# Contract of Sale of Land

# Property:

16 Messmate Street, Lalor VIC 3075

# STEP UP CONVEYANCING PTY LTD

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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

WARNING TO ESTATE AGENTS
DO NOT USE THIS CONTRACT FOR SALES OF 'OFF THE PLAN' PROPERTIES
UNLESS IT HAS BEEN PREPARED BY A LEGAL PRACTITIONER

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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/2024
Print names(s) of person(s) signing:	
State nature of authority, if applicable:	
	] clear business days (3 clear business days if none specified) e meaning as in section 30 of the <i>Sale of Land Act</i> 1962
SIGNED BY THE VENDOR:	
	on/2024
Print names(s) of person(s) signing:	HIEN BICH LE and HAI HOANG

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

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# **Particulars of Sale**

# Vendor's estate agent

Name:	Harcourts Rata	& Co				
Address:	219 High Street					
Email:	sold@rataandco.com.au					
Tel:	03 9465 7766	Mob:		Fax:	Ref:	
Vendor						
Name:	HIEN BICH LE	and HAI HOANG				
Address:						
ABN/ACN:						
Email:						
Vendor's le	gal practitioner	or conveyancer				
Name:	STEP UP CON	VEYANCING PT	Y LTD			
Address:	PO Box 2104, D	Deer Park North \	/IC 3023			
Email:	rafael@stepupc	onveyancing.cor	n.au			
Tel:	0411 238 936	Mob:		Fax:	Ref: 241859	
Purchaser						
Name:						
Address:						
ABN/ACN:						
Email:						
Purchaser's	s legal practition	er or conveyan	cer			
Name:	<b>-</b>	, , ,				
Address:						
Email:						
Tel:		Mob:		Fax:	Ref:	
Land (gene	ral conditions 7 a	and 13)				
The land is	described in the t	table below –				
Certificate	of Title reference			being lot	on plan	
Volume	8215	Folio	734	76	LP 40751	

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.

Pro	perty address			
The	address of the	land is:	16 Messmate Street, L	alor VIC 3075
God	ods sold with t	he land (general o	condition 6.3(f)) ( <i>list or at</i>	tach schedule)
Pay	/ment			
Pric	e	\$		
Dep	oosit	\$	by (of which	has been paid)
Bala	ance	\$	payable at settlement	
Dep	oosit bond			<u> </u>
	General condition	on 15 applies only	if the box is checked	
Bar	nk guarantee			
	General condition	on 16 applies only	if the box is checked	
GS	T (general cond	ition 19)		
Sub	ject to general	condition 19.2, the	e price includes GST (if a	ny), unless the next box is checked
	GST (if any)	must be paid in a	ddition to the price if the b	pox is checked
			hich a 'farming business' -480 of the GST Act if the	is carried on which the parties consider meets box is checked
	This sale is a	sale of a 'going o	concern' if the box is chec	sked
	The margin s	cheme will be use	ed to calculate GST if the	box is checked
Set	tlement (genera	al conditions 17 &	26.2)	
is d	lue on			
unle	ess the land is a	lot on an unregist	ered plan of subdivision,	in which case settlement is due on the later of:
•	the above date;	and		
•	the 14th day af subdivision.	ter the vendor give	es notice in writing to the	purchaser of registration of the plan of
Lea	<b>ise</b> (general con	dition 5.1)		
		the purchaser is ne property is sold	·	sion of the property unless the box is checked,
(*on	nly one of the boxe	es below should be d	checked after carefully readi	ng any applicable lease or tenancy document)
	a lease for years	a term ending on	//20	with [] options to renew, each of []
	OR			
	☐ a residentia	al tenancy for a fix	ed term ending on	//20
	OR	·	-	
	☐ a periodic t	enancy determina	ble by notice	
Ter	ms contract (ge	eneral condition 3	0)	
	box is checke			e meaning of the Sale of Land Act 1962 if the lition 30 and any further applicable provisions should
Loa	an (general cond	dition 20)		
	This contra	ct is subject to a lo	oan being approved and t	he following details apply if the box is checked
Le	ender:			
Lo	an amount: n	o more than		Approval date:

Buildir	ng report
	General condition 21 applies only if the box is checked
Pest re	eport
	General condition 22 applies only if the box is checked

# **Special Conditions**

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- attach additional pages if there is not enough space.

# **General Conditions**



# **Contract of Sale of Land—Special Conditions**

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a line is drawn through any blank space remaining on this page;		
attach additional pages if there is not enough space and number pages accordingly (eg.5a, 5b, 5c etc.)		
1. Electronic conveyancing		
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Settlement and lodgement will be conducted electronically in accordance with the *Electronic Conveyancing National Law* and special condition 2 applies, if the box is marked "EC".

- 1.1 This special condition has priority over any other provision to the extent of any inconsistency. This special condition applies if the contract of sale specifies, or the parties subsequently agree in writing, that 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*.
- 1.2 A party must immediately give written notice if that party reasonably believes that settlement and lodgement can no longer be conducted electronically.
- 1.3 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.
- 1.4 The vendor must open the Electronic Workspace ("workspace") as soon as reasonably practicable. The workspace is an electronic address for the service of notices and for written communications for the purposes of any electronic transactions legislation.
- 1.5 The vendor must nominate a time of the day for locking of the workspace at least 7 days before the due date for settlement.
- 1.6 Settlement occurs when the workspace records that:
- (a) the exchange of funds or value between financial institutions in accordance with the instructions of the parties has occurred; 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.
- 1.7 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 special condition 2.6 has not occurred by 4.00 pm, or 6.00 pm if the nominated time for settlement is after 4.00 pm.

- 1.8 Each party must do everything reasonably necessary to assist the other party to trace and identify the recipient of any mistaken payment and to recover the mistaken payment.
- 1.9 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 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
- (d) direct the vendor's subscriber to give (or, if there is no vendor's subscriber, give) all those documents and items, and any such keys, to the purchaser or the purchaser's nominee on notification of settlement by the Electronic Network Operator.
- 1.10 The vendor must, at least 7 days before the due date for settlement, provide the original of any document required to be prepared by the vendor in accordance with general condition 6.

#### 2. Planning Schemes

The purchaser buys subject to any restrictions imposed by and to the provisions of the Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme and any other Town Planning Acts or Schemes. The Purchaser shall not requisition, object or claim compensation or delay settlement in respect of any restriction or prohibition on the use or development of or any zoning overlay or reservation affecting the property under any Planning Act or scheme or in any legislation or imposed by any authority empowered by legislation to control the use or development of the land.

#### 3. No representations

It is hereby agreed between the parties hereto that there are no conditions, warranties or other terms affecting this sale other than those embodied herein and the purchaser shall not be entitled to rely on any representations made by the vendor or his Agent except such as are made conditions of this contract.

#### 4. Dwelling

The land and buildings (if any) as sold hereby and inspected by the purchaser is sold on the basis of existing improvements thereon and the purchaser shall not make any requisition or claim any compensation for any deficiency or defect in the said improvements as to their suitability for occupation or otherwise including any requisition in relation to the issue or non issue of Building Permits and/or completion of inspections by the relevant authorities in respect of any improvements herein.

#### 5. Deposit

The deposit payable hereunder shall be ten per centum (10%) of the purchase price.

#### 6. Guarantee

If a company purchases the property:

 (a) Any person who signs this contract will be personally responsible to comply with the terms and conditions of this contract; and (b) The directors of the company must sign the guarantee attached to this contract and deliver it to the vendor within 7 days of the day of sale.

#### 7. Land Description

The Purchaser admits that the land as offered for sale and inspected by him is identical with that described in the title particulars given in the Vendor's Statement and in the Particulars of Sale hereof. The Purchaser shall not make any requisitions or claim any compensation for any alleged misdescription of the land or deficiency in its area or measurements or any patent or latent defects in the land or call upon the Vendor to amend title or bear all or any part of the cost of doing so provided that nothing herein shall release the Vendor from his obligations or affect the rights of the Purchaser pursuant to Section 9AC of the Sale of Land Act, 1962 (as amended) Condition 3 of Table A of the Third Schedule of the Transfer of Land Act, 1958 shall not apply to this Contract.

#### 8. Default

Should the Purchaser default in payment of any of the purchase moneys herein then the purchaser will pay penalty interest on such outstanding moneys at the rate of 12% from the date of such default until such time as the default is remedied. If any provision of this Contract remains to be performed 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 the land. General condition 33 does not apply to this contract.

- 8.1 The Purchaser acknowledges that:-
- a. if the Purchasers fails to complete the purchase of the property on the due date under this Contract, the Vendor will or may suffer additional losses and expenses; and
- b. the losses and expenses described in Special Condition 12.1a. are agreed to be reasonably foreseeable and shall be deemed to be "reasonably foreseeable loss" for the purposes of General Condition 32 of this Contract.
- 8.2 The Purchaser shall keep the Vendor indemnified at all times against all liabilities claims proceedings and penalties whatsoever under the Stamps Act 1958 relating to this Contract, any substitute Contract of Sale and the instrument of transfer of the property or any one or more of them.
- 8.3 The Purchaser agrees that a reasonably foreseeable loss under this contract includes any one or more of the following:
- a. the cost of obtaining bridging finance to complete the vendor's purchase of another property, including interest, legal costs, duty and other costs of or incidental to such bridging finance;
- b. interest and bank charges payable by the vendor under any existing loan or mortgage on the property hereby sold calculated from the due date of settlement;
- c. any moving and storage expenses incurred by the vendor as and from the due date of settlement of the property hereby sold;
- d. legal costs and expenses of the vendor on a representative and own client basis;
- e. where the vendor is purchasing another property ("the vendors purchase") all interest, expenses and legal costs payable to the vendor in respect of the vendor's purchase, arising from or in consequence of the default in payment of any moneys payable under this contract by the purchaser or owing to any breach of or failure by the purchaser to observe any of the terms and conditions of this contract.

#### 9. Existing Services and Utilities

The Purchaser acknowledges that the property is sold and the Purchaser shall take title thereto subject to all existing water, sewerage and drainage, gas and electricity, telephone or other installations, services and utilities (if any). The purchaser shall not make any requisition, objection or claim for compensation or delay settlement in respect of any of the following:

- a. The nature, location availability or non-availability of any such installations, services and utilities:
- b. If any such service is a joint service with any other land or building;
- c. If any such service for any other property or building or any parts or connections therefore
  pass through the property;
- d. If any sewer or water main or connection passes through in or over the property;
- e. If there is a man hole or vent on the property; or
- f. If because of or arising out of any such installations, services and utilities the property may be subject to or have the benefit of any rights or easements in respect of any such installation service or utility.

