Power to issue Certificate

 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

- 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

 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.
- An updated Certificate may be requested free of charge via our website, if:
 - The request is within 90 days of the original Certificate's issue date, and
 - There is no change to the parties involved in the transaction for which the Certificate was originally requested.
- 11. Where a windfall gains tax liability has been deferred, interest accrues daily on the deferred liability. The deferred interest shown overleaf is the amount of interest accrued to the date of issue of the certificate.

Windfall Gains Tax - Payment Options

BPAY



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CARD



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Visa or Mastercard

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Important payment information

Windfall gains tax payments must be made using only these specific payment references.

Using the incorrect references for the different tax components listed on this property clearance certificate will result in misallocated payments.

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 (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.

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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.

(04/10/2016)

