

**Mayor and Councillors**  
COUNCIL

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Purpose of Report: For Decision

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE COUNCIL DELEGATIONS TO CHIEF EXECUTIVE AND STAFF**

### **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1 This report seeks Council's consideration and approval of amendments to the delegations to the Chief Executive and Staff.

### **DELEGATION**

- 2 The delegations comply with the provisions of the Local Government Act 2002 (clause 32, schedule 7), which empowers the Council to consider an appropriate governance structure and associated delegations.
- 3 It also meets the requirements of section 10 of the Local Government Act 2002 which prescribes the purpose of local government.
- 4 The delegations will be available to be audited by Council's auditors Ernst and Young during their scheduled audits.

### **BACKGROUND**

- 5 The Council has certain statutory powers it can exercise and duties it must fulfil. Various statutes recognise that it is not efficient or practical for Elected Members to have to deal with every aspect of their functions, duties and powers.
- 6 Various Acts of Parliament provide the Council with the legal authority to delegate to officers. In particular, Council has the authority to delegate to officers under clause 32 of Schedule 7 of the Local Government Act 2002. Clause 32 also sets out certain powers that cannot be delegated as follows:

*32. Delegations—(1) Unless expressly provided otherwise in this Act, or in any other Act, for the purposes of efficiency and effectiveness in the conduct of a local authority's business, a local authority may delegate to a committee or other subordinate decision-making body, community board, or member or officer of the local authority any of its responsibilities, duties, or powers except—*

- (a) the power to make a rate; or*
- (b) the power to make a bylaw; or*
- (c) the power to borrow money, or purchase or dispose of assets, other than in accordance with the long-term plan; or*
- (d) the power to adopt a long-term plan, annual plan, or annual report; or*
- (e) the power to appoint a chief executive; or*
- (f) the power to adopt policies required to be adopted and consulted on under this Act in association with the long-term plan or developed for the purpose of the local governance statement.*
- (h) the power to adopt a remuneration and employment policy.*

- 7 Delegated authority allows for administrative efficiency and ensures timeliness in the conduct of Council's daily business activities.
- 8 The majority of the Acts allow the Chief Executive the discretion to sub-delegate to council staff, provided he has the delegated power from the Council to further sub-delegate. However, some Acts prescribe the way delegations must be made. For example, the Resource Management Act 1991 (RMA 1991) does not allow the Chief Executive the power to sub-delegate.

## Issues and Options

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- 9 The Council RMA 1991 delegations to the Chief Executive and staff are monitored on a regular basis and reported back to Council for amendment as required in response to changes in staff or legislation.
- 10 Delegations are also reviewed on request by Council.
- 11 The following amendments to the RMA 1991 delegations are recommended:
  - Changes to the structure of the Access and Transport team has created the following new position titles: Access and Transport Manager, Rooding Network Planning Team Leader, Rooding Network Performance Team Leader; Infrastructure Stakeholder Engagement Manager, Infrastructure Programme Delivery Manager, Transport Engineer and Construction Manager Town Centres. These positions will require the same RMA 1991 delegations as currently provided to the existing rooding positions.
  - The Leisure and Open Space team structure has also been updated. The title of Biodiversity Advisor will be replaced with Programme Manager Biodiversity and the title of Landscape Advisor will be replaced with Parks and Recreation Planner.
  - The title of Policy Planner / Senior Policy Planner has been updated to Policy Planner (Senior, Intermediate, Graduate), in keeping with the naming of other planning positions, the title of Resource Consents Service Planner is to be added, the title of Resource Consents Planner (Senior, Intermediate, Junior) is updated to Resource Consents Planner (Senior, Intermediate, Graduate) and section 343B is to be added to the delegations to the Team Leader Resource Consents.
- 12 Due to the structure change for the Leisure and Open Space team, it is also recommended that the Delegations Made by Council to Chief Executive and Staff need to be updated to replace the delegation to the Leisure and Open Space Asset Manager under the Reserves Act 1977 with the new position of Parks and Recreation Manager.

## CONSIDERATIONS

### Policy considerations

- The proposed delegations support the Council's Governance Structure and Delegations.

## Legal considerations

- 13 This paper has been reviewed by the Council's Senior Legal Counsel.