#### 10. Condition of the land

The Purchaser acknowledges that the Purchaser has purchased the Land as a result of the Purchaser's own inspection or inquiries and in its present condition and state of repair subject to all faults both latent and patent and except to any extend expressly provided in this Contract the Vendor has not and no person on the Vendor's behalf has made any warranty or representation in relation to those matters.

General Conditions 31.2, 31.5 and 31.6 do not apply to this Contract.

#### 11. Rates Certificates & Delivery of Adjustments

- 11.1 The Purchaser agrees to provide copies of all certificates obtained by them to complete any adjustments to the Vendor's Representative if requested. The Vendor will not be obliged to provide cheque details until this condition has been complied with. Land Tax will be adjusted based on the proportional land tax stated on the land tax assessment.
- 11.2 Further to General Condition 15, Adjustments must be prepared on behalf of the Purchaser and provided to the Vendors representative not less than 3 days prior to the due date of settlement and any failure to do so, will cause the Purchaser to pay an administration fee to the Vendors representative of \$150.00 for the delay in receiving the Statement of Adjustments.

The provisions of this Contract shall apply and prevail over any statutory or implied conditions but only to the extent of any inconsistency and to the extent permissible at law

#### 12 Finance

If this contract is subject to finance, the purchaser must provide the Vendor's Legal Representative with written notice as to whether the Purchaser's finance application has or has not been unconditionally approved. Where a purchaser's application for finance has not been approved, the Purchaser may end this contract by notice in writing and must provide a letter from an Authorized Banking Institution stating the decline has been issued. General Condition 20.2(c) does not apply to this contract. If the Purchaser fails to notify the vendor as required, or if further extensions are not granted by the Vendor, the Vendor may terminate the Contract.

#### 13. Settlement rescheduling fee

If settlement is rescheduled due to the purchaser delaying the settlement, the purchaser acknowledges they will pay \$330.00 including GST at settlement for each and every rescheduled settlement.

## 14. Nomination

If the named Purchaser chooses to nominate a substitute or additional Purchaser the named Purchaser shall remain personally liable for the due performance and observance of all the named Purchaser's obligations under this Contract and it shall be a condition precedent to such nominations that:

- (a) If the nominated Purchaser or one of more of them is an incorporated body then the named Purchasers shall deliver a personal guarantee to the Vendor's representative signed by all the directors of the said incorporated body.
- (b) Execute any other documents required by the Vendor's representative including a new Contract of

(c) The nominated Purchaser shall reimburse the Vendor \$330.00 for costs incurred by their representative in relation to the nomination.

#### 15. Windfall Gains Tax

If the sale of the property results in a government rezoning between the day of sale and settlement date, which attracts Windfall Gains Tax (WGT), the Purchaser shall be solely liable for payment of any WGT and must pay the WGT to the Vendor at the settlement date. If the WGT is due to be paid prior to settlement date, the Purchaser must on demand pay all WGT liability to the Commissioner of State Revenue Office or otherwise as directed by the Vendor in writing, at lease 2 business days before the due date as provided in the WGT assessment notice. This special condition is an essential term of the contract. The Purchaser will indemnify and keep indemnified the Vendor against any and all claims, actions, disputes, demands, proceedings, loss, expenses or liabilities of any kind arising from the matters disclosed in this special conditions.

#### 16. GST Withholding

- GST Withholding special condition
- 16.1. In this special condition, section references are to Schedule 1 of the Taxation Administration Act 1953 (Cwth) as amended by Treasury Laws Amendment (2018 Measures No 1) Act 2018 (Cwth) and asterisked terms have the same meanings as when used in that schedule.
- 16.2. If section 14-255 (1) applies to the supply of the property, the Vendor must give the purchaser the written notice required by that section at least seven days before settlement.
- 16.3. If Section 14-250 requires the recipient of supply to withhold an amount ("withholding sum") from the consideration payable to the Vendor and pay it to the Commissioner, the purchaser must: Complete and lodge such online notification forms as the Commissioner may require to enable payment of the withholding sum and At settlement, comply with section 16-30(3) by giving the Vendor a bank cheque payable to the Commissioner for the withholding sum or On the settlement date or within such further period (if any)as may be allowed by the Commissioner, pay the withholding sum to the Commissioner. Except where the purchaser has complied with the sub-paragraph b. or settlement has occurred using an electronic lodgement network operator, the purchaser must provide the vendor with evidence of payment of the withholding sum as soon as practicable after payment.
- 16.4. If the purchaser gives to the vendor at settlement a bank cheque payable to the Commissioner for the withholding sum, the vendor must, on the settlement date or within such further period (if any) as may be allowed by the Commissioner, pay the bank cheque to the Commissioner.
- 16.5. An amount withheld and paid as required by section 14-250 or applied as described in section 16-30(3) is treated as having been paid to the vendor.
- 16.6. Except as expressly set out in this special condition, the rights and obligations of the parties under this contract, including without restriction, any obligation of the vendor to apply for the margin scheme, are unchanged.
- 16.7. In this special condition, 'settlement' means the time when the first \*consideration for the \*supply (other than consideration provided as a deposit) is first provided.

#### 17. FIRB Approval

- 17.1 The Purchaser warrants that one of the following apply:
  - 17.1.1 The Purchaser:
    - (a) Is not required to provide notice of the entering into of this Contract or the purchase of the property to the Foreign Investment Board (FIRB) or any other relevant authority; and
    - (b) Does not require any consent or approval under the Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975 (Cth) or in compliance with the foreign investment policy of the Commonwealth of Australia to enter into this contract; or
  - 17.1.2 The Purchaser has obtained any necessary consent or approval from the Foreign Investment Review Board and any other relevant Authority to the purchase of the property by the purchaser on the terms and conditions set out in this Contract.

    the provisions of the Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975 (C'th) do not require
- the purchaser to obtain consent to enter this contract.

  17.2 If the warranty in the SC17.1 is untrue in any respect the Purchaser must indemnify the Vendor against any claim, liability, loss, damage, cost or expense arising (directly or indirectly) from or incurred by the Vendor in having relied on this warranty when entering into this Contract.

#### 18. Swimming Pool/Spa

In the event that the property includes a swimming pool or spa, the Purchaser hereby acknowledges by the signing of this contract that the swimming pool or spa located on the property may not have fencing or security that complies with all current legislative requirements. The Purchaser further acknowledges that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, the Purchaser cannot terminate this contract for any reason directly or indirectly related to or associated with the lack of swimming pool fencing or swimming pool securing fencing or security that fails to comply with current legislative requirements, nor will the Purchaser require the Vendor to comply with any requirement, and the Purchaser may not seek any compensation from the Vendor for any non-compliance. Prior to the signing of this contract, the Purchaser must complete its own due diligence regarding the swimming pool or spa located on the property and must be satisfied that the current legislative requirements are complied with.

#### 19. Solar Panels

If there are any solar panels on the land, the purchaser acknowledges and agrees that:

- 19.1. whether or not any benefits currently provided to the vendor by agreement with the current energy supplier (including with respect to feed-in-tariffs) pass to the purchaser on the sale of the land is a matter for enquiry and confirmation by the purchaser, and the vendor makes no representation in this regard:
- 19.2. the purchaser will negotiate with the current energy supplier or an energy supplier of the purchaser's choice with respect to any feed-in tariffs for any electricity generated or any other benefits provided by the solar panels:
- 19.3. the purchaser shall indemnify and hold harmless the vendor against any claims whatsoever with respect to the solar panels; and
- 19.4. neither the vendor nor vendor's estate agent has made any representations or warranties with respect to the solar panels in relation to their condition, state of repair, fitness for purpose for which they were installed, their input to the electricity grid, any benefits arising from any electricity generated by the solar panels, or otherwise

#### 20. Acceptance of title

General condition 12.4 is added:

1. 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.

## **Contract of Sale of Land - 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 be half, 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 nominate a substitute or additional transferee, 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 the header 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.

#### 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.
- 13.10 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.

#### 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 lodgment 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 lodgment 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 lodgment 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 lodgment network operators do not provide otherwise:

(a) the electronic lodgement network operator to conduct all the financial and lodgment 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 lodgment.
- 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 lodgment 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.
- 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:
  - 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:
  - 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:
  - 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.
- 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:
  - 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:
  - 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;
  - 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 and INDEMNITY**

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# **SCHEDULE 1**

Regulations 5, 6 and 7

# GENERAL RULES FOR THE CONDUCT OF PUBLIC AUCTIONS OF LAND

\*1. No bids may be made on behalf of the vendor of the land.

OR

\*1. The auctioneer may make one or more bids on behalf of the vendor of the land at any time during the auction.

# [\*One of these alternatives must be deleted]

- 2. The auctioneer may refuse any bid.
- 3. The auctioneer may determine the amount by which the bidding is to be advanced.
- 4. The auctioneer may withdraw the property from sale at any time.
- 5. The auctioneer may refer a bid to the vendor at any time before the conclusion of the auction.
- 6. In the event of a dispute concerning a bid, the auctioneer may re-submit the property for sale at the last undisputed bid or start the bidding again.
- 7. The auctioneer must not accept any bid or offer for a property that is made after the property has been knocked down to the successful bidder, unless the vendor or successful bidder at the auction refuses to sign the contract of sale following the auction.
- 8. If a reserve price has been set for the property and the property is passed in below that reserve price, the vendor will first negotiate with the highest bidder for the purchase of the property.

# 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	16 MESSMATE STREET, LALOR VIC 3075		
Vendor's name	HIEN BICH LE	Date /	
Vendor's signature			
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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) Are contained in the attached certificate/s. 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 Not Applicable 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 **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. 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 the Building Act 1993 applies to the residence. Not Applicable **LAND USE** 3.1 Easements, Covenants or Other Similar Restrictions

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- 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
- 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 easements, covenants or other similar restriction.

#### 3.2 Road Access

.3	There is NO access to the property by road if the square box is marked with an 'X'  Designated Bushfire Prone Area	
	The land is in a designated bushfire prone area within the meaning of section 192A of the <i>Building Act</i> 1993 if the square box is marked with an 'X'	

#### **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:

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#### 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:

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#### 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):

#### 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")

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

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 ☐ W	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.

- (a) Attached is a copy of the plan for the first stage if the land is in the second or 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:

NII

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

NIL

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

NIL

#### 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 1000m<sup>2</sup>; (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.)

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#### 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 an "Additional Vendor Statement" if section 1.3 (Terms Contract) or section 1.4 (Sale Subject to Mortgage) applies)

# 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 <a href="Due diligence checklist page">Due diligence checklist page</a> 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.

