

**Before Greater Wellington Regional Council**

**Under** the Resource Management Act  
1991

**In the matter of** the Proposed Natural Resources  
Plan for the Wellington Region

**And**

**In the matter of** Submissions (S135) and Further  
Submissions (FS25) by **Wellington  
Water Limited**

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**MEMORANDUM OF COUNSEL SEEKING EXTENSION OF TIME FOR FILING  
EXPERT EVIDENCE FOR HEARING STREAM 3**

**29 August 2017**

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1. By memorandum dated 3 August 2017 the Hearing Panel granted a request for leave from Wellington Water Limited, to enable expert evidence for Hearing Stream 3 to be filed by 5pm on 28 August 2017.
2. One statement of expert evidence—Mr Blakemore's—was filed yesterday in accordance with that timetable, and notice was given that a second statement would follow, but not until after the extended deadline.
3. The second (and final) statement—Ms Wratt's—has been filed this morning, 29 August, before 9am.
4. On behalf of WWL I apologise for this delay and any inconvenience it may have caused. I respectfully seek leave for the delay, retrospectively, on the basis that the length of delay has been minimal, the statement having been filed before the next business day after it was due.

  
**M J Slyfield**  
**29 August 2017**