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Dear Madam

**Ocean Access Boat Ramp - Bastion Point, Mallacoota
Environment Effects Statement
East Gippsland Planning Scheme, Permit Application 162/2007/P**

We refer to the above matter and your correspondence dated 27 November 2007.

We now provide a response to your questions as follows:

- Council and the DSE have commenced discussions in relation to the matters raised in the submission of the DSE. As a result of the discussions Council has asked that the DSE provide Council with a detailed list of issues or concerns so that they may be addressed.
- At this point in time there has not been any progress on the outstanding issues between Council and the DSE that would allow the EES inquiry to proceed.
- We expect that we would be in a position to advise the Panel of an appropriate date for directions once the issues of the DSE are identified and consideration is given to whether the issues can be overcome or accommodated.

We will of course keep the Panel informed of the ongoing discussions with the DSE and the likelihood of the timeline for the resumption of the EES inquiry.

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In the interim if you have any queries please contact Mat Sherwell on 9240 0873 or Maria Marshall on 9288 0551.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M Sherwell', written in a cursive style.

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