

IN THE MATTER

of the Resource Management Act
1991

AND

IN THE MATTER

of the Proposed Natural Resources
Plan for the Wellington Region

MINUTE # 26

**MEMORANDUM GRANTING LEAVE TO FILE EVIDENCE LATE FROM THE NEW ZEALAND TRANSPORT
AGENCY**

Hearing Stream 4

1. The Hearing Panel, on Wednesday, 24 January 2018, received a request seeking leave to file water quality expert evidence late for the Water Quality and Stormwater Topic for Hearing Stream 4, from the New Zealand Transport Agency (Submission #146) (NZTA).
2. A memorandum from Counsel for NZTA, sought a two day delay to file expert water quality evidence for Water Quality and Stormwater Topic for Hearing Stream 4; that evidence being due at 5pm on Friday, 26 January 2018.
3. The reason for the request in the delay in filing is unspecified "unforeseen circumstances".
4. The request is granted. The expert water quality evidence for NZTA for the Water Quality and Stormwater Topic for Hearing Stream 4 is due at 5pm on Tuesday 30th January 2018. This will still allow adequate time for this evidence to be considered by the Panel, the Council and other submitters before the hearings commence on 12 February 2018. Panel note the remainder of NZTA's expert evidence for Hearing Stream 4 remains due at 5pm on Friday, 26 January 2018.



Mark St. Clair

Panel Chair

Date: 24 January 2018