

In the Environment Court of New Zealand
Christchurch Registry

I Mua I Te Kōti Taiao O Aotearoa
Ōtautahi Rohe

ENV-2024-CHC-38

Under the Resource Management Act 1991

In the matter of An appeal under clause 14 of Schedule 1

Between **New Zealand Transport Agency**
Appellant

And **Otago Regional Council**
Respondent

Notice of Port Otago Limited's wish to be party to proceedings pursuant to section 274, RMA

4 June 2024

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**To: The Registrar
Environment Court
Christchurch**

- 1 Port Otago Limited agrees to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution of the proceedings:

New Zealand Transport Agency v Otago Regional Council (ENV-2024-CHC-38) being an appeal under clause 14 of Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991 (**RMA**), against the decisions of the Otago Regional Council (**ORC**) on the non-freshwater planning instrument parts of the Otago Regional Policy Statement 2021 (**ORPS**).

- 2 Port Otago Limited has an interest in the proceedings that is greater than the interest that the general public has because Port Otago Limited owns and operates property and significant infrastructure in the Otago Region.
- 3 Port Otago Limited made a submission on aspects of the ORPS which is the subject of these proceedings.
- 4 Port Otago Limited is not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308C or 308CA of the RMA.
- 5 Port Otago Limited is interested in the following appeal points:
 - (a) Proposing an amendment to IM-03 Sustainable impact; and
 - (b) Proposing a new objective for nationally and regionally significant infrastructure.
- 6 Port Otago Limited:
 - (a) Supports appropriate provision for national and regionally significant infrastructure and wishes to be involved in the dialogue about any potential new provision for nationally and regionally significant infrastructure; and
 - (b) Is neutral at this stage of proceedings pending the provision of further information about the appeal point relating to IM-03 Sustainable impact.

- 7 Port Otago Limited agrees to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution of the proceedings.

Dated this 4th day of June 2024



Shelley Chadwick
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