(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.



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

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#### LAND DESCRIPTION

Lot 76 on Plan of Subdivision 040751. PARENT TITLE Volume 08164 Folio 114 Created by instrument A658772 11/12/1958

#### REGISTERED PROPRIETOR

Estate Fee Simple
Joint Proprietors
HIEN BICH LE
HAI HOANG both of 35 WYATTVILLE DRIVE WEST HOXTON NSW 2171
AV066102S 26/11/2021

#### ENCUMBRANCES, CAVEATS AND NOTICES

MORTGAGE AV066103Q 26/11/2021 SECURE FUNDING PTY LTD

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 LP040751 FOR FURTHER DETAILS AND BOUNDARIES

#### ACTIVITY IN THE LAST 125 DAYS

NIL

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

Street Address: 16 MESSMATE STREET LALOR VIC 3075

#### ADMINISTRATIVE NOTICES

NIL

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# PARISH OF KEELBUNDORA

COUNTY OF BOURKE VOL.5520 FOL.990

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Conversion Factor FEET X 0.3048 = METRES

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No. 1881475. Entered: 1-6-82
Assistant Registrar of Titles

# **ENCUMBRANCES**

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EDITION 2 PLAN MAY BE LODGED 15/7/57

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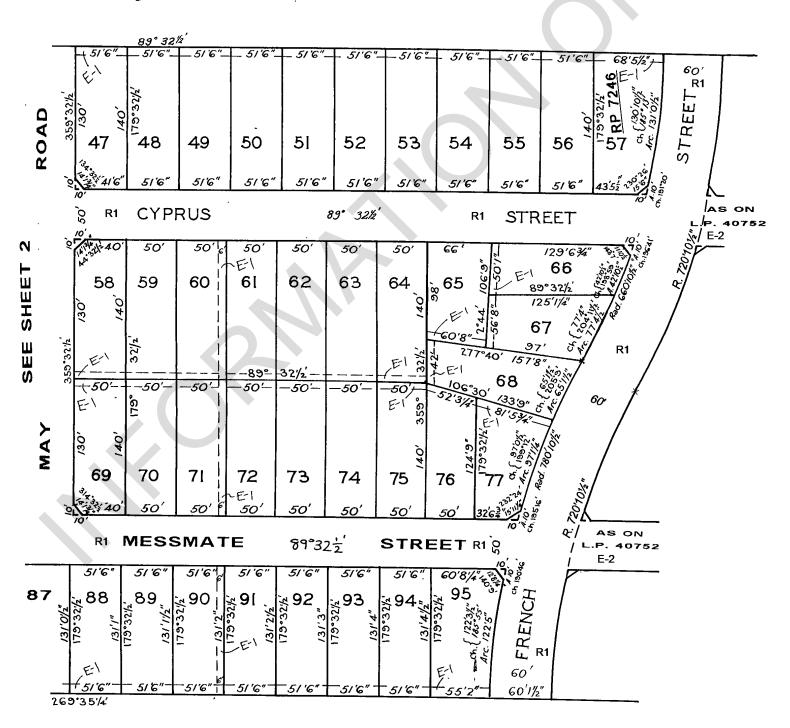
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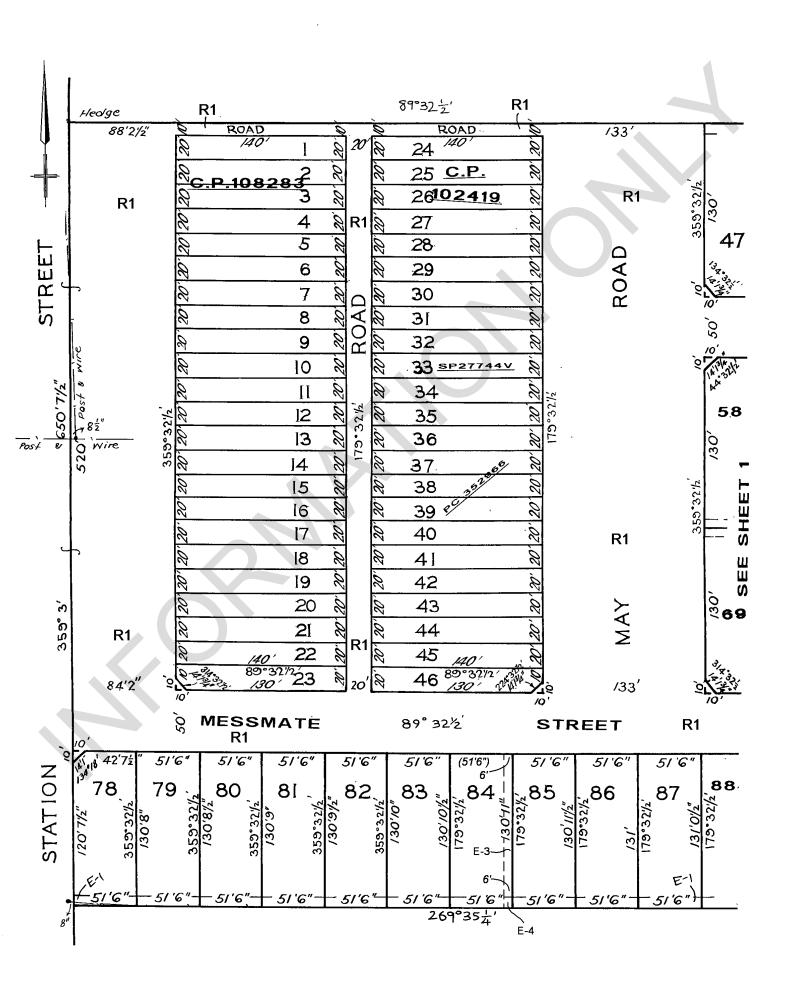
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RECORD OF ALL ADDITIONS OR CHANGES TO THE PLAN

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AFFECTED LAND/PARCEL	LOT 84					





# Valuations and Rates Notice

For the period 1 July 2023 to 30 June 2024

**NRS** 133 677 ask for (03) 9217 2170 **Phone** (03) 9217 2170

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H Hoang & H B Le 35 Wyattville Drive **WEST HOXTON NSW 2171** 

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Issue Date 25/08/2023

# **Assessment Number** 0143297



For emailed notices register at whittlesea.enotices.com.au Reference No: 94A194EA4Y

# Property Details 16 Messmate Street LALOR VIC 3075

Owner: H Hoang & H B Le

# LOT 76 LP 40751

# Valuation Details

Site Value **Net Annual Value Capital Improved Value** \$600,000 \$625,000 \$31,250

Level of value date 01/01/2023 Valuation operative date 01/07/2023

**AVPCC** 110 Detached Dwelling

# **Rates and Charges**

# **Council Charges**

General rate 31,250 x 0.04724460 \$1,476.39 Food/Green waste bin charge 1 x 105.15 \$105.15 Waste Service Charge (Res/Rural) 1 x 171.45 \$171.45

# **State Government Charges**

Fire services charge (Res) 1 x \$125.00 Fire services levy (Res) 625,000 x 0.00004600 \$28.75 Waste Landfill Levy Res/Rural 1 x 11.85 \$11.85

**Total** \$1,918.59 **INSTALMENT 1** 

\$481.59

Due By 30/09/2023

# **INSTALMENT 2**

\$479.00 Due By 30/11/2023

# **INSTALMENT 3**

\$479.00 Due By 28/02/2024

# **INSTALMENT 4**

\$479.00

Due By 31/05/2024

\*If Instalment 1 is not paid by 30/09/2023, your account will change to the lump sum option shown below.

# **LUMP SUM**

\$1.918.59 Due By 15/02/2024



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Bank Account

# Where to pay



www.whittlesea.vic.gov.au



Phone 1300 301 185 VISA



Payments received after 15 August 2023 may not be included on this notice

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BPAY" this payment via internet or phone banking. BPAY View" - View and pay this bill using internet banking BPAY View Registration No.: 0143297





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(except public holidays).

# **PAYMENT - INSTALMENTS / LUMP SUM**

City of Whittlesea's rates and charges for 2023/24 are payable by four instalments or an annual lump sum.

**Instalments** – The four instalments and due dates are shown on the front of this notice. Payment of the first instalment must be received by 30 September 2023 to be on this schedule. Reminders will be issued for the second, third and fourth instalments.

**Lump sum** – A single lump sum payment due on or before 15 February 2024. This is the total amount for the financial year as shown on the front of this notice.

# **PENSION REBATE**

Ratepayers who hold a Pension Concession Card or certain cards issued by Department of Veterans' Affairs may be entitled to a rate rebate on their main place of residence. Application forms are available at whittlesea.vic.gov.au or by calling 9217 2170. Health care cards are not accepted.

# **RATE CAPPING**

Council has complied with the Victorian Government's rate cap of 3.5%. The cap applies to the average annual increase of rates and charges. The rates and charges for your property may have increased or decreased by a different percentage amount for the following reasons:

- the valuation of your property relative to the valuation of other properties in the municipality
- the application of any differential rate by Council
- the inclusion of other rates and charges not covered by the Victorian Government's rate cap.

# **INTEREST ON LATE PAYMENTS**

Rates and charges not paid on or before the relevant due date will be charged interest from the instalment dates. Interest will continue to accrue until the account is up to date. Penalty interest is charged at 10% per annum as provided in the *Penalty Interest Rates Act 1983*.

# FIRE SERVICES PROPERTY LEVY

Council must collect the Fire Services Property Levy. If the leviable land is rateable land, or if it is classed as residential but is not rateable land, you may apply for a waiver, deferral, or concession in accordance with sections 27 and 28 of the Fire Services Property Levy Act 2012.

A property is allocated an Australian Valuation Property Classification Code (AVPCC) to determine the land use classification for Fire Services Property Levy purposes.

# **OBJECTION TO THE VALUATION**

The values shown on this notice were assessed as at 1 January 2023 by the Valuer General Victoria. Objections to Council's valuation of your property (including the AVPCC) can be made under section 17 of the *Valuation of Land Act 1960*. Objection must be lodged within two months of this notice or Supplementary Notice being issued and can be lodged online at ratingvaluationobjections.vic.gov.au

Regardless of an objection being lodged, the rates and charges as assessed must be paid by the due dates to avoid penalty interest. Any overpayments will be refunded. These valuations may be used by other authorities. The State Revenue Office uses the site value in assessing Land Tax. Contact the State Revenue Office for more information.

# FINANCIAL HARDSHIP

If you are struggling to pay your rates due to financial hardship, submit an enquiry form for consideration under our financial hardship policy at whittlesea.vic.gov.au/about-us/rates/late-rates-payments/

# **ARRANGEMENTS**

To apply for a payment plan or extension, email your request to arrangements@whittlesea.vic.gov.au and include the assessment number and proposed plan (amount, frequency and start date).

