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## Geelong Refinery Update

Viva Energy Group Limited (the Company) advises that a fire occurred within the Gasoline complex at Geelong Refinery (**incident**) on the evening of Wednesday 15 April 2026.

Emergency procedures were quickly activated, with Fire Rescue Victoria and other emergency services attending the site. All personnel were safely accounted for and the fire was brought under control and fully extinguished on Thursday morning. The Company wishes to thank all responders and employees for their professional actions to ensure that the incident was contained and safely managed.

The incident occurred in the Alkylation Unit which forms part of the Gasoline complex. The other major processing units at the refinery including the Crude Distillation Units, Reformer and Residue Catalytic Cracking Unit (RCCU) are unaffected, however the RCCU is currently offline while operations are stabilised. In the short-term, Geelong Refinery expects to be producing diesel and jet fuel at approximately 80% of capacity and petrol at approximately 60%. The Company has sufficient fuel stocks to cover this reduced production and expects to maintain normal fuel supply to our customers following this incident.

Over the next few weeks, and subject to plant inspection, the Company expects to be in a position to restart the RCCU and lift production of diesel, jet fuel and petrol to over 90% of capacity. The refinery is then expected to continue production at these levels until repairs are completed. An assessment of damage, repairs, duration and financial impact to return to fully optimised production will commence this week. The Company has insurance coverage for property damage and business interruption and has notified its insurers of the incident.

The Company will undertake a comprehensive investigation into the cause of this incident. Geelong Refinery remains a strategic asset within the Viva Energy Group and the Company is committed to maintain operations and restore production.

The Company's shares will recommence trading at the open of trading today, 20 April 2026.

**Authorised for release by:** the Disclosure Committee of Viva Energy Group Limited.

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### About Viva Energy

Viva Energy (ASX: VEA) is a leading convenience retailer, commercial services provider and energy infrastructure business, with a history spanning more than 120 years in Australia. The Group operates a retail convenience and fuel network of over 1,280 stores across the country and supplies fuels and lubricants to a network of nearly 1,550 service stations.

Viva Energy owns and operates the Geelong Refinery in Victoria, and operates bulk fuels, aviation, bitumen, marine, chemicals, polymers and lubricants businesses supported by an extensive national infrastructure network including more than 25 terminals and 98 airports and airfields across the country.

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