Advice to the Major Transport Infrastructure Authority to pay the Director, Continuous Improvement - Partners above the remuneration band

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This advice is provided under section 37 of the Victorian Independent Remuneration Tribunal and Improving Parliamentary Standards Act 2019 (Vic).

Details of proposal

The Major Transport Infrastructure Authority seeks advice on a proposal to pay the following executive above the maximum of the relevant remuneration band set by the *Remuneration bands for executives employed in public service bodies (Victoria) Annual Adjustment Determination 2021*:

Executive	
Position	Director, Continuous Improvement – Partners, Level Crossing Removal Project
Remuneration band	SES-2
Maximum of band SES-2	\$370,331
Proposed TRP	
Proposed percentage above the band	
Contract period	17/02/2021 to 16/02/2025

Advice

- 1 The Victorian Independent Remuneration Tribunal (**Tribunal**) advises the Major Transport Infrastructure Authority that an appropriate total remuneration package (**TRP**) for the position of Director, Continuous Improvement - Partners is within the SES-2 remuneration band (\$257,112 – \$370,331 per annum). The TRP includes base salary, employer superannuation contributions and the annual cost of the employer of non-salary benefits (including, where relevant, car parking).
- 2 The Tribunal considers it appropriate that this position be paid within the SES-2 remuneration band for the following reasons:
 - (a) A new employment contract provides the opportunity to review the TRP for the position.
 - (b) The limited information provided in the submission to support remuneration above the band for this position, including on relevant market comparators and evidence of market pressures.
- 3 The Tribunal notes that its advice must be sought again for a mid-contract remuneration adjustment, reappointment or a new appointment, if it is proposed to continue paying the executive above the maximum of the remuneration band.