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**From:** s 47F  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 27, 2022 9:54:24 AM  
**To:** s 47F  
**Subject:** Re: Meeting follow up [SEC=OFFICIAL]  
**Hi** s 47F

The growth facilitators employed by AIGroup are in Victoria. Deloitte have the contract in Queensland.

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**From:** s 47F  
**Date:** Wednesday, 27 July 2022 at 9:27:20 am

To: s 47F  
**Subject:** Re: Meeting follow up [SEC=OFFICIAL]

Hi s 47F

Funnily enough, we have recently been speaking with AI Group and the services they offer and noted they are Growth Facilitators so will follow up with our contact directly.

If we run into any issues however I'll be in touch!

Thanks,

On Tue, 26 Jul 2022 at 18:31, s 47F

wrote:

Hi s 47F

Sign up is pretty straightforward. It can also be worthwhile connecting with a Growth Facilitator prior to sign up, they will often start the signup for you.

Would you like an introduction to a Facilitator?

Cheers

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**From:** s 47F

**Date:** Tuesday, 26 July 2022 at 5:21:21 pm

**To:** s 47F

**Cc:** s 47F

**Subject:** Re: Meeting follow up [SEC=OFFICIAL]

Hi s 47F

Thanks for sending through the information below - I've just had a read through each of the links in detail and we are interested in the entrepreneur's programme.

I'll follow up in a separate email chain if there are any questions but it looks fairly straightforward applying.

Cheers, and thanks again for your time yesterday!

On Mon, 25 Jul 2022 at 14:55, <sup>s 47F</sup>

wrote:

Good afternoon <sup>s 47F</sup> and <sup>s 47F</sup>

It was nice to meet you via Teams this afternoon. This sounds like a really exciting project for Maryborough, I'm sure my local and state government colleagues will do all they can to support you with bringing this to Maryborough.

Below is some further information on the support areas I mentioned. Please have a look through this and let me know if you want some introductions to the people that deliver these services.

[Entrepreneurs' Programme – Growth Roadmap](#)

***What does it offer?***

An Entrepreneurs' Programme Growth Roadmap provides a top to bottom analysis of your business at no charge to you. This service is carried out by independent skilled facilitator with private sector experience offering impartial advice.

Your business will undergo a holistic assessment, including analysis of business direction and strategy, industry standing and market position, along with an assessment of business performance.

Following the development of your Growth Roadmap, you can apply for a Business Growth Grant (up to \$20,000 matched \$ for \$) to engage external expertise to assist with implementing the improvements recommended in your Roadmap.

***Who can apply?***

To apply for a Business Evaluation, a business must

- have an Australian business number (ABN)
- be registered for goods and services tax (GST)
- have filed business activity statements showing ongoing trading in Australia, for at least 3 consecutive years
- have the intent and opportunity to engage in or increase trade in Australian or overseas markets

Your business must also be one of the following:

- an incorporated company
- an incorporated trustee applying on behalf of a trust

Your annual turnover or operating expenditure, in the current or one of the two past financial years, must be either:

- between \$1.5 million and \$100 million

- between \$750,000 and \$100 million if you're located in remote Australia or northern Australia

You must also meet one of the following criteria:

- be already operating in one or more specified growth sectors
- have intent and ability to operate in a specified growth sector
- provide enabling technologies or services to a specified growth sector

***What are the growth sectors?***

The 5 specified growth sectors are:

- advanced manufacturing
- food and agribusiness
- medical technologies and pharmaceuticals
- mining equipment, technology and services
- oil, gas and energy resources

Specific eligibility requirements are detailed in the [Grant Opportunity Guidelines](#).

**Export Finance Australia** - [www.exportfinance.gov.au](http://www.exportfinance.gov.au)

Export Finance Australia offer a range of specialist export finance solutions. From an online unsecured export loan to help with cash flow, to a multi-option facility that includes a longer-term loan the performance warranty bonds. Export Finance Australia will work with your business to find the right solution to support your international business goals.

**ODIS – Office of Defence Industry Support**

ODIS provides a seamless experience for business to engage with Defence. It is the trusted link for Australian small and medium enterprises (SMEs) looking to enter or expand their footprint in the Defence industry.

The core function of ODIS, through its offices around Australia, is to provide advisory, guidance and mentoring services to SMEs.

ODIS also works with State and Territory agencies, industry associations and Defence business partners, to help deliver capability that equips and sustains the Australian Defence Force.

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**From:** s 47F  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 22, 2023 3:44:54 PM  
**To:** s 47F  
**Cc:** s 47F  
**Subject:** Tradex and EFA [SEC=OFFICIAL]

Hi s 47F

It was good to chat this afternoon. Below is the information regarding the Tradex Scheme and Export Finance Australia (EFA) as discussed. I will provide an introduction to your local TradeStart contact via separate email.

I have cc'ed s 47F into this email, s 47F is our Brisbane based AusIndustry Regional Manager and may have other contacts to introduce you to.

s 47F I was introduced to s 47F of AusEV (Boss Capital) by my DSDILGP contact from Maryborough when AusEV were considering a move to the beautiful Fraser Coast. The move has been put off as they have opted to expand in Brisbane for the time being. [AusEV](#) import commercial electric vehicles, convert them to left hand drive for sale in Australia. They are looking to expand their export activities, hence the introduction to TradeStart.

#### Tradex Scheme

The Tradex Scheme provides a cash flow benefit for importers who subsequently export the goods. It will give you an upfront exemption from Customs duty and GST.

You can use a Tradex exemption on any goods nominated on your Tradex order. You must export the goods within 12 months, unless you have approval from the Tradex team to extend this timeframe.

You must import your nominated goods and then export them, either:

- in the same condition you imported them
- after you process or treat the goods
- after you incorporate them into other goods

You must also export the nominated goods within 12 months after entry into Australia.

Full details are available at [Tradex Scheme](#).

#### Export Finance Australia (EFA)

At Export Finance Australia, we provide finance solutions for Australian exporters and overseas infrastructure

development that delivers benefits to Australia.

We are an integral part of Australia's international trade and investment focus, and our support enables businesses, jobs and the community to grow.

By working together with banks, other government agencies and our partners to drive international success, we aim to ensure that no one takes on the world alone.

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