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- Despite prevailing winds and weather conditions, data shows all environmental limits are being complied with in the bay
- There were periods of elevated turbidity due to prevailing weather conditions
- Despite the fluctuations, no response levels were triggered
- Most notably, turbidity levels rapidly dropped in the South (at Capel Sound) within three days and returned to normal after dredging ceased – this is in line with the trial dredge in 2005
- The monitoring buoy at the mouth of the Yarra River becomes a 'conformance' monitoring location for the protection of migratory fish populations from 15 October to 30 November, in line with EMP