## Financial considerations

- 14 There are no financial considerations relating to the process of making this amendment.

## SIGNIFICANCE AND ENGAGEMENT

### Degree of significance

- 15 This decision has a low level of significance under the Council's Significance and Engagement policy. No engagement is required.

### Consultation

- 16 This is a technical procedure to enable staff to perform their roles efficiently. No engagement and no consultation is necessary.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

- 17 That the Council adopts the amendments to the Resource Management Act 1991 Delegations, shown in Appendix A of report SP-15-1616 to include the new position titles of: Access and Transport Manager, Roding Network Planning Team Leader, Roding Network Performance Team Leader, Infrastructure Stakeholder Engagement Manager, Infrastructure Programme Delivery Manager, Transport Engineer, Construction Manager Town Centres, Programme Manager Biodiversity, Parks and Recreation Planner and Resource Consents Service Planner. The wording of the Policy Planner title to be updated to Policy Planner (Senior, Intermediate, Graduate), the wording of the Resource Consents Planner to be updated to Resource Consents Planner (Senior, Intermediate, Graduate) and section 343B to be added to the Team Leader Resource Consents delegations.
- 18 That the Council adopts the amendment to the Reserves Act 1977 delegations under the Council Delegations to the Chief Executive and Staff Delegations, shown in Appendix B of Report SP-15-1616 to provide the Parks and Recreation Manager with the delegation previously held by the Leisure and Open Space Asset Manager.
- 19 That the Council notes that once approved, these amendments will be included in the existing 26 February 2015 Resource Management Act 1991 Delegations and the 16 October 2014 Delegations Made by Council to Chief Executive and Staff.

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## **ATTACHMENTS**

- Appendix A Amendment to be included in the Council RMA 1991 Delegations to Staff
- Appendix B Amendment to be included in the Council to Chief Executive and Staff Delegations
- Appendix C Glossary of RMA Sections Delegated to Staff

## Appendix A – Report SP-15-1616

<b>16 July 2015 Amendments to Council delegations to Staff under the Resource Management Act 1991</b>	
<b>Positions</b>	<b>RMA Sections / Schedules to be added to the delegations to the position (See Appendix B for details of sections)</b>
Infrastructure Programme Delivery Manager	<u>Sections:</u> 330, 332, 333
Infrastructure Stakeholder Engagement Manager	<u>Sections:</u> 330, 332, 333
Access and Transport Manager	<u>Sections:</u> 330, 332, 333
Transport Engineer	<u>Sections:</u> 330, 332, 333
Roading Network Performance Team Leader	<u>Sections:</u> 330, 332, 333
Roading Network Planning Team Leader	<u>Sections:</u> 330, 332, 333
Construction Manager Town Centres	<u>Sections:</u> <u>330, 332, 333</u>
Programme Manager Biodiversity	<u>Sections:</u> 333
Parks and Recreation Planner	<u>Sections:</u> 333
Policy Planner (Senior, Intermediate, Graduate)	<u>Sections:</u> 10, 10B, 22, 32, 36AA(1), 37, 37A, 41B, 42A, 44A, 55, 87E, 87F, 87G, 88, 89A, 91, 92, 92A, 92B, 95A-95F, 98, 99, 99A, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 104A, 104B, 104C, 104D, 105, 106, 108, 108A, 109, 110, 113, 114, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 132, 133A, 139, 171, 173, 174, 220, 243, 314-321, 322-324, 323, 325A, 327, 328, 330, 332, 333, 338, 343B, 343C,  <u>Schedules:</u> Sch 1 CI 3, Sch 1 CI 3A, Sch 1 CI 3B, Sch 1 CL 4, Sch 1 CI 6, Sch 1 CI 7, Sch 1 CI 8, Sch 1 CI 8AA, Sch 1 CI 8B, Sch 1 CI 8C, Sch 1 CI 11, Sch 1 CI 16, Sch 1 CI 16B, Sch 1 CI 20, Sch 1 CI 20A, Sch 1 CI 23, Sch 1 CI 24, Sch 1 CI 25, Sch 1 CI 29(2), Sch 1 CL 34, Sch 1 CI 35.

