
MINUTE 45 OF THE EXPERT PANEL
Resumption of Processing
Bendigo-Ophir Gold Project
[FTAA-2507-1089]
[17 August 2026]

[1] On 26 June 2026, processing of the application was suspended following a request from the Applicant under section 64 of the FTAA.

[2] By way of memorandum dated 27 July 2026, the Applicant has instructed the processing of this application to resume, effective from Monday 17 August 2026.

[3] The Panel confirms resumption of processing will commence from and include Monday 17 August 2026, and notes that the application will have been suspended for a total of 34 working days.

[4] The Panel's final decision is now due on 16 December 2026, provided no further suspensions to the processing of the application apply.



Hon Matthew Muir KC

Bendigo-Ophir Gold Project Expert Panel Chair