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Report to Environment Committee
from Rian van Schalkwyk, Manager, Emergency Management

Revision of the Hutt City Civil Defence Plan

1. Purpose

To advise the Committee on the revision of a territorial local authority Civil Defence Plan as required by Section 35 (2) of the Civil Defence Act 1983.

2. Background

The Wellington Regional Council (Environment Committee) approved the current Hutt City Civil Defence Plan on 13 December 1998.

In accordance with Section 36 of the Civil Defence Act 1983, a new Plan has been prepared to replace the existing plan. The new Plan has been received from Hutt City Council and meets the requirements of the Wellington Regional Council. The Plan is also consistent with and gives effect to the operative Regional Civil Defence Plan.

The Plan was adopted at the Hutt City Council's meeting on Tuesday 18 September 2001.

The Plan requires the approval of the Wellington Regional Council in accordance with Section 35 of the Civil Defence Act 1983. The Plan will be operative for a three-year period commencing on the date it is approved by the Wellington Regional Council.

3. **Recommendations**

It is recommended that the Committee:

- (1) ***approves the Hutt City Civil Defence Plan.***

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