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Team Leader Resource Consents	<p><u>Sections:</u> 10, 10A, 10B, 22, 32, 36(3), 36(3A), 36(5), 36AA(1), 37, 37A, 41B, 42, 42A, 44A, 55, 86D, 87E, 87F, 87G, 88, 89A, 91, 92, 92A, 92B, 93, 94, 94A, 94B, 94C, 94D, 95A-95F, 98, 99, 99A, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 104A, 104B, 104C, 104D, 104F, 105, 106, 108, 108A, 109, 110, 113, 114, 124, 124A, 124B, 124C, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 132, 133A, 134, 138, 138A, 139, 139A, 149B, 149G, 149Q, 149W, 149ZD, 168, 168A, 169, 171, 173, 174, 175, 176, 176A, 178, 181(3), 184, 189A, 190, 193, 194, 195A, 198A-198M, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 226(1)(e), 227, 234, 235, 237, 237B-237H, 240, 241, 243, 314-321, 322-324, 323, 325A, 327, 328, 330, 332, 333, 336, 338, 343B, 343C.</p> <p><u>Schedules:</u> Sch 1 CI 3, Sch 1 CI 3A, Sch 1 CI 3B, Sch 1 CL 4, Sch 1 CI 6, Sch 1 CI 7, Sch 1 CI 8, Sch 1 CI 8AA, Sch 1 CI 8B, Sch 1 CI 8C, Sch 1 CI 11, Sch 1 CI 16, Sch 1 CI 16B, Sch 1 CI 20, Sch 1 CI 20A, Sch 1 CI 23, Sch 1 CI 24, Sch 1 CI 25, Sch 1 CI 29(2), Sch 1 CL 34, Sch 1 CI 35.</p>
Resource Consents Planner (Senior, Intermediate, Graduate)	<p><u>Sections:</u> 10, 10A, 10B, 22, 32, 36(3), 36(5), 37, 37A, 41B, 42, 42A, 44A, 55, 86D, 87E, 87F, 87G, 88, 89A, 91, 92, 92A, 92B, 93, 94, 94A, 94B, 94C, 94D, 95A-95F, 98, 99, 99A, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 104A, 104B, 104C, 104D, 105, 106, 108, 108A, 109, 110, 113, 114, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 132, 133A, 138, 139, 139A, 168, 168A, 169, 175, 176A, 190, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 226(1)(e), 227, 234, 235, 237, 237B-237H, 240, 241, 243, 314-321, 322-324, 323, 325A, 327, 328, 332, 333, 336, 343B, 343C.</p> <p><u>Schedules:</u> Sch 1 CI 3, Sch 1 CI 3A, Sch 1 CI 3B, Sch 1 CL 4, Sch 1 CI 6, Sch 1 CI 7, Sch 1 CI 8, Sch 1 CI 8AA, Sch 1 CI 8B, Sch 1 CI 8C, Sch 1 CI 11, Sch 1 CI 16, Sch 1 CI 16B, Sch 1 CI 20, Sch 1 CI 20A, Sch 1 CI 23, Sch 1 CI 24, Sch 1 CI 25, Sch 1 CI 29(2), Sch 1 CL 34, Sch 1 CI 35.</p>
Resource Consents Service Planner	<p><u>Sections:</u> 10, 10A, 10B, 22, 32, 36(3), 36(5), 37, 37A, 41B, 42, 42A, 44A, 55, 86D, 87E, 87F, 87G, 88, 89A, 91, 92, 92A, 92B, 93, 94, 94A, 94B, 94C, 94D, 95A-95F, 98, 99, 99A, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 104A, 104B, 104C, 104D, 105, 106, 108, 108A, 109, 110, 113, 114, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 132, 133A, 138, 139, 139A, 168, 168A, 169, 175, 176A,</p>

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	<p>190, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 226(1)(e), 227, 234, 235, 237, 237B-237H, 240, 241, 243, 314-321, 322-324, 323, 325A, 327, 328, 332, 333, 336, 343B, 343C.</p> <p><u>Schedules:</u>            Sch 1 CI 3, Sch 1 CI 3A, Sch 1 CI 3B, Sch 1 CL 4, Sch 1 CI 6, Sch 1 CI 7, Sch 1 CI 8, Sch 1 CI 8AA, Sch 1 CI 8B, Sch 1 CI 8C, Sch 1 CI 11, Sch 1 CI 16, Sch 1 CI 16B, Sch 1 CI 20, Sch 1 CI 20A, Sch 1 CI 23, Sch 1 CI 24, Sch 1 CI 25, Sch 1 CI 29(2), Sch 1 CL 34, Sch 1 CI 35.</p>

