



*South Gippsland
Shire Council*

Instrument of Delegation

**S18 Instrument of Sub-Delegation under the
Environment Protection Act 2017**

18 August 2021

Instrument of Sub-Delegation

By this Instrument of Sub-Delegation, in exercise of the power conferred by s 437(2) of the Environment Protection Act 2017 ('Act') and the Instrument of Delegation of the Environment Protection Authority under the Act dated 4 June 2021, the Council:

1. delegates each duty and/or function and/or power described in column 1 of the Schedule (and summarised in column 2 of the Schedule) to the member of Council staff holding, acting in or performing the duties of the office or position described in column 3 of the Schedule;
2. record that references in the Schedule are as outlined below in Titles;
3. this Instrument of Sub-Delegation is authorised by a resolution of Council passed on 18 August 2021 pursuant to a power of sub-delegation conferred by the Instrument of Delegation of the Environment Protection Authority under the Act dated 4 June 2021;
4. the delegation:
 - 4.1 comes into force immediately the common seal of Council is affixed to this Instrument of Sub-Delegation;
 - 4.2 remains in force until varied or revoked;
 - 4.3 is subject to any conditions and limitations set out in sub-paragraph 5, and the Schedule; and
 - 4.4 must be exercised in accordance with any guidelines or policies which Council from time to time adopts; and
5. this Instrument of Sub-Delegation is subject to the following limitations:
 - 5.1 the powers, duties and functions described in column and summarised in column 2 of the Schedule are only delegated for the purpose of regulating:
 - 5.1.1 onsite wastewater management systems with a design or actual flow rate of sewage not exceeding 5000 litres on any day; and
 - 5.1.2 noise from the construction, demolition or removal of residential premises;
6. the delegate must not determine the issue, take the action or do the act or thing:
 - 6.1.1 if the issue, action, act or thing is an issue, action or thing which Council has previously designated as an issue, action, act or thing which must be the subject of a Resolution of Council;
 - 6.1.2 if the determining of the issue, taking of the action or doing of the act or thing would or would be likely to involve a decision which is inconsistent with a
 - (a) policy; or
 - (b) strategy
 adopted by Council;
 - 6.1.3 if the determining of the issue, the taking of the action or the doing of the act or thing cannot be the subject of a lawful delegation; or
 - 6.1.4 the determining of the issue, the taking of the action or the doing of the act or thing is already the subject of an exclusive delegation to another member of Council staff.

The Common Seal of the South Gippsland Shire Council was affixed in the presence of:

Chief Executive Officer:

Date: 18 August 2021

Delegation Sources

- Environment Protection Act 2017

Positions

Abbreviation	Position
B&PEO	Building and Planning Enforcement Officer
CB&PC	Coordinator of Building and Planning Compliance
EHC	Environmental Health Coordinator
EHO	Environmental Health Officer
WWO	Wastewater Officer

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Provision	Powers and Functions Delegated	Delegate	Conditions and Limitations
s 271	Power to issue improvement notice	B&PEO, CB&PC, EHC, EHO, WWO	
s 272	Power to issue prohibition notice	B&PEO, CB&PC, EHC, EHO, WWO	
s 279	Power to amend a notice	B&PEO, CB&PC, EHC, EHO, WWO	
s 358	Functions of the Environment Protection Authority	B&PEO, CB&PC, EHC, EHO, WWO	
s 359(1)(b)	Power to do all things that are necessary or convenient to be done for or in connection with the performance of the Environment Protection Authority's functions and duties and to enable the Authority to achieve its objective.	B&PEO, CB&PC, EHC, EHO, WWO	
s 359(2)	Power to give advice to persons with duties or obligations	B&PEO, CB&PC, EHC, EHO, WWO	