In the Environment Court At Wellington

ENV-2024-WLG-000051

I te Kōti Taiao o Aotearoa KiTe Whanganui-a-Tara

Under the Resource Management Act 1991 (the Act)

In the matter of an appeal under clause 14(1) of the First Schedule of the Act

Between WINSTONE AGGREGATES

Appellant

And WELLINGTON REGIONAL COUNCIL

Respondent

NOTICE OF WISH TO BE PARTY TO PROCEEDINGS ON BEHALF OF KĀPITI COAST DISTRICT COUNCIL

Dated: 9 December 2024



To: The Registrar
Environment Court
Wellington

Introduction

- Kāpiti Coast District Council (Council) gives notice that it wishes
 to be a party to the appeal by Winstone Aggregates (Winstone)
 against the decision of the Wellington Regional Council (Greater
 Wellington) on proposed change 1 to the Wellington Regional
 Policy Statement (RPS) (PC1).
- The Council is a local authority in accordance with s274(1)(b) of the Resource Management Act 1991 (RMA). The Council made a submission on PC1 and has also appealed part of Greater Wellington's decision on PC1 (ENV-2024-000054).
- 3. The Council is not a trade competitor for the purposes of 308C or 308CA of the RMA.

Interest in proceedings

- **4.** The Council is interested in part of the proceeding.
- Policy 23. The Council agrees that the relief sought by Winstone will ensure consistency with the National Policy Statement for Indigenous Biodiversity. Further, given the enactment of the Resource Management (Freshwater and Other Matters) Amendment Act 2024 and the suspension of the requirement to identify significant natural areas, the Council considers inclusion of a date within this policy is inappropriate.

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Mediation

6. The Council agrees to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution for this proceeding.

DATED at Wellington this 9th day of December 2024

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