

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF NEW ZEALAND
DUNEDIN REGISTRY**

**I TE KŌTI MATUA O AOTEAROA
ŌTEPOTI ROHE**

CIV-2024-412-37

BETWEEN OTAGO FISH AND GAME COUNCIL
AND CENTRAL SOUTH ISLAND FISH
AND GAME COUNCIL
Appellants

AND OTAGO REGIONAL COUNCIL
Respondent

CIV-2024-412-41

BETWEEN OCEANA GOLD (NEW ZEALAND)
LIMITED
Appellant

AND OTAGO REGIONAL COUNCIL
Respondent

Hearing: On the papers

Counsel: M Baker-Galloway for Otago Fish and Game Council and Central
South Island Fish and Game Council (Appellants)
J St John and S Christensen for Oceana Gold (New Zealand)
Limited (Appellant)
S J Anderson and T M Sefton for Otago Regional Council
(Respondent)
C P Thomsen and K Simonsen for Beef and Lamb New Zealand
Ltd

Date of Minute: 9 December 2024

**MINUTE OF HARLAND J
(Beef and Lamb New Zealand Ltd - withdrawal)**

[1] Beef and Lamb New Zealand Ltd is a party to these appeals under s 301 of the Resource Management Act 1991. Some of the points in these two appeals were

resolved at mediation, following which consent orders have been made. However, some parts of these appeals are proceeding to a hearing.

[2] By notice dated 4 December 2024, Beef and Lamb New Zealand Ltd records that it withdraws its interests as a s 301 party to the remaining parts of these two appeals. The Court file will be noted accordingly.

[3] The only remaining issue concerns costs. In the notice provided to the Court, counsel outlined that, prior to filing, they consulted counsel for the appellants and the respondent about costs. Counsel for Beef and Lamb New Zealand Ltd confirms that all three parties have advised they have no issues as to costs. Accordingly, that issue having been resolved between the parties, there are no remaining matters associated with the withdrawal that need to be determined by the Court.

[4] The Registry are directed to note the files accordingly.

Harland J

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J St John and S Christensen for Oceana Gold (New Zealand) Ltd

S J Anderson and T M Sefton, Ross Dowling Marquet Griffin for Otago Regional Council.

Interested Parties in proceeding CIV-2024-412-37:

J St John and S Christensen for Oceana Gold (New Zealand) Ltd

M Downing and P Anderson for Royal Forest & Bird Protection Society Inc

L Burkhardt for Manawa Energy Limited

C Ford and A Cameron for Kāi Tahu

C Thomsen and K Simonsen, Fletcher Vautier Moore for Beef and Lamb New Zealand Ltd

B Irving and P Page, Gallaway Cook Allan for Dairy NZ Ltd and Otago Water Resource User Group Inc.

Interested Parties in proceeding CIV-2024-412-41:

M Downing and P Anderson for Royal Forest & Bird Protection Society Inc

J Campbell and B Watts, Meredith Connell for Queenstown Lakes District Council

L Burkhardt for Manawa Energy Limited

C Thomsen and K Simonsen, Fletcher Vautier Moore for Beef and Lamb New Zealand Ltd

B Irving and P Page, Gallaway Cook Allan for Otago Water Resource User Group Inc.

H Jopp for Federated Farmers of New Zealand Incorporated

M Baker-Galloway and L McLaughlan, Anderson Lloyd for NZSki Limited and Real Group Limited.