# FARM LAND AND SINGLE FARMING ENTERPRISE

For a property to be rated as 'farm land', an application form must be submitted to Council for review. Application forms are available at the Council Offices or at whittlesea.vic.gov.au.

You may also apply for a single farm enterprise exemption in accordance with section 9 of the *Fire Services Property Levy Act 2012*.

#### **OBJECTION TO A RATE OR CHARGE**

You can object to a rate or charge by appealing to the County Court under section 184 of the *Local Government Act 1989*. Any appeal must be lodged within 30 days of the date of issue of this notice. You may only appeal on one or more of the following grounds:

- that the land is not rateable land (this is not applicable to special rates)
- that the rate or charge assessment was calculated incorrectly
- that the person rated is not liable to be rated.

# **ALLOCATION OF PAYMENTS**

All payments will be credited in the following order: Legal costs, interest charges, overdue rates and charges, current year rates and charges

# **CHANGE OF NAME/ADDRESS**

It is the responsibility of the owner/s to immediately notify Council in writing of any changes of name and/or address for this property.

#### **PRIVACY STATEMENT**

The information on this notice is subject to the *Privacy and Data Protection Act 2014* and will be kept on record at Council. Please call 9217 2170 for further information on privacy matters.

#### **WASTE VOUCHERS**

Vouchers are not transferable or for commercial use – the home owner must be present when using vouchers. Photo ID may be requested when presenting vouchers.

# **DATE RATES DECLARED**

27 June 2023

# **COUNCIL OFFICES AND CONTACT INFORMATION**

Civic Centre Office - 25 Ferres Boulevard, South Morang VIC 3752 Whittlesea Hub - 63 Church Street, Whittlesea Vic 3757

Locked Bag 1

**BUNDOORA MDC VIC 3083** 

Email: info@whittlesea.vic.gov.au

Phone: (03) 9217 2170

National Relay Service: 133 677 (ask for 9217 2170)

Differential Rates Calculated on Net Annual Value			
Differential Type	Rate in the Dollar	Differential for this Assessment	
General	0.04724460	\$1,476.39	
Farm*	0.02834676	\$885.84	

<sup>\*</sup> Eligible ratepayers can apply for farm rate. Please see Council's website for the application form.

**PAYMENT - INSTALMENTS / LUMP SUM** 

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revenueforms@whittlesea.vic.gov.au Locked Bag 1, Bundoora 3083 25 Ferres Blvd, South Morang 3752

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# **Direct Debit Authorisation Form**

**Applications close 15 September 2023** 

Please select on	е				
New applicant		Updating details		Cancellation request	
<b>Applicant Detail</b>	S				
Name		Property address			Phone
Assessment numbe	r	Mailing address			Email
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Bank account de	tails				
BSB	Acco	ount number		Bank	
Account name			Account holder	signature/s	
Authority					
	/e aut	horise the City of Wh			ement on the back of this bank account in
Signature/s					Date
Conditions	Conditions				

City of Whittlesea will:

- Reserve the right to refuse this application if the rate account is overdue
- Debit your nominated account on each of the set dates (or the next business day if it falls on a weekend or public holiday) and won't negotiate additional payment dates
- Charge a **processing fee** of \$36.65 (inc. GST) to your rates account on the following business day if the entire set amount is not available for debit on the set date
- Not debit a lesser amount than is due on a set date
- Not cancel a direct debit authority unless requested in writing
- Cancel this direct debit authority in the event of two payment dishonours in a rating year
- Confirm in writing when a direct debit authority has been cancelled

Note: If choosing the monthly direct debit option, each instalment will be equal to your total annual rates divided by 9. You can calculate this by referring to your 2023/24 annual rates and charges notice.

# SERVICE AGREEMENT

# **Direct Debit Authority**

This service agreement outlines your responsibilities and rights and the City of Whittlesea (Council) commitment to you in respect of the direct debit authority that you are approving.

# How will it work?

Upon choosing your payment cycle and returning this completed application to Council, it is your responsibility to ensure that your bank account can accept debits (your bank can confirm this) and that on a set date there are sufficient funds to be debited.

After processing your completed direct debit application, you will receive a written confirmation via email or post.

If you change your mind and wish to cancel the direct debit authority prior to the <u>first</u> set payment, this must be done in writing at least seven days prior. Otherwise, a processing fee of \$36.65 (including GST) will be charged to the rate account. Council will then confirm the cancellation in writing.

Please note: Council will not negotiate additional payment dates to those displayed on this application or attempt to debit an amount that is less than a set amount of your chosen payment cycle.

# Dishonoured payment as advised by your bank

If Council is unable to debit your bank account for a set amount, Council will charge a processing fee of \$36.65 (including GST) to the rate account on the following business day.

Please note, a processing fee will also apply if you advise Council to stop an individual debit and do not pay the entire amount by the set date via another payment method.

Council will cancel the direct debit authority in the event of two dishonours in a rating year. A rating year is equivalent to a financial year. We will communicate in writing of a cancellation that is initiated by Council.

# What if the nominated bank account has been closed or transferred?

Please notify Council seven days prior to the set date of deduction with the new bank account details to ensure Council does not attempt to debit an incorrect bank account.

# Does the direct debit authority cease at the end of the rating year?

The direct debit authority will continue indefinitely unless you request the cancellation in writing. This means every rating year your rates will continue to be paid by direct debit from the nominated bank account. In each rating year Council will confirm the set amounts and set dates in writing. Importantly, you must ensure that the details we hold for the direct debit authority remain valid.

# How secure are my bank account details?

The signed direct debit authority containing your bank account details are confidential and kept in locked and secure storage at the Council offices. Applications are destroyed after an authority is cancelled.

# **Enquiries**

Please direct all enquiries to Council on (03) 9217 2170 rather than to your bank. All communication addressed to Council should include the assessment number shown on the front of the rates notice.

# **Disputes**

If you believe that Council has incorrectly debited your bank account, please contact Council on (03) 9217 2170. The matter will be attended to immediately and every attempt will be made to resolve the dispute within seven days. A refund will be processed if Council is unable to substantiate the entire amount that was debited.

# It is your right to cancel a direct debit authority

A request to cancel an existing direct debit authority can be made at any time in writing.

# Your quarterly bill

Emailed to: hiennhi0206@gmail.com

MRS H LE & MR H HOANG

35 WYATTVILLE DR WEST HOXTON NSW 2171



Enquiries Faults (24/7) 1300 304 688

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 Account number
 31 8154 3193

 Invoice number
 3185 6451 95303

 Issue date
 31 Jan 2024

Tax Invoice Yarra Valley Water ABN 93 066 902 501

Amount due **\$184.99** 

Due date 21 Feb 2024

# **Summary**

# 16 MESSMATE ST, LALOR

**Property Number 1224 969**, LP 40751

Product/Service	Amount
Water Supply System Charge	\$20.04
Sewerage System Charge	\$114.46
Yarra Valley Water Total	\$134.50

**Other Authority Charges** 

Waterways and Drainage Charge on behalf of Melbourne Water \$29.38

Parks Charge \$21.10

TOTAL (GST does not apply) \$184.98

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# Important note

Your bill includes the parks charge, which is now billed quarterly.

No water usage has been charged on this account.

# **Payment summary**

Total Balance	\$184.99
Total this Account	+\$184.98
Balance	\$0.01
Paid/Adjusted	-\$187.00
Last Account	\$187.01



# How to pay



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# **Direct Debit**

Sign up for Direct Debit at yvw.com.au/directdebit or call 1300 304 688.



# EFT

Transfer direct from your bank account to ours by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT).

Account name: Yarra Valley Water BSB: 033-885 Account number: 318180701



# **BPAY**®

Biller code: **344366** Ref: **318 1543 1938** 

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# Centrepay

Arrange regular deductions from your Centrelink payments.

Visit yvw.com.au/paying CRN reference: **555 054 118T** 



# Credit card

Online: yvw.com.au/paying Phone: 1300 362 332



# Post Billpay®

Pay in person at any post office, by phone on **13 18 16** or at **postbillpay.com.au** 

Biller code: **3042** Ref: **3185 6451 95303** 

# MRS H LE & MR H HOANG

Account number	31 8154 3193
Invoice number	3185 6451 95303
Total due	\$184.99
Due date	21 Feb 2024
Amount paid	\$

No water usage has been charged on this account.

Your \*NAV is at a sufficiently low level to attract the current quarterly minimum parks charge of \$21.10.

\*NAV = Net Annual Value of your property which is capped at 1990 levels.

# Your charges explained

# → Water supply system charge

# 1 January 2024 - 31 March 2024

A fixed cost for maintaining and repairing pipes and other infrastructure that store, treat and deliver water to your property.

# → Sewerage system charge

# 1 January 2024 - 31 March 2024

A fixed cost for running, maintaining, and repairing the sewerage system.

# Other authority charges Waterways and drainage charge 1 January 2024 - 31 March 2024

Collected on behalf of Melbourne Water each quarter and used to manage and improve waterways, drainage, and flood protection. For more information visit melbournewater.com.au/wwdc



# Parks charge

# 1 January 2024 - 31 March 2024

Collected on behalf of Parks Victoria each quarter, and used to maintain and enhance Victoria's parks, zoos, the Royal Botanic Gardens, the Shrine of Remembrance and other community facilities. For more information visit parks.vic.gov.au

# Financial assistance

Are you facing financial difficulty? For more time to pay, payment plans and government assistance, we can find a solution that works for you. Please call us on **1800 994 789** or visit **yvw.com.au/financialhelp.** 

Registering your concession can also reduce the amount you need to pay. Please call us on **1800 680 824** or visit **yvw.com.au/concession.** 

# Contact us

B	Enquiries	1300 304 688	For languag	ge assistance
	Faults and Emergencies	13 27 62 (24hr)	العربية	1300 914 361
@	enquiry@yvw.com.au		廣東話	1300 921 362
B	yvw.com.au		Ελληνικά	1300 931 364
TY	TTY Voice Calls	133 677	普通话	1300 927 363
Ţij.	Speak and Listen	1300 555 727		r languages call our service on <b>03 9046 4173</b>

Between 1-8 May 2024



**PERMIT NUMBER: PLN-41336** 

# **PLANNING PERMIT**

# WHITTLESEA PLANNING SCHEME

# ADDRESS OF THE LAND:

16 MESSMATE STREET LALOR VIC 3075

LOT: 76 LP: 40751

# THE PERMIT ALLOWS:

CONSTRUCTION OF FIVE DWELLINGS AND REDUCTION IN THE VISITOR CAR PARKING RATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ENDORSED PLAN

# THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS APPLY TO THIS PERMIT:

# Conditions to be met prior to the endorsement of plans

1. Prior to the endorsement of plans, the permit holder must pay to Council a contribution for drainage pursuant to Clause 45.06 of the *Whittlesea Planning Scheme*. The drainage contribution will be subject to the Consumer Price Index (CPI) applicable at the time of payment.

