

**BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENT COURT
AT WELLINGTON
I MUA I TE KOOTI TAIAO O AOTEAROA
TE WHANGANUI-Ā-TARA ROHE**

IN THE MATTER of the Resource Management Act 1991

AND

IN THE MATTER of an appeal under clause 14(1) of Schedule 1 to the Act

BETWEEN **WELLINGTON FISH AND GAME COUNCIL**
(ENV-2019-WLG-122)

Appellant

AND **ROYAL FOREST AND BIRD PROTECTION
SOCIETY OF NEW ZEALAND INCORPORATED**
(ENV-2019-WLG-130)

Appellant

AND **WELLINGTON REGIONAL COUNCIL**

Respondent

**APPLICATION FOR WAIVER OF TIME TO FILE AMENDED S 274
NOTICE
4 December 2019**

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1. Beef+Lamb New Zealand Limited (B+LNZ) apply for a waiver of time to file amended notices under s 274 to join in the following proceedings:

Wellington Fish & Game Council v Wellington Regional Council
ENV-2019-WLG-122.

Royal Forest & Bird Protection Society of New Zealand Incorporated v Wellington Regional Council ENV-2019-WLG-130.

(Together, the "Appeals").

2. B+LNZ filed s 274 notices to join the Appeals on 9 October 2019 and is a s 274 party to both proceedings.

3. B+LNZ seek the waivers on the grounds:

(a) No party will be prejudiced unduly because:

(i) No substantive steps have been taken;

(ii) Direct engagement will be undertaken to attempt to resolve the Appeals but has not occurred or not been completed;

(iii) Formal mediation is scheduled for March and June 2020.

(b) It is appropriate to make orders granting the waivers.



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