Form 33 Notice of person's wish to be party to proceedings

Section 274, Resource Management Act 1991

- To the Registrar
- Environment Court
- Auckland, Wellington, and Christchurch

We, Spark New Zealand Trading Limited and Connexa Limited, wish to be a party to the following proceedings:

ENV-2023-WLG-000005 Waka Kotahi New Zealand Transport Agency <u>Topic(s):DR: DR: resource consents and notices of requirement for Otaki to north of</u> <u>Levin state highway project</u>

We made a joint submission on the above applications, a copy of which is attached to this notice.

We are not a trade competitor for the purposes of <u>section 308C</u> of the Resource Management Act 1991.

We are interested in part of the proceedings.

The part of the proceedings we are interested in are the Notice of Requirement to Horowhenua District Council (Reference 504/2022/22) and the Notice of Requirement to Kapiti Coast District Council (Reference RM220254).

We are interested in the following particular issues:

• The proposed conditions in Appendix 5 of the application documents.

We oppose the relief sought because the proposed conditions in Appendix 5 of the application documents do not contain any requirement for the Requiring Authority to consult with telecommunications Network Utility Operators during the detailed design phase. Such consultation would identify opportunities to enable, or not preclude, the development of new telecommunications facilities including access to power and ducting within the project, where practicable to do so.

We agree to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution of the proceedings.

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Tom Anderson Direction, Principal Planner Incite

As authorised agent for Spark New Zealand Trading Limited and Connexa Limited

19 May 2023

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Note to person wishing to be a party

You must lodge the original and 1 copy of this notice with the Environment Court within 15 working days after—

- the period for lodging a notice of appeal ends, if the proceedings are an appeal; or
- the decision to hold an inquiry, if the proceedings are an inquiry; or
- the proceedings are commenced, in any other case.

Your right to be a party to the proceedings in the court may be limited by the trade competition provisions in section 274(1) and Part 11A of the Resource Management Act 1991.

The notice must be signed by you or on your behalf.