# Conditions to be met prior to the commencement of works

- 2. Before the development allowed by this permit starts, amended plans to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority must be submitted to and approved by the Responsible Authority. When approved, the plans will be endorsed and will then form part of this permit. The plans must be generally in accordance with the plans dated 15 August 2023 and prepared by Lazarovski Design, but modified to show:
  - a. All garage doors to open outwards into the courtyards.
  - b. The provision of glazed front entry doors to Dwellings 2-5 to allow for increased passive surveillance and daylight access.
  - c. The provision of coloured permeable paving in lieu of the proposed 'grasscrete' to the shared accessway.

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- d. The reduction of Dwelling 5 bedroom 1, walk-in-robe and ensuite area to reduce the length of the western wall 200mm from the boundary to achieve compliance with Clause 55.04-2 (Walls on boundary objective) of the Whittlesea Planning Scheme
- e. The provision of an overlooking section diagram for the Dwelling 2-5 balconies, to ensure the planter boxes can feasibly be implemented to prevent direct views into adjacent secluded private open space and meet Clause 55.04-6 (Overlooking objective) of the Whittlesea Planning Scheme.
- f. The relocation of the Dwelling 5 storage shed away from the bedroom 1 window.
- g. The provision of a garage door to Dwelling 5 to allow for access to the rear secluded private open space.
- h. The relocation of the visitor bicycle space to be moved closer towards the entrance of the shared accessway.
- i. The location and section details of bin storage enclosures to each dwelling to reduce views of bins from windows.
- j. The provision of skylights for additional solar access to the first-floor open plan areas that are not provided with north-facing clerestory windows.
- k. The dimensions of the Dwelling 1 balcony, ensuring a minimum 2.4 metres width for a total of 12 square metres is provided to meet varied Clause 55.05-4 of the Whittlesea Planning Scheme.
- I. The provision of openable windows or operable skylights to the stairs on the first-floor to allow stack ventilation through the stairwell on hot days.
- m. An amended schedule of external materials, finishes and colour for the roof, external cladding and exposed concrete driveway, to specify light coloured or reflective finishes / materials (Solar Reflective Index >50 or Solar Absorptance<0.6) to help mitigate the urban heat island effect.
- n. Landscaping as required by Condition 3 of this permit.
- 3. Concurrent with the endorsement of plans under Condition No. 2 and before the development allowed by this permit starts, a revised landscape plan prepared by a suitably qualified (or experienced) landscape designer to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority must be submitted to and approved by the Responsible Authority. When approved, the plan will be endorsed and will then form part of this permit. The landscaping plan must be generally in accordance with the landscape plan dated August 2023 and prepared by Zenith Concepts. The plan must show:
  - a. The provision of tree planting within the rear secluded private open space of Dwelling 5, ensuring appropriate species choice in proximity to an easement.
  - b. Details of the landscaping boxes for screen planting to the balconies, including details of any irrigation system.

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- c. Stormwater management details as per the STORM/MUSIC report, including the specific sizes and location of the rainwater harvesting tanks, etc.
- d. Consistency with the City of Whittlesea Landscape Guidelines (Residential Development).
- 4. Before the development allowed by this permit starts, an amended Sustainable Design Assessment (SDA) to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority must be submitted to, and approved by, the responsible authority. When approved, the plans will be endorsed and will then form part of this Permit. The amended plans and Sustainable Design Assessment must be generally in accordance with the submitted SDA prepared by Lazarovski Design and submitted 18 August 2023, but modified to show the following:
  - a. An amended and published BESS Report that achieves 'best practice' with a minimum overall score of 50%, including a minimum 50% pass mark in all mandatory categories of Water, Energy, Indoor Environment Quality and 100% for Stormwater. The applicant is encouraged to maintain/improve upon the BESS score of 64%.

# Water

- b. Water credit 3.1 Water Efficient Landscaping:
  - (a) The SDA and associated Landscape Plan to be amended to include a note that states that if drip irrigation is required, this shall be connected to the rainwater tank.

# Energy

c. Submission of a Preliminary Energy Report: NatHERS Star Rating Certificates for each dwelling, to align with the identified 7-star rating.

# Indoor environment Quality (IEQ)

- d. To claim credit 2.2 Cross Flow Ventilation, cross flow ventilation on the submitted BESS plan must be demonstrated on plans including all window openings on elevations.
- e. To claim 100% of credit 3.2 Thermal Comfort External Shading, submission of plans/elevations specifying shading devices to 100% of north, east and west facing habitable room windows. Eaves width should measure 25% of the height from the window sill and the bottom of the eaves. Please refer to BESS tool notes for further clarification/design options if required. Note that 'shroud' window shading is not appropriate for east/west facing windows due to the angle of the sun.
- f. Removal of the claimed credit 3.3 Thermal Comfort Orientation as the living spaces primarily face due east and west.

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g. Ensure all bathrooms and ensuites have an openable window or openable skylight or exhaust fans with humidity sensors to allow ventilation.

# **Transport**

- h. Transport 1.1 Bicycle parking residential BESS credit for resident parking is not available for mounted bicycle parking above car bonnets due to access difficulties. If a bike rack/hook on the long garage long wall of each dwelling it must allow for clear access paths and minimum car parking space requirements. Amended plans must indicate appropriate bike parking locations.
- i. To claim credit 1.2 Visitor Bicycle spaces, further details must be provided for a lockable space for the bike.
- j. To claim the Transport 2.1 Electric Vehicle Infrastructure credit, the location of the electric vehicle charging point in the garage must be shown with a note or associated legend item detailing: "minimum 15A dedicated circuit from load centre to garage".

# Waste

k. Remove claimed credit 1.1 Building Re-Use as the existing dwelling is to be demolished for development.

# **Urban Ecology**

- I. To claim Urban Ecology credit 2.1 Vegetation, amended plans must be submitted to include only turfed or planting areas and cannot include other landscaping elements such as hard paving/pavers (including permeable paving), loose pavers/steppingstones aggregate/pebbles, synthetic grass, decks, pool, RW tanks, storage sheds etc. This area must be shown on the landscape plan/separate plan accurately and entry in BESS must be updated accordingly. This must be clearly identified on a submitted plan as the claimed 27% area (i.e. shown shaded green).
- 5. Before the development allowed by this permit starts, including demolition, excavation and vegetation removal, a Construction Management Plan must be submitted to and endorsed by the Responsible Authority and be in accordance with the Responsible Authority's Construction Management Plan template. No works are permitted to occur until the Plan has been endorsed by the Responsible Authority. Once endorsed, the Construction Management Plan will form part of the permit and must be implemented to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority. The CMP must be submitted directly to Council's Infrastructure Protection Unit.

For further information, including submission, please contact Council's Infrastructure Protection Unit on 9217 2170 or info@whittlesea.vic.gov.au.

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- 6. Before starting any buildings or works, engineering plans showing a properly prepared design (with computations), for the internal drainage and method of disposal of stormwater from all roofed and sealed areas, [including the use of an on-site detention system] must be submitted to Council for approval. These internal drainage works must be completed to the Council's satisfaction prior to using or occupying any building on the site.
  - Engineering plans must be submitted directly to Council's Development Engineering Unit. For further information, including submission, please contact Council's Development Engineering Unit on 9217 2170 or info@whittlesea.vic.gov.au.
- 7. The development allowed by this permit and shown on the endorsed plans and/or schedules must not be amended for any reason without the consent of the Responsible Authority.

# Conditions to be met during construction

- 8. Once the development allows by this permit has started, it must be continued and completed to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority.
- 9. All works must be carried out generally in accordance with the measures set out in the Construction Management Plan approved by the Responsible Authority. Any changes to the Construction Management Plan must be submitted to and approved by the Responsible Authority prior to implementation unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the Responsible Authority.
- 10. At all times during the construction phase of the development, appropriate measures must be taken to ensure that pedestrians are able to use any footpath along the boundaries of the site safely.
- 11. Any litter generated by building activities on the site must be collected and stored in an appropriate enclosure. The enclosures must be regularly emptied and maintained such that no litter overspills onto adjoining land. Before the occupation and/or use of the building, all litter must be completely removed from the site.
- 12. During the construction phase, any mud or other materials deposited on roadways as a result of construction works on the site must be cleaned to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority within two hours of it being deposited.
- 13. The development allowed by this permit must be managed so that the amenity of the area is not detrimentally affected, through the:
  - a. Transport of materials, good or commodities to or from the land;
  - b. Appearance of any building, works or materials;

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- c. Emissions of noise, artificial light, vibration, smell, fumes, smoke, vapour, steam, soot, ash, dust, waste water, waste products, grit or oil;
- d. Presence of vermin.
- 14. Upon completion of all buildings and works allowed by this permit the permit holder must notify the Responsible Authority of the satisfactory completion of the development and compliance with all relevant conditions.

# Conditions to be met prior to the occupation of the development / General conditions

- 15. Before the occupation of any dwelling approved by this permit, landscaping and stormwater management works shown on the endorsed plan must be completed and then maintained to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority.
- 16. The landscaping areas shown on the endorsed plans must be used for landscaping and no other purpose and any landscaping must be maintained to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority, including that any dead, diseased or damaged plants are to be replaced.
- 17. Before the occupation of any dwelling approved by this permit, a compliance inspection and report from the author of the Sustainable Design Assessment (SDA) or similarly qualified person or company, must be submitted to the Responsible Authority.
  - The compliance report must be to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority and must confirm that all measures specified in the SDA have been implemented in accordance with the approved documentation.
- 18. Before the occupation of any dwellings approved by this permit, car parking areas and access ways must be drained, fully sealed and constructed with asphalt, interlocking paving bricks, coloured concrete or other similar materials to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority.
- 19. In areas set aside for car parking, measures must be taken to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority to prevent damage to fences or landscaped areas.
- 20. Vehicular access to the site must be by way of a vehicle crossing constructed in accordance with Council's Vehicle Crossing Specifications to suit the proposed driveway(s) and the vehicles that will be using the crossing(s). The location, design and construction of the vehicle crossing(s) must be approved by the Responsible Authority. Any existing unused or redundant crossing(s) must be removed and replaced with concrete kerb, channel and naturestrip to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority. All vehicle crossing works are to be carried out with Council supervision.

