

Notice of wish to be party to proceedings

S 274, Resource Management Act 1991

If you wish to be a party to the proposed plan change hearing, you must lodge this notice with the Environment Court by **MONDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2020***.

You can lodge this notice by email or by posting a copy to the Environment Court in Christchurch at:

Environment Court,

PO Box 2069,

Christchurch 8140

Email: ORC@justice.govt.nz

The Environment Court has issued directions in relation to the service of documents. Unless a party has provided an alternative address for service, service will take place when a copy of this document is uploaded to the court's website. There is no need to send a copy to the Otago Regional Council.

<p>I, <u>The Minister for the Environment</u> Full name</p> <p>wish to be a party to the following proceeding:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ENV-2020-CHC-128 Otago Regional Council proposed Plan Changes 8 & 1.</p> <p>I submitted on Plan Change: <input type="checkbox"/> Plan Change 8 <input type="checkbox"/> Plan Change 1 Select all that apply</p> <p>I am:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> a person who made a submission on the proposed plan change; or</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> the Minister for the Environment; or</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> a local authority; or</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> the Attorney-General representing a relevant aspect of the public interest (<i>in this case, specify the aspect of the public interest</i>): or</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A person who has an interest in the proceedings that is greater than the interest that the general public has (<i>in this case, specify the aspect of the public interest</i>)</p>

<p>I <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> agree <input type="checkbox"/> do not agree to participate in mediation.</p> <p>Select one</p>

Advice: If you have any questions about this notice, contact the Environment Court in Christchurch

Only complete this section if you are a trade competitor

I am am not directly affected by an effect of the subject of the plan change that:

Select one

(a) adversely affects the environment; and

(b) does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

I will be:

self-represented represented by someone else not sure

Select one

If you will be represented by someone else, their name is:

Name Rosemary Dixon/Dhilum Nightingale/Peter Bevan

Firm / company Crown Law/Ministry for the Environment

Email: rosemary.dixon@crownlaw.govt.nz; dhilum.nightingale@mfe.govt.nz; peter.bevan@mfe.govt.nz

OR

Address:

I / my representative want to speak at the hearing

Yes No Not sure

Select one

I will give evidence on my own behalf:

Yes No Not sure

Select one

I will have an expert witness present on my behalf:

Yes No Not sure

Select one

If you have an expert witness, specify their area of expertise (e.g. planning, irrigation, infrastructure):

Planning

SERVICE OF DOCUMENTS:

The court has issued directions that documents are served when uploaded to the Environment Court's webpages. You will be notified when this occurs. The webpages can be accessed here: <https://environmentcourt.govt.nz/cases-online/>.

You may, however, specify an alternative address for service. If you do, parties will be required to serve documents to that address.

Only complete the alternative address for service if you do not accept service via the website:

My alternative address for service is:

- the same as my representative's given above;
- I am self-represented and my alternative address for service is:

Select one

Email:

OR

Address:

IMPORTANT: The Registry will contact the parties with the details of persons who have supplied an alternative address for service. Copies of documents that are required to be served, including this notice, are to be sent to the party at their alternative address.



Signature of person wishing to be party
(or person authorised to sign on their behalf)

16 November 2020

Date

***Note:** If this notice is not filed by the due date, you may apply to the court under section 281 of the Resource Management Act 1991 for a waiver of this timing requirement.

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