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## Independent Director GIPL

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Gumala Aboriginal Corporation (GAC), the Shareholder of Gumala Investment Pty Ltd (GIPL), which acts as the Trustee of the General Gumala Foundation, requires three suitably qualified Independent Directors for appointment to the GIPL Board.

The objects of the Trust are the relief of poverty, sickness, suffering, distress, misfortune, or destitution of the Traditional Owners residing in the Pilbara region of Western Australia.

To be eligible to apply, you must be a person of good reputation and professionalism with:

- No family affiliation with any Traditional Owners; and
- No material business affiliation with any Traditional Owners of a nature which would prevent or hinder that person in the impartial and objective discharge of his other duties as Independent Director.

Please note that this is a demanding and vitally important role and as such requires committed and diligent applicants with a particular level of cultural competency due to the nature of the Trust. An ideal candidate would possess the following:

- A professional qualification in either Law, Finance or Business Management related disciplines;
- Previous experience in or as a Director of a Corporation or Trustee of a Charitable Trust;
- Extensive experience working with Indigenous Peoples, particularly in the Pilbara;
- Three referees from well-regarded individuals or organisations, at least one of whom is Indigenous.

The above selection criterion represents the ideal. Applicants who meet only some of the above criteria are nevertheless encouraged to apply.

Successful applications are required to undergo the relevant police checks to ensure that they have not previously been bankrupt or subject to any fraud and other related civil and criminal proceedings. The existence of a criminal record does not make an applicant ineligible.

### **EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST CLOSE 5PM MONDAY 8<sup>th</sup> MAY 2017**

Please email your complete application including resume, references and statement addressing the selection criteria to [governance@gumala.com.au](mailto:governance@gumala.com.au) or call (08) 9188 4500 and ask to speak our Governance Specialist.