

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

ENV-2018-CHC-26 to 50

IN THE MATTER of the Resource
Management Act 1991

AND

IN THE MATTER of appeals under clause
14 of Schedule 1 to the
Act relating to the
proposed Southland
Water and Land Plan

BETWEEN **WAIHOPAI RŪNAKA,
HOKONUI RŪNAKA,
TE RŪNANGA O
AWARUA, TE
RŪNANGA O ORAKA
APARIMA, and TE
RŪNANGA O NGĀI
TAHU (collectively
NGĀ RŪNANGA)**

**Appellants in ENV-
2018-CHC-47**

AND **SOUTHLAND
REGIONAL COUNCIL**

Respondent

**MEMORANDUM OF COUNSEL FOR NGĀ RŪNANGA REGARDING
AVAILABILITY FOR FURTHER HEARING DATES**

28 November 2022

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MAY IT PLEASE THE COURT

1. This memorandum of counsel is filed on behalf of Waihopai Rūnaka, Hokonui Rūnaka, Te Rūnanga o Awarua, Te Rūnanga o Oraka Aparima, and Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu (collectively **Ngā Rūnanga**).
2. This memorandum is filed in response to the Court's directions of Friday 25 November 2022. The availability of counsel for the proposed additional hearing dates is as follows:

| Proposed dates | Availability |
|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 9 December 2022 | Not available |
| 13-15 December 2022 | Available |
| 24-26 January 2023 | Available |
| 7-9 February 2023 | Available |
| 13-15 February 2023 | Available |
| 23-24 February 2023 | Available |

3. Ms Davidson can be available for all of the proposed dates, although her availability will become significantly more limited after February 2023, due to her commitments to other work.

DATED this 28th day of November 2022



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