

**BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENT COURT
I MUA I TE KOOTI TAIAO O AOTEAROA**

IN THE MATTER of the Resource Management Act 1991

AND of appeals under clause 14 of the First Schedule of the Act

BETWEEN **TRANSPower NEW ZEALAND LIMITED**
(ENV-2018-CHC-26)
... (as continued on last page)

Appellants

AND **SOUTHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL**

Respondent

**INTERLOCUTORY APPLICATION FOR LEAVE FOR COUNSEL FOR
WILKINS FARMING COMPAMNY LIMITED TO BE EXCUSED FOR
ATTENDANCE FOR THE FULL DURATION OF THE TOPIC A HEARING**

6 MARCH 2019

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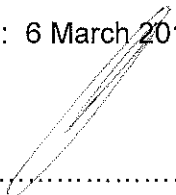
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To the other parties involved in the hearing

This document notifies you that—

- 1 The applicant Wilkins Farming Company Limited applies to the Court for an Order excusing its counsel, A D G Hitchcock of AWS Legal, Invercargill, from attending the full duration of the Topic A hearing.
- 2 The grounds on which this Order is sought are as follows:
 - (a) Wilkins Farming Company Limited is involved as an appellant solely in respect of A4 Physiographic Policies Policy 4 to 6 inclusive, and 9 to 12 inclusive.
 - (b) Wilkins Farming Company Limited do not intend to call evidence but will make submission on those Policies.
 - (c) Wilkins Farming Company Limited have no interest in the other parts of the hearing.

Date: 6 March 2019



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A D G Hitchcock

Solicitor for Applicant

List of Appellants:

ENV-2018-CHC-27	Fonterra Co-Operative Group Limited
ENV-2018-CHC-28	Horticulture New Zealand
ENV-2018-CHC-29	Aratiatia Livestock Limited
ENV-2018-CHC-30	Wilkins Farming Co
ENV-2018-CHC-31	Gore District Council, Southland District Council and Invercargill City Council
ENV-2018-CHC-32	DairyNZ Limited
ENV-2018-CHC-33	H W Richardson Group Limited
ENV-2018-CHC-34&35	Beef & Lamb New Zealand
ENV-2018-CHC-36	Director-General of Conservation
ENV-2018-CHC-37	Southland Fish & Game Council
ENV-2018-CHC-38	Meridian Energy Limited
ENV-2018-CHC-39	Alliance Group Limited
ENV-2018-CHC-40	Federated Farmers of New Zealand
ENV-2018-CHC-41	Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga
ENV-2018-CHC-42	Stoney Creek Station Limited
ENV-2018-CHC-43	The Terraces Limited
ENV-2018-CHC-44	Campbell's Block Limited
ENV-2018-CHC-45	Robert Grant
ENV-2018-CHC-46	Southwood Export Limited, Southland Plantation Forest Company of NZ, Southwood Export Limited
ENV-2018-CHC-47	Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu, Hokonui Rūnanga o Oraka Aparima
ENV-2018-CHC-48	Peter Chartres
ENV-2018-CHC-49	Rayonier New Zealand Limited
ENV-2018-CHC-50	Royal Forest and Bird Protection Society of NZ Inc