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- 21. The permit holder is responsible to meet all costs associated with reinstatement and/or alterations to Council or other Public Authority assets deemed necessary by such Authorities as a result of the development. The permit holder is responsible for obtaining prior specific written approval for any works involving the alteration of Council or other Public Authority assets.
- 22. Before the occupation of any dwelling allowed by this permit, a letter box and house number to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority must be provided for each dwelling.
- 23. Before the occupation of any dwelling allowed by this permit, the permit holder must construct at no cost to Council, drainage works between the subject site and the Council nominated point of discharge. Such drainage works must be designed by a qualified engineer and submitted to and approved by Council. Computations will also be required to demonstrate that the drainage system will not be overloaded by the new development. Construction of the drainage system must be carried out in accordance with Council specifications and under Council supervision.
- 24. Before the occupation of any dwelling allowed by this permit, reticulated (water, sewerage, gas and electricity) services must be constructed and available to the satisfaction of the Responsible Authority.

# **Permit expiry**

- 25. In accordance with the *Planning and Environment Act 1987* a permit for development expires:
  - a. The approved development does not start within two (2) years of the date of this permit; or
  - b. The approved development is not completed within four (4) years of the date of this permit.

The responsible authority may extend the periods referred to above if a request is made in writing. This request must be made before or within six (6) months after the permit expiry date where the development has not yet started and within twelve (12) months after the permit expiry date where the development allowed by the permit has lawfully started before the permit expires.

# Permit notes:

Street numbering note:

Date Issued: 18 January 2024

PLN-41336



Please note that property addresses and numbering is allocated by Council. This is usually formalised at the time of the subdivision, however it is Council's intention to number the proposed dwellings as follows:

- Dwelling 1 Unit 1/16 Messmate Street Lalor
- Dwelling 2 Unit 2/16 Messmate Street Lalor
- Dwelling 3 Unit 3/16 Messmate Street Lalor
- Dwelling 4 Unit 4/16 Messmate Street Lalor
- Dwelling 5 Unit 5/16 Messmate Street Lalor

Please check with Council's Subdivisions Unit to verify all street numberings before commencement of any advertising for sale or lease.

# **Advanced trees note:**

An advanced tree under this permit generally constitutes the following:

- Evergreen minimum container size 45 litre spring ring, 50mm calliper at ground level.
- Deciduous minimum calliper at ground level 65mm, minimum height 2 metres.

# **Building over easements note:**

No structure may be built over an easement on the subject site without the consent of the relevant Responsible Authority.

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# IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THIS NOTICE

# WHAT HAS BEEN DECIDED?

\* The Responsible Authority has issued a permit.

# CAN THE RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY AMEND THIS PERMIT?

\* The responsible authority may amend this permit under Division 1A of Part 4 of the Planning and Environment Act 1987.

# WHEN DOES A PERMIT BEGIN?

# A permit operates:

- \* from the date specified in the permit, or
- if no date is specified, from
- (i) the date of the decision of the Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal, if the permit was issued at the direction of the Tribunal, or
- (ii) the date on which it was issued, in any other case.

# WHEN DOES A PERMIT EXPIRE?

- 1. A permit for the development of the land expires if
  - \* the development or any stage of it does not start within the time specified in the permit, or
  - \* the development requires the certification of a Plan of Subdivision or consolidation under the Subdivision Act 1988 and the plan is not certified within two years of the issue of the permit, unless the permit contains a different provision, or
  - \* the development or any stage is not completed within the time specified in the permit or, if no time is specified, within two years after the issue of the permit or in the case of a subdivision or consolidation within five years of the certification of the Plan of Subdivision or consolidation under the Subdivision Act 1988.
- 2. A permit for the use of the land expires if -
  - \* the use does not start within the time specified in the permit or, if no time is specified, within two years after the issue of the permit, or
  - \* the use is discontinued for a period of two years.
- 3. A permit for the development and use of the land expires if -
  - \* the development or any stage of it does not start within the time specified in the permit, or
  - the development or any stage of it is not completed within the time specified in the permit or, if no time is specified, within two years after the issue of the permit, or
  - the use does not start within the time specified in the permit, or if no time is specified, within two years after the completion of the development, or
  - the use is discontinued for a period of two years.
- 4. If a permit for the use of the land or the development and use of the land or relating to any of the circumstances mentioned in Section 6A(2) of the *Planning and Environment Act* 1987, or to any combination of use, development or any of those circumstances requires the certification of a Plan of Subdivision under the *Subdivision Act* 1988, unless the permit contains a different provision
  - the use or development of any stage is to be taken to have started when the plan is certified;
     and
  - \* the permit expires if the plan is not certified within two years of the issue of the permit.
- The expiry of a permit does not affect the validity of anything done under that permit before the expiry.

# WHAT ABOUT APPEALS?

- \* The person who applied for the permit may appeal against any condition in the permit unless it was granted at the direction of the Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal where, in which case no right of appeal exists.
- \* An appeal must be lodged within 60 days after the permit was issued, unless a Notice of Decision to grant a permit has been issued previously, in which case the appeal must be lodged within 60 days after the giving of that notice.
- \* An appeal is lodged with the Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal.
- \* An appeal must be made on a Notice of Appeal form, which can be obtained from the Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal, and must be accompanied by the prescribed fee.
- \* An appeal must state the grounds upon which it is based.
- \* An appeal must also be served on the Responsible Authority.
- \* Details about appeals and the fees payable can be obtained from the Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal.
- \* The address of the Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal is 55 King Street, Melbourne 3000. The telephone number is (03) 9628 9777.

**Harcourts Rata & Co** 

337-339 Settlement Road, Thomastown, VIC 3074

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E: info@rataandco.com.au

ABN: 70162949588



# **Residential Rental Agreement**

for

16 Messmate Street, Lalor VIC 3075

This agreement is between Hein Bich Le & Hai Hoang and Sawan Baberwal, Ekant Kumar.

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# Residential Rental Agreement of no more than 5 years

Residential Tenancies Act 1997 Section 26(1)

Regulation 10(1)

# Part A - General

This agreement is between the residential rental provider (rental provider) and the renter listed on this form.

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I. Date of agreement		4	
This is the date the agreement is signed			
Sun 28/01/2024			
	ned by the parties on different days, the date of the agreement is the date	the last person	
signs the agreement.			
2. Premises let by the re	ental provider		
Address of premises			
16 Messmate Street,	Lalor VIC	Postcode 3075	
3. Rental provider detai	Is		
Full name or company name of rental	Hein Bich Le & Hai Hoang		
provider			
Address (if no agent is			
acting for the rental provider)		Postcode	
Phone number			
Filone number			
ACN (if applicable)			
Email address			
Rental provider's age	nt details (if applicable)		
Full name	Harcourts Rata & Co		
Address	337-339 Settlement Road, Thomastown, VIC	Postcode 3074	
Phone number	03 9465 7766		
ACN (if applicable)			
Email address	rentals.support3@rataandco.com.au		
Note: The rental provid	ler must notify the renter within 7 days if any of this information changes.		

Each renter that is a party to the agreement must provide their details here.			
Full name of renter 1	Sawan Baberwal		
Current Address:		Postcode	
Phone number:	04xxxxxxxx		
Email:	xxxxx@xxxxx.com		
Full name of renter 2	Ekant Kumar		
Current Address:		Postcode	
Phone number:	04xxxxxxxx		
Email:	xxxxx@xxxxx.com		
Full name of renter 3			
Current Address:		Postcode	
Phone number:			
Email:			
Full name of renter 4			
Current Address:		Postcode	
Phone number:			
Email:			
5. Length of the agreeme	nt		
✓ Fixed term agreen	ent Start date   Mon 04/03/2024	nis is the date the agreement starts and you may move in)	
	End date Mon 03/03/2025		
Periodic agreeme (monthly)	nt Start date		

4. Renter details

agreement, and the renter conting agreement will be formed.	nues to occupy the premises, a periodic (e.g. month by month) residential rental
6. Rent	
Rent amount(\$) (payable in advance)	1738.00
To be paid per	week fortnight calendar month
Day rent is to be paid (e.g. each Thursday or the 11th of each month)	4th day of each month
Date first rent payment due	Mon 04/03/2024
The rent will be increasing to	\$1868.00 per month from Thu 04/04/2024
7. Bond	
The Renter has paid the bond sp	pecified below
provider may ask the Victorian C or their agent must lodge the bor	900 (per week), the maximum bond is one month's rent. In some cases, the rental civil and Administrative Tribunal (VCAT) to increase this limit. The rental provider and with the Residential Tenancies Bond Authority (RTBA). The bond must be after receiving payment. The RTBA will send the renter a receipt for the bond.
If the renter does not receive a reemail rtba@justice.vic.gov.au, or call the RTBA on 1300 13 71 64	eceipt within 15 business days from when they paid the bond, they may —
Rental bond amount(\$)	51
Bond lodgement date	e 01/02/2022
Bond Lodgement No.	243265
Part B – Standard terms	
8. Rental provider's preferred m	ethod of rent payment
· ·	permit a fee-free (other than the renter's own bank fees) payment method and trepay or another form of electronic funds transfer.
Note: The renter is entitled to re-	ceive a receipt from the rental provider confirming payment of rent.
(Rental provider to tick permitted	methods of rent payment)
direct debit bank depo	osit
other electronic form of pay	yment, including Centrepay

Note: If a fixed term agreement ends and the renter and rental provider do not enter into a new fixed term

Payment de	etails (if ap	pplicable)
BILLER C BPAY RE		
9. Service of	f notices a	and other documents by electronic methods
Electronic s		documents must be in accordance with the requirements of the <i>Electronic Transactions</i>
		ne responds to an email or other electronic communications does not mean they have vice of notices and other documents by electronic methods.
		and renter must notify the other party in writing if they no longer wish to receive notices or electronic methods.
The rental <sub>l</sub>	provider a	and renter must immediately notify the other party in writing if their contact details change.
9.1 Does the such as en		provider agree to the service of notices and other documents by electronic methods
		nust complete this section before giving the agreement to the renter. ck as appropriate)
	✓ Yes	Rentals Support 3: rentals.support3@rataandco.com.au
	☐ No	
9.2 Does the email?	he renter	agree to the service of notices and other documents by electronic methods such as
(Renter to t	tick as app	propriate)
Renter 1	✓ Yes	Sawan Baberwal: xxxxx@xxxxx.com
	☐ No	
Renter 2	✓ Yes	Ekant Kumar: xxxxx@xxxxx.com
	☐ No	
Renter 3	Yes	
	No	
Renter 4	Yes	
	☐ No	

# 10. Urgent repairs

- The rental provider must ensure that the rental property is provided and maintained in good repair.
- If there is a need for an urgent repair, the renter should notify the rental provider in writing.

