

## WHAT DEFINES AN ACCOUSTICIAN?

In appendix E to the EIS, Noise Assessment, it is revealed that with respect to noise logging, the “equipment installation, maintenance and data acquisition, was carried out by the Customer with technical support from DNV GL.” (Section 4, Page 13)

Local residents, have, on a number of occasions indicated to EPYC that they have (using industry standard equipment) conducted their own separate noise logging activities. At each instance EPYC have rejected this data as invalid, citing that collector has no qualifications in the field of acoustics. As a result, they have dismissed any data collected.

It has been revealed that in at least one instance, the project noise logging equipment was in fact installed, maintained and data harvested by EPYC’s Project Manager, Ibrahim Eid.

Given that EPYC have previously gone to great lengths to dismiss data presented by non-qualified sources, what qualifications and experience does Mr Eid possess such that any data collected by him is not invalidated as well?

EPYC cannot claim that a lack of acoustic qualification invalidates locally collected data if their own data has been collected by someone who also lacks acoustical qualifications.

Who, by name, installed, monitored, serviced the equipment and who, by name, harvested each and every data sample used in this EIS, and what acoustical qualifications do they have to validate the integrity of this data?