## Appendix B: Extract showing amendments to the Council to Chief Executive and Staff Delegations

Legislation and Authority	Powers Delegated
<p><b>Reserves Act 1977 and any regulations made under that Act</b> To the Chief Executive with power of sub-delegation to officers.</p>	<p>Delegation of authority to exercise and administer all responsibilities, duties and powers* of the Council in its role as an Administering Body, and as a delegate of the Minister of Conservation, under the Reserves Act 1977 and any regulations made under the Act and management plans <b>except</b>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) the power to declare land to be a reserve and the power to hear objections and make a decision on whether to confirm the resolution under section 14 (other than the power to attend to gazettal under section 14(4);</li> <li>b) the power to exchange reserve land for other land under section 15;</li> <li>c) the power to classify reserves, by Gazette notice, according to their principal or primary purpose under section 16(1);</li> <li>d) the power to give full consideration to objections and submissions under 16(4);</li> <li>e) the power to change a classification or purpose of a reserve, consider objections and form an opinion that the change in the classification of a scenic, nature, scientific or historic reserve is justified under section 24(1), 24(2)(e), 24(3) and 24(5);</li> <li>f) the power under section 25(1) to dispose of land in such manner and for such purposes as the Minister specifies following the revocation of the reservation of any public reserve (or part of one) under section 24;</li> <li>g) the power to approve reserve management plans under section 41(1);</li> <li>h) the power to give or decline approval for the erection of shelters, huts, cabins, lodges etc on any recreation or scenic reserve under section 45;</li> <li>i) the power under section 55(2)(a), (d), (e), (f) and (g) to decline or give consent to specific activities on a</li> </ul>



	<p>scenic reserve;</p> <p>j) the power under section 58(b) to set apart and use part of a reserve as a site for residences and other buildings;</p> <p>k) the power under section 73(5) to consent or decline consent in writing to a member of an administering body becoming the lessee of any land under the control of that body;</p> <p>l) the power under section 75(1) and (2) to consent or decline to consent to the afforestation of a recreation or local purpose reserve;</p> <p>m) the power to make bylaws under section 106;</p> <p>n) the power to grant licences pursuant to Section 48A of the Reserves Act 1977 for the use of a reserve for a communications station (such granting of licences to be subject where appropriate to the approval of the appropriate Minister of the Crown and the provision of the First Schedule of the Reserves Act 1977);</p> <p>o) the power to hear and report to Council on submissions and to make recommendations to Council on decisions, relating to the revocation of reserve land;</p> <p>p) the power to determine from time to time whether a park has Districtwide importance and is therefore not a "local" park;</p> <p>q) any power that is expressly required by the Act to be exercised by resolution of the Council;</p> <p>r) the power to grant leases, licences, permits and easements for reserve land.</p> <p><b>For the avoidance of doubt:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- exceptions b) and p) do not preclude the power to recommend or report to the Environment and Community Development Committee or Council on these matters;</li> <li>- exception r) does not include the powers relating to licences under section 74 as delegated to the Chief Executive and other officers below.</li> </ul>
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	* For leases, easements, transfers and other documents dealing with land, see notes about deed execution under the Local Government Act 2002 delegations
To the Chief Executive, the Group Manager Community Services and the <u>Parks and Recreation Manager</u> with no power of sub-delegation.	Delegation of the power under section 74 of the Reserves Act to issue and cancel licences to occupy reserves temporarily.

