

**From:** Lesley Martin <[REDACTED]>

**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Re: Bark panels

**Date:** Tue, 05 Jun 2012 21:22:36 +0000

**Importance:** Normal

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Dear [REDACTED],

The Telekom transmitter that connects our town ([REDACTED]) with the rest of the country has been out. The cell phone system is working intermittently but cannot access internet. My brother is going to go up to a hotel which has a satellite system tonight to send the pictures (very expensive). The town is down to one power generator and certain parts of the town get power at different times, not predictable times either and both power and Telekom are needed to send pictures.

The crates are made. I have to get export permits from the National Museum and I need the pictures to get to the Museum so they can issue the permits.

I am sorry but this is a very third world. Please apologize to your client. I hope to have pictures to show you within 24 hours.

Best

Lesley

**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 05, 2012 11:44 AM

**To:** [Lesley Martin](#)

**Subject:** Re: Bark panels

Hi Lesley. My client is getting very impatient regarding these panels. Has there been any progress in these shipping out? He is starting to question me as to whether they even exist! Any new updates would be appreciated. Thank you very much,  
[REDACTED]

On May 27, 2012, at 4:27 PM, Lesley Martin <[REDACTED]> wrote:

The boards have been photographed and the photographs sent to the National Museum for an export permit. The crates are being made. My brother had to get some treated wood from Lae by ship as the US is very tough on crates these days.

Lesley

**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** Sunday, May 27, 2012 1:39 AM

**To:** [Lesley Martin](#)

**Subject:** Re: Bark panels

Hi Lesley.

Any word yet?

On May 18, 2012, at 1:36 AM, Lesley Martin <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Dear [REDACTED],

I haven't been able to get through by phone for about a week. I will let you know anything as soon as I do.

Lesley

**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** Thursday, May 17, 2012 3:08 PM

**To:** [Lesley Martin](#)

**Subject:** Re: Bark panels

Hi Lesley,

Just wanted to get any updates on the panels. If you could keep me informed of any progress that would be very much appreciated. Thank you.

On May 4, 2012, at 1:49 AM, Lesley Martin wrote:

Dear [REDACTED],

The boards are now at my house in [REDACTED]. I now have to have my brother photograph them and send the pictures to the PNG Museum to get a permit to export. That will take a week or two with sufficient nagging. Then they can leave the country. I will keep you updated.

Lesley

**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** Monday, April 02, 2012 6:57 AM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:** Re: Bark panels

Hi Lesley,

Checking in again. Any word? Are you hopeful we will ever get the panels?

I just need to know if I should be looking for alternatives? Thank you,

[REDACTED]

On Mar 19, 2012, at 12:12 PM, [REDACTED] wrote:

No I haven't heard back from my guy in a week or so. I will put out the SOS.

Lesley

-----Original Message-----

**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]]

**Sent:** Sunday, March 18, 2012 04:05 PM

**To:** 'Lesley Martin'

**Subject:** Re: Bark panels

Hi Lesley,

Just checking in if you have any more info for me on the progress of shipping the panels?

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

On Feb 23, 2012, at 11:30 PM, Lesley Martin wrote:

Dear [REDACTED],

I can get the panels shipped directly to Florida. They will have to clear customs.

The panels haven't made it into [REDACTED] yet and my carpenter is standing by to build plywood crates...

Will let you know as I do.

Lesley

**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** Wednesday, February 22, 2012 7:44 AM

**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Bark panels

Hi Lesley,

Are you having the panels shipped to you first, then you will ship them to me? Or what's the best way to go about this? Ultimately I need them to end up in St.Thomas, USVI. We do have a freight forwarding company we use out of Florida to have things shipped from the mainland, Tropical Shipping if you are having them shipped first to you in California. Just trying to figure out all the logistics. Also, when will you need final payment from me? Thanks..

On Feb 8, 2012, at 3:09 PM, [REDACTED] wrote:

Dear [REDACTED],

I finally got an email this morning saying the panels are ready. They want payment before they let them go and I wired money today. (The last lot still haven't been paid for by the German buyer). They should be taken into [REDACTED] next week and my carpenter can then make the plywood crates for them. My estimate would be 3 - 4 weeks from now. Sorry it has taken so long. Communication is difficult.

Lesley

-----Original Message-----

**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]]

**Sent:** Friday, February 3, 2012 06:18 AM

**To:** 'Lesley Martin'

**Subject:** Bark panels

Hi Lesley, Just checking in to see if you have any update on the panels? Do you know if they are ready, when we might be receiving them? Thank you, [REDACTED]