

## \*\*\* MEDIA CALL AND INTERVIEW OPPORTUNITY \*\*\*

Following the release of the Senate Inquiry report into the status of Australia's koala population Deborah Tabart OAM has taken some time away from the office to tend to the Australian Koala Foundation's (AKF) sustainable property *Quinlans* on the Sunshine Coast.

Ms Tabart was positive about the outcome of the Inquiry but is mindful that the koala isn't yet listed.

"It has been 200 years coming but we are so close to the koala being protected under Australian law, I am almost ready to put the candles on the cake", said Tabart.

During her three days at *Quinlans* amongst other things Ms Tabart will be supervising the installation of water tanks to service a shower block near the property's bunkhouse.

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# Interview opportunities:

 Deborah Tabart OAM, CEO Australian Koala Foundation, will be available for interviews about the Senate Inquiry ph 0407 750 668

#### Media Call

 Deborah Tabart OAM will be in Noosa around 12 noon on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> October and available for interview please call 0407 750 668 to arrange a time and place

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