## Appendix C: Glossary of RMA Sections Delegated to Staff

### Resource Management Act 1991

#### Section

10	Certain existing uses in relation to land protected
10A	Certain existing activities allowed
10B	Certain existing building works allowed
22	Duty to give certain information
32	Consideration of alternatives, benefits, and costs
36(3)	Administrative charges - Where a charge fixed in accordance with subsection (1) is, in any particular case, inadequate to enable a local authority to recover its actual and reasonable costs in respect of the matter concerned, the local authority may require the person who is liable to pay the charge, to also pay an additional charge to the local authority.
36(3A)	Administrative charges - A local authority must, upon request by any person liable to pay a charge under this section, provide an estimate of any additional charge likely to be imposed under subsection (3).
36(5)	Administrative charges - A local authority may, in any particular case and in its absolute discretion, remit the whole or any part of any charge of a kind referred to in this section which would otherwise be payable.
36AA(1)	Local authority policy on discounting administrative charges
37	Power of waiver and extension of time limits
37A	Requirements for waivers and extensions
38(5)	Authorisation and responsibilities of enforcement officers - The local authority or Minister shall supply every enforcement officer with a warrant, and that warrant shall clearly state the functions and powers that the person concerned has been authorised to exercise and carry out under this Act.
41B	Directions to provide evidence within time limits
42	Protection of sensitive information
42A	Reports to local authority
44A	Local authority recognition of national environmental standards
55	Local authority recognition of national policy statements
86D	Environment Court may order rule to have legal effect from date other than standard date
87E	Consent authority's decision on request
87F	Consent authority's subsequent processing

87G	Environment Court determines application
<b><u>Section</u></b>	
88	Making an application
89A	Applications affecting navigation to be referred to Maritime New Zealand
91	Deferral pending application for additional consents
92	Further information, or agreement, may be requested
92A	Responses to request
92B	Responses to notification
93	When public notification of consent applications is required
94	When public notification of consent applications is not required
94A	Forming opinion as to whether adverse effects are minor or more than minor
94B	Forming opinion as to who may be adversely affected
94C	Public notification if applicant requests or if special circumstances exist
94D	When public notification and service requirements may be varied
95A	Public notification of consent application at consent authority's discretion
95B	Limited notification of consent application
95C	Public notification of consent application after request for further information or report
95D	Consent authority decides if adverse effects likely to be more than minor
95E	Consent authority decides if person is affected person
95F	Consent authority decides if person is affected order holder
98	Advice of submissions to applicant
99	Pre-hearing meetings
99A	Mediation
100	Obligation to hold a hearing
101	Hearing date and notice
102	Joint hearings by 2 or more consent authorities
103	Combined hearings in respect of 2 or more applications
104	Consideration of applications
104A	Determination of applications for controlled activities
104B	Determination of applications for discretionary or non-complying activities
104C	Determination of applications for restricted discretionary activities

104D	Particular restrictions for non-complying activities
<b><u>Section</u></b>	
104F	Implementation of [national environmental standards]
105	Matters relevant to certain applications
106	Consent authority may refuse subdivision consent in certain circumstances
108	Conditions of resource consents
108A	Bonds
109	Special provisions in respect of bonds or covenants
110	Refund of money and return of land where activity does not proceed
113	Decisions on applications to be in writing, etc
114	Notification
124	Exercise of resource consent while applying for new consent
124A	When sections 124B and 124C apply and when they do not apply
124B	Applications by existing holders of resource consents
124C	Applications by persons who are not existing holders of resource consents
125	Lapsing of consent
126	Cancellation of consent
127	Change or cancellation of consent condition on application by consent holder
128	Circumstances when consent conditions can be reviewed
129	Notice of review
132	Decisions on review of consent conditions
133A	Minor corrections of resource consents
134	Land use and subdivision consents attach to land
138	Surrender of consent
138A	Special provisions relating to coastal permits for dumping and incineration
139	Consent authorities and Environmental Protection Authority to issue certificates of compliance
139A	Consent authorities to issue existing use certificates
149B	Local authority's obligations if matter called in
149G	EPA must provide board or Court with necessary information
149Q	Board to produce draft report