For further information on seeking repairs see Part D (below).

Details of person the renter should contact for an urgent repair (rental provider to insert details)

Emergency contact name	Alex Doucas	
Emergency phone number	03 9465 7766	
Emergency email address	maintenance@maintenanceplus.com.au	

# 11. Professional cleaning

The rental provider must not require the renter to arrange professional cleaning or cleaning to a professional standard at the end of the tenancy unless —

- professional cleaning or cleaning to a professional standard was carried out to the rented premises immediately before the start of the tenancy and the renter was advised that professional cleaning or cleaning to a professional standard had been carried out to those premises immediately before the start of the tenancy; or
- professional cleaning or cleaning to a professional standard is required to restore the rented premises to the same condition they were in immediately before the start of the tenancy, having regard to the condition report and taking into account fair wear and tear.

The renter must have all or part of the rented premises professionally cleaned, or pay the cost of having all or part of the rented premises professional cleaned, if professional cleaning becomes required to restore the premises to the condition they were in immediately before the start of the tenancy, having regard to the condition report and taking into account fair wear and tear.

# 12. Owners corporation Do owners corporation rules apply to the premises? If yes, the rental provider must attach a copy of the rules to this agreement. (Rental provider to tick as appropriate) ✓ No ☐ Yes

# 13. Condition report

The renter must be given 2 copies of the condition report (or one emailed copy) on or before the date the renter moves into the rented premises.

(rental provider to tick as appropriate)

Ŀ	<b>√</b>	The condition report has been provided
		The condition report will be provided to the renter on or before the date the agreement starts

# Part C - Safety related activities

# 14 Electrical safety activities

- (a) The rental provider must ensure an electrical safety check of all electrical installations, appliances and fittings provided by a rental provider in the rented premises is conducted every 2 years by a licensed or registered electrician and must provide the renter with the date of the most recent safety check, in writing, on request of the renter.
- (b) If an electrical safety check of the rented premises has not been conducted within the last two years at the time the renter occupies the premises, the rental provider must arrange an electrical safety check as soon as practicable.

# 15 Gas safety activities

This safety-related activity only applies if the rented premises contains any appliances, fixtures or fittings which use or supply gas.

- (a) The rental provider must ensure that a gas safety check of all gas installations and fittings in the rented premises is conducted every 2 years by a licensed or registered gasfitter and must provide the renter with the date of the most recent safety check, in writing, on request of the renter.
- (b) If a gas safety check has not been conducted within the last two years at the time the renter occupies the premises, the rental provider must arrange a gas safety check as soon as practicable.

# 16 Smoke alarm safety activities

- (a) The rental provider must ensure that:
  - i. any smoke alarm is correctly installed and in working condition; and
  - ii. any smoke alarm is tested according to the manufacturer's instructions at least once every 12 months, and
  - iii. the batteries in each smoke alarm are replaced as required.
- (b) The rental provider must immediately arrange for a smoke alarm to be repaired or replaced as an urgent repair if they are notified by the renter that it is not in working order.
  - Note: Repair or replacement of a hard-wired smoke alarm must be undertaken by a suitably qualified person.
- (c) The rental provider, on or before the occupation date, must provide the renter with the following information in writing:
  - i. information about how each smoke alarm in the rented premises operates;
  - ii. information about how to test each smoke alarm in the rented premises;
  - iii. information about the renter's obligations to not tamper with any smoke alarms and to report if a smoke alarm in the rented premises is not in working order.
- (d) The renter must give written notice to the rental provider as soon as practicable after becoming aware that a smoke alarm in the rented premises is not in working order.

**Note:** Regulations made under the **Building Act 1993** require smoke alarms to be installed in all residential buildings.

# 17 Swimming pool barrier safety activities

These safety-related activities only apply if the rented premises contains a swimming pool.

(a) The rental provider must ensure that the swimming pool barrier is maintained in good repair.

- (b) The renter must give written notice to the rental provider as soon as practicable after becoming aware that the swimming pool barrier is not in working order.
- (c) The rental provider must arrange for a swimming pool barrier to be immediately repaired or replaced as an urgent repair if they are notified by the renter that it is not in working order.
- (d) The rental provider must provide the renter with a copy of the most recent certificate of swimming pool barrier compliance issued under the **Building Act 1993** on the request of the renter.

# 18 Relocatable pool safety activities

These safety-related activities only apply if a relocatable swimming pool is erected, or is intended to be erected, on the rented premises.

- (a) The renter must not erect a relocatable swimming pool without giving written notice to the rental provider before erecting the pool.
- (b) The renter must obtain any necessary approvals before erecting a relocatable swimming pool.

**Note:** Regulations made under **Building Act 1993** apply to any person erecting a relocatable swimming pool. This safety-related activity only applies to swimming pools or spas that hold water deeper than 300 mm.

# 19 Bushfire prone area activities

This safety-related activity only applies if the rented premises is in a bushfire prone area and is required to have a water tank for bushfire safety.

If the rented premises is in a designated bushfire prone area under section 192A of the **Building Act 1993** and a water tank is required for firefighting purposes, the rental provider must ensure the water tank and any connected infrastructure is maintained in good repair as required.

The water tank must be full and clean at the commencement of the agreement.

# Part D – Rights and obligations

This is a summary of selected rights and obligations of **renters** and **rental providers** under the Act.

Any reference to VCAT refers to the Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal.

For more information, visit consumer.vic.gov.au/renting.

# 20. Use of the premises

# The renter:

- · is entitled to quiet enjoyment of the premises. The rental provider may only enter the premises in accordance with the Act; and
- · must not use the premises for illegal purposes; and
- must not cause a nuisance or interfere with the reasonable peace, comfort or privacy of neighbours; and
- must avoid damaging the premises and common areas. Common areas include hallways, driveways, gardens and stairwells. Where damage occurs, the renter must notify the rental provider in writing; and
- must keep the premises reasonably clean.

# 21. Condition of the premises

# The rental provider:

- must ensure that the premises comply with the rental minimum standards, and is vacant and reasonably clean when the renter moves in; and
- must maintain the premises in good repair and in a fit condition for occupation; and
- agrees to do all the safety-related maintenance and repair activities set out in Part C of the agreement.

# The renter:

• The renter must follow all safety-related activities set out in Part C of the agreement and not remove, deactivate or otherwise interfere with the operation of prescribed safety devices on the premises.

# 22. Modifications

# The renter:

- · may make some modifications without seeking the rental provider's consent. These modifications are listed on the Consumer Affairs Victoria website; and
- must seek the rental provider's consent before installing any Urgent repairs include failure or breakdown of any essential service other fixtures or additions; and
- may apply to VCAT if they believe that the rental provider has unreasonably refused consent for a modification mentioned in the Act; and
- at the end of the agreement, must restore the premises to the condition it was in before they moved in (excluding fair wear and tear). This includes removing all modifications, unless the parties agree they do not need to be removed.

# The rental provider:

must not unreasonably refuse consent for certain modifications.

A list of the modifications that the rental provider cannot unreasonably refuse consent for is available on the Consumer Affairs Victoria website consumer.vic.gov.au/renting.

# 23. Locks

- The rental provider must ensure the premises has:
  - o locks to secure all windows capable of having a lock,
  - has deadlocks (a deadlock is a deadlatch with at least one cylinder) for external doors that are able to be secured with a functioning deadlock; and
  - o meets the rental minimum standards for locks and window locks
- · External doors which are not able to be secured with a functioning deadlock must at least be fitted with a locking device that
  - o is operated by a key from the outside; and
  - o may be unlocked from the inside with or without a key
- The renter must obtain consent from the rental provider to change a lock in the master key system.
- The rental provider must not unreasonably refuse consent for a renter seeking to change a lock in the master key system.
- The rental provider must not give a key to a person excluded from the premises under a:
  - o a family violence intervention order; or
  - o a family violence safety notice; or
  - o a recognised non-local DVO; or
  - o personal safety intervention order.

# 24. Repairs

Only a suitably qualified person may do repairs—both urgent and non-urgent

# 25. Urgent repairs

Section 3(1) of the Act defines urgent repairs. Refer to the Consumer Affairs Victoria website for the full list of urgent repairs and for more information, visit consumer.vic.gov.au/urgentrepairs.

or appliance provided for hot water, cooking, heating or laundering supplied by the rental provider.

The rental provider must carry out urgent repairs after being notified. A renter may arrange for urgent repairs to be done if the renter has taken reasonable steps to arrange for the rental provider to immediately do the repairs and the rental provider has not carried out the repairs.

If the renter has arranged for urgent repairs, the renter may be reimbursed directly by the rental provider for the reasonable cost of repairs up to \$2500.

The renter may apply to VCAT for an order requiring the rental provider to carry out urgent repairs if-

- (a) the renter cannot meet the cost of the repairs; or
- (b) the cost of repairs is more than \$2500; or
- (c) the rental provider refuses to pay the cost of repairs if it is carried out by the renter.

# 26. Non-urgent repairs

- The renter must notify the rental provider, in writing, as soon as practicable of
  - o damage to the premises; and
  - a breakdown of facilities, fixtures, furniture or equipment supplied by the rental provider.
- The rental provider must carry out non-urgent repairs in reasonable time.
- The renter may apply to VCAT for an order requiring the rental provider to do the repairs if the rental provider has not carried out the repairs within 14 days of receiving notice of the need for repair.

# 27. Assignment or sub-letting

# The renter:

 The renter must not assign (transfer to another person) or sub-let the whole or any part of the premises without the written consent of the rental provider. The rental provider may give the renter notice to vacate if the renter assigns or sub-lets the premises without consent.

# The rental provider:

- cannot unreasonably withhold consent to assign or sub-let the premises; and
- must not demand or receive a fee or payment for consent, other than any reasonable expenses incurred by the assignment.

# 28. Rent

- The rental provider must give the renter at least 60 days written notice of a proposed rent increase
- Rent cannot be increased more than once every 12 months.
- If the rental provider or agent does not provide a receipt for rent, then renter may request a receipt.
- The rental provider must not increase the rent under a fixed term agreement unless the agreement provides for an increase by specifying the amount of increase or the method of calculating the rent increase.

