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To: [Fingerboards Inquiry and Advisory Committee \(DELWP\)](#)
Subject: Re: OFFICIAL: Fingerboards Mineral Sands Project Inquiry and Advisory Committee - Tabling of information in relation to communications
Date: Monday, 12 July 2021 11:43:32 AM

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Dear Mr Wimbush

Regarding Kalbar contesting the claim that they have not sought to consult with us.

We agree that we have a cordial relationship and we have had meetings with Kalbar, however, they have not consulted with us to learn about our operations.

During our presentation, we were asked by a panel member, had we been contacted by Kalbar's agricultural assessment consultant (RMCG), who prepared the agricultural report for the EES, or directly by Kalbar, to gather information for the agricultural assessment for the EES. The question was asked at 2 hrs, 13 minutes on Wednesday, June 30 on the Fingerboards IAC Hearings audio recording.

Our answer was 'no'. We were not contacted by RMCG or Kalbar.

The agricultural report was presented at one of the public meetings held by Kalbar, where we raised the problem of being near neighbours and not being consulted. We also disagreed with the accuracy of the report, which when compared with our farm productivity was very much understated. Our concerns were never addressed and we have not had input into the agricultural report.

Therefore, we stand by our answer to the panel.

Judith and Ken Alexander.

On Wed, Jul 7, 2021 at 8:45 AM Fingerboards Inquiry and Advisory Committee (DELWP) <Fingerboards.IAC@delwp.vic.gov.au> wrote:

Hi Judith, Ken and John

Please find attached a letter from the Fingerboards Mineral Sands Project Inquiry and Advisory Committee (IAC) in regard to the attached documents Kalbar Operations Pty Ltd (the Proponent) seeks to table in relation to communications they have had with the Alexander's through the Environment Effects Statement (EES) process.

If you have any questions please let Tom or I know.

Regards

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