**Section**

149W	Local authority to implement decision of board or Court about proposed regional plan or change or variation
149ZD	Costs of processes under this Part recoverable from applicant
168	Notice of requirement to territorial authority
168A	Notice of requirement by territorial authority
169	Further information, notification, submissions, and hearing for notice of requirement to territorial authority
171	Recommendation by territorial authority
173	Notification of decision on designation
174	Appeals
175	Designation to be provided for in district plan
176	Effect of designation
176A	Outline plan
178	Interim effect of requirements for designations
181(3)	Alteration of designation - Circumstances where a territorial authority may alter a designation in its district plan.
184	Lapsing of designations which have not been given effect to
189A	Notice of requirement for heritage order by territorial authority
190	Further information, notification, submissions, and hearing for notice of requirement to territorial authority
193	Effect of heritage order
194	Interim effect of requirement
195A	Alteration of heritage order
198A	Sections 198B to 198G apply to requirements under section 168 or 189
198B	Requiring authority or heritage protection authority's request
198C	Territorial authority's decision on request
198D	Territorial authority's subsequent processing
198E	Environment Court decides
198F	Residual powers of territorial authority
198G	When territorial authority must deal with requirement
198H	Sections 198I to 198M apply to requirements under section 168A or 189A
198I	Territorial authority's decision

198J	Territorial authority's subsequent processing
<b><u>Section</u></b>	
198K	Environment Court decides
198L	Residual powers of territorial authority
198M	When territorial authority must deal with requirement
220	Condition of subdivision consents
221	Territorial authority to issue a consent notice
222	Completion certificates
223	Approval of survey plan by territorial authority
224	Restrictions upon deposit of survey plan
226(1)(e)	Restriction upon issue of certificates of title for subdivision - [The Registrar-General of Land] shall not issue a certificate of title for any land that is shown as a separate allotment on a survey plan (being a certificate issued to give effect to the subdivision shown on that survey plan), unless he or she is satisfied, after due inquiry, that— The territorial authority has [given a certificate signed by the principal administrative officer or other authorised officer to the effect]— (i) That there is no district plan for the area to which the survey plan relates, and that the allotment is in accordance with the requirements and provisions of the proposed district plan; or ii) That the allotment is in accordance with the requirements and provisions of the district plan and the proposed district plan (if any) for the area to which the survey plan relates; or (iii) That the allotment is in accordance with a permission or permissions granted under Part 2 or Part 4 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1977.
227	Cancellation of prior approvals
234	Variation or cancellation of esplanade strips
235	Creation of esplanade strips by agreement
237	Approval of survey plans where esplanade reserve or esplanade strips required
237B	Access strips
237C	Closure of strips to public
237D	Transfers to the Crown or regional council
237E	Compensation for taking of esplanade reserves or strips on allotments of less than 4 hectares
237F	Compensation for taking of esplanade reserves or strips on allotments of 4 hectares or more
237G	Compensation for taking of land below mean high water springs or of bed of lake or river
237H	Valuation

240	Covenant against transfer of allotments
<b><u>Section</u></b>	
241	Amalgamation of allotments
243	Survey plan approved subject to grant or reservation of easements
311	Application for declaration
314	Scope of enforcement order
315	Compliance with enforcement order
316	Application for enforcement order
317	Notification of application
318	Right to be heard
319	Decision on application
320	Interim enforcement order
321	Change or cancellation of enforcement order
322	Scope of abatement notice
323	Compliance with abatement notice
324	Form and content of abatement notice
325A	Cancellation of abatement notice
327	Issue and effect of excessive noise direction
328	Compliance with an excessive noise direction
330	Emergency works and power to take preventive or remedial action
332	Power of entry for inspection
333	Power of entry for survey
336	Return of property seized under sections 323 and 328
338	Offences against this Act
343B	Commission of infringement offence
343C	Infringement notices



## Schedule 1 Preparation, change, and review of policy statements and plans

### Clause

- 3 Consultation
- 3A Consultation in relation to policy statements
- 3B Consultation with iwi authorities

### Clause

- 4 Requirements to be inserted prior to notification of proposed district plans
- 6 Making of submissions
- 7 Public notice of submissions
- 8 Certain persons may make further submissions
- 8AA Resolution of disputes
- 8B Hearing by local authority
- 8C Hearing not needed
- 11 Notification of decision
- 15 Hearing by the [Environment Court]
- 16 Amendment of proposed policy statement or plan
- 16B Merger with proposed policy statement or plan
- 20 Operative date
- 20A Correction of operative policy statement or plan
- 23 Further information may be required
- 24 Modification of request
- 25 Local authority to consider request
- 29(2) Procedure under this Part
- 34 Consultation on proposal to incorporate material by reference
- 35 Access to material incorporated by reference