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First Nations Bailai Gurang Gooreng Gooreng Taribelang Bunda People Registered Native Title Body Corporate appoints a new Chair

The First Nations Bailai Gurang Gooreng Gooreng Taribelang Bunda People (FNBGGGTB) Registered Native Title Body Corporate (RNTBC) is pleased to announce the appointment of Uncle Shayne Blackman as the new Chairman of the FNBGGGTB RNTBC (PBC).

Uncle Shayne Blackman is a Gurang man from the Gladstone and Bundaberg regions of Queensland with a long career committed to Indigenous governance, cultural leadership and community development.

With extensive experience spanning multiple decades across a range of fields, Uncle Shayne has dedicated most of his career to establishing various initiatives that prioritise Indigenous knowledge, environmental conservation, and community empowerment including the establishment of the Bailai, Gurang, Gooreng Gooreng, Taribelang Bunda People Elders Council; the Congress Community Development and Education Unit; and Yalga-binbi, a registered training organisation for community development and theological training.

In addition to this diverse work history, Uncle Shayne is a current Board member of the FNBGGGTB PBC, the FNBGGGTB Development Corporation and Chairs the Indigenous Reef Advisory Committee (IRAC) who briefs the Board of Directors at the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority (GBRMPA). He is also a Task Force Member on REEFTO and was previously National Administrator of the Uniting Aboriginal and Islander Christian Congress (UAICC), a National Education Champions Representative, and an elected member of the Regional Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Council.

The PBC Board and the entire FNBGGGTB Group would like to extend their sincere thanks to the outgoing Chair, Ms Kristin Sarra for her tireless efforts. Kristin's leadership of the PBC Board and impact on the development of the FNBGGGTB Group was significant and we look forward to Kristin's continued contribution as a PBC Director.

The FNBGGGTB Group is excited for the next strategic chapter and look forward to having Uncle Shayne's extensive experience and leadership continue the important work of developing the FNBGGGTB Group during this new term.

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Uncle Shayne Blackman

Chairman of the First Nations Bailai Gurang Gooreng Gooreng Taribelang Bunda People
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