

**In the Environment Court
Wellington Registry**

ENV-2018-WLG-000018

Under the Resource Management Act 1991
And in the matter of an application under Section 274 of the Act

Between

**Winstone Aggregates (A division of Fletcher Concrete and
Infrastructure Limited)**

Appellant

and

Kapiti Coast District Council

Respondent

and

Transpower New Zealand Limited

Section 274 Party

**Notice of Transpower New Zealand Limited's wish to be
party to proceedings**

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To: The Registrar
Environment Court
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1. Transpower New Zealand Limited (**Transpower**) wishes to be a party to the following proceedings:
 - (a) ENV-2018-WLG-000018 *Winstone Aggregates v Kapiti Coast District Council*.
2. Transpower made a submission and further submission about the subject matter of the proceedings, and has an interest in the proceedings that is greater than the interest that the general public has as the owner and operator of the National Grid which the relief sought affects.
3. Transpower is not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308C of the Resource Management Act 1991 (the **RMA**).
4. Transpower is interested in part of the proceedings.
5. Transpower is interested in the following parts of the proceedings/relief sought:
 - (a) Provide for extractive industries outside the Quarry Zone as a restricted discretionary activity and exempt these from compliance with other District wide performance standards;
 - (b) Amend the default activity status for infringements to performance standards/rules to a restricted discretionary activity in Rule 7A; and
 - (c) Rule 7.X shall apply only to land within the Quarry Zone. The Rules in 7.1 to 7.6, and Chapters 11 and 12 do not apply.

6. Transpower opposes the relief sought by Winstone Aggregates because:
- (a) It has the potential to adversely affect the maintenance, operation, upgrade and development of the National Grid;
 - (b) It fails to give effect to the National Policy Statement on Electricity Transmission 2008 as it means there will be no controls on quarrying in close proximity to the National Grid; and
 - (c) The relief sought is otherwise contrary to Part 2 and the purpose of the RMA, being to promote the sustainable management of natural and physical resources.
7. Transpower agrees to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution of the proceedings.



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