# 29. Access and entry

- The rental provider may enter the premises—
  - at any time, if the renter has agreed within the last 7 days; and
  - to do an inspection, but not more than once every 6 months; and
  - to comply with the rental provider's duties under the Act; and
  - to show the premises or conduct an open inspection to sell, rent or value the premises; and
  - to take images or video for advertising a property that is for sale or rent; and
  - if they believe the renter has failed to follow their duties under the Act; and
  - to do a pre-termination inspection where the renter has applied to have the agreement terminated because of family violence or personal violence.
- The renter must allow entry to the premises where the rental provider has followed proper procedure.
- The renter is entitled to a set amount of compensation for each sales inspection.

# 30. Pets

- The renter must seek consent from the rental provider before keeping a pet on the premises.
- The rental provider must not unreasonably refuse a request to keep a pet.

# 31. Additional terms (if any)

List any additional terms to this agreement. The terms listed must not exclude, restrict or modify any of the rights and duties included in the Act.

Additional terms must also comply with the Australian Consumer Law (Victoria). For example, they cannot be unfair terms, which will have no effect. Contact Consumer Affairs Victoria on 1300 558 181 for further information or visit consumer.vic.gov.au/products-andservices/business-practices/contracts/unfair-contract-terms.

# **Privacy Collection Notice**

As professional property managers **Harcourts Rata & Co** collects personal information about you. To ascertain what personal information we have about you, you can contact us on: 03 9465 7766

# **Primary Purpose**

As professional property managers, **Harcourts Rata & Co** collect your personal information to assess the risk in providing you with the lease / tenancy of the **Premises** you have requested, and if the risk is considered acceptable, to provide you with the lease / tenancy of the **Premises**.

To carry out this role, and during the term of your tenancy, we usually disclose your personal information to:

- The Rental Provider
- · The Rental Provider's lawyers
- The Rental Provider's mortgagee
- · Referees you have nominated
- Organisations / Tradespeople required to carry out maintenance to the **Premises**
- Third party organisations required to provide Harcourts Rata & Co services
- · Rental Bond Authorities
- Residential Tenancy Tribunals / Courts
- Collection Agents
- National Tenancy Database (National Tenancy Database is a division of Equifax Pty Ltd) for purposes of checking an applicant's tenancy history.

The database operator can be contacted for information on the service or to request a copy of the data held via email at info@tenancydatabase.com.au or by submitting the request form on their website at the following address

https://www.tenancydatabase.com.au/contact-us

Other Real Estate Agents, Rental Providers and Valuers

# **Secondary Purpose**

**Harcourts Rata & Co** also collect your personal information to:

- Enable us, or the Rental Provider's lawyers, to prepare the lease / tenancy documents for the Premises.
- Allow organisations / tradespeople to contact you in relation to maintenance matters relating to the

# Premises.

- Pay / release rental bonds to / from Rental Bond Authorities (where applicable).
- Refer to Tribunals, Courts and Statutory Authorities (where necessary).
- Refer to Collection Agent / Lawyers (where default / enforcement action is required).
- Provide confirmation details for organisations contacting us on your behalf i.e. Banks, Utilities (Gas, Electricity, Water, Phone), Employers, etc.

If your personal information is not provided to us and you do not consent to the uses to which we put your personal information, **Harcourts Rata & Co** cannot properly assess the risk to our client, or carry out our duties as professional property managers. Consequently, we then cannot provide you with the lease / tenancy of the **Premises**. You also acknowledge that our related financial services company may contact you from time to time to explain other services that this company may be able to provide.

Our privacy policy contains information about how you may access the personal information we hold about you, including information about how to seek correction of such information. We are unlikely to disclose any of your personal information to overseas recipients.

The **Harcourts Rata & Co** privacy policy contains information about how you may complain about an alleged breach of the Australian Privacy Principles, and how we will deal with such a complaint.

The **Harcourts Rata & Co** privacy policy can be viewed without charge on the **Harcourts Rata & Co** website; or contact your local **Harcourts Rata & Co** office and we will send or email you a free copy.

# **Disclaimer**

Harcourts Rata & Co its directors partners employees and related entities responsible for preparing this Agreement believe that the information contained in this Agreement is up to date and correct. However no representation or warranty of any nature can be given intended or implied and the Rental Provider and the Renter should rely on their own enquiries as to the accuracy of any information or material incorporated in this Agreement. The law is subject to change without notice and terms and conditions in this Agreement may be amended as a result. Harcourts Rata & Co disclaims all liability and responsibility including for negligence for any direct or indirect loss or damage

suffered by any person arising out of any use and/or reliance on this **Agreement** or any information incorporated in it.

# **Signatures**

This agreement is made under the Act.

Before signing you must read **Part D – Rights and obligations** of this form.

# **Rental Provider**

Rental Provider 1: Hein Le

Signed at Sun, 28/01/2024 17:41

Rental Provider 2: Hai Hoang

Signed at Wed, 24/01/2024 18:40

# Renter(s)

Renter 1: Sawan Baberwal

Signed at Wed, 17/01/2024 15:18

Renter 2: Ekant Kumar

Signed at Wed, 17/01/2024 15:58

# **AUDIT TRAIL**

Sawan Baberwal (Renter)

Wed, 17/01/2024 15:17 - Sawan Baberwal clicked 'start' button to view the Residential Rental Agreement

Wed, 17/01/2024 15:18 - Sawan Baberwal stamped saved signature the Residential Rental Agreement

Wed, 17/01/2024 15:18 - Sawan Baberwal submitted the Residential Rental Agreement

# **Ekant Kumar (Renter)**

Wed, 17/01/2024 15:57 - Ekant Kumar clicked 'start' button to view the Residential Rental Agreement

Wed, 17/01/2024 15:58 - Ekant Kumar stamped saved signature the Residential Rental Agreement

Wed, 17/01/2024 15:58 - Ekant Kumar submitted the Residential Rental Agreement

# Hein Le (Rental Provider)

Wed, 24/01/2024 18:41 - Hein Le clicked 'start' button to view the Residential Rental Agreement

Sun, 28/01/2024 17:39 - Hein Le clicked 'start' button to view the Residential Rental Agreement

Sun, 28/01/2024 17:41 - Hein Le stamped saved signature the Residential Rental Agreement

Sun, 28/01/2024 17:41 - Hein Le submitted the Residential Rental Agreement

# Hai Hoang (Rental Provider)

Wed, 24/01/2024 18:38 - Hai Hoang clicked 'start' button to view the Residential Rental Agreement

Wed, 24/01/2024 18:40 - Hai Hoang stamped saved signature the Residential Rental Agreement

Wed, 24/01/2024 18:40 - Hai Hoang submitted the Residential Rental Agreement

# AGREEMENT END

# PROPERTY REPORT



From www.land.vic.gov.au at 23 February 2024 09:23 PM

# **PROPERTY DETAILS**

Address: 16 MESSMATE STREET LALOR 3075

Lot and Plan Number: Lot 76 LP40751

Standard Parcel Identifier (SPI): 76\LP40751

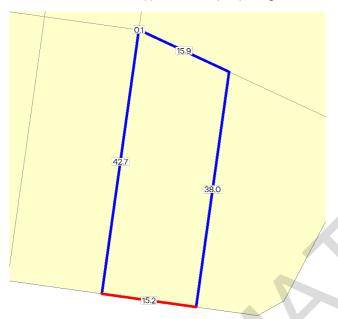
Local Government Area (Council): WHITTLESEA www.whittlesea.vic.aov.au

Council Property Number: 143297

Directory Reference: Melway 8 K6

# SITE DIMENSIONS

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



**Area:** 615 sq. m Perimeter: 112 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

# **UTILITIES**

Rural Water Corporation: **Southern Rural Water** Melbourne Water Retailer: Yarra Valley Water Melbourne Water: Inside drainage boundary

Power Distributor: **AUSNET** 

# **STATE ELECTORATES**

**NORTHERN METROPOLITAN** Legislative Council:

Legislative Assembly: THOMASTOWN

# **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 - Planning Property Report

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

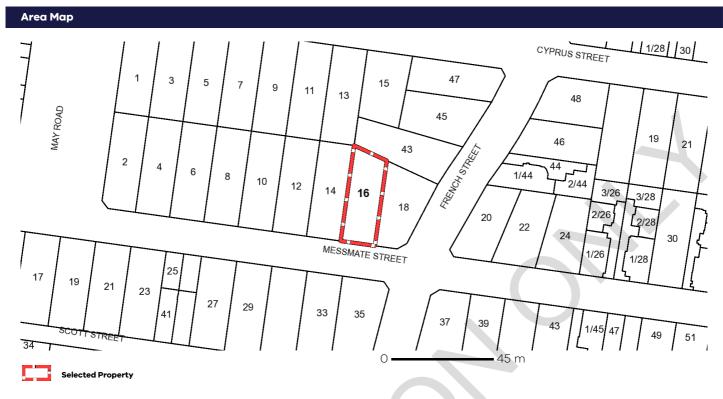
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# **PROPERTY REPORT**







# PLANNING PROPERTY REPORT



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# **PROPERTY DETAILS**

Address: **16 MESSMATE STREET LALOR 3075** 

Lot and Plan Number: Lot 76 LP40751 Standard Parcel Identifier (SPI): 76\LP40751

www.whittlesea.vic.gov.au Local Government Area (Council): WHITTLESEA

Council Property Number: 143297

Whittlesea Planning Scheme - Whittlesea Planning Scheme:

**OTHER** 

**STATE ELECTORATES** 

Legislative Council:

Legislative Assembly:

Directory Reference: Melway 8 K6

**UTILITIES** 

Rural Water Corporation: **Southern Rural Water** 

Melbourne Water Retailer: Yarra Valley Water

Melbourne Water: Inside drainage boundary

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Registered Aboriginal Party: Wurundjeri Woi Wurrung Cultural

**Heritage Aboriginal Corporation** 

**NORTHERN METROPOLITAN** 

**THOMASTOWN** 

View location in VicPlan

# **Planning Zones**

RESIDENTIAL GROWTH ZONE (RGZ)

RESIDENTIAL GROWTH ZONE - SCHEDULE 1 (RGZ1)



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

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# **Planning Overlay**



# **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 <a href="https://www.planning.vic.gov.au">https://www.planning.vic.gov.au</a>

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

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

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# **Designated Bushfire Prone Areas**

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

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

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



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

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

Create a BPA definition plan in VicPlan to measure the BPA.

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

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 <a href="https://www.planning.vic.gov.au">https://www.planning.vic.gov.au</a>

# **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 <a href="https://nvim.delwp.vic.gov.au/">https://nvim.delwp.vic.gov.au/</a> and <a href="https://nvim.delwp.vic.gov.au/">Native vegetation (environment.vic.gov.au/</a> 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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