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The Wellington Regional Land Transport Strategy (RLTS) 2010-2040

It is a requirement of the Land Transport Management Amendment Act 2008 (the Act), section 77 (I), that a RLTS should contain:

"a statement provided by an independent auditor of how the process followed by the regional transport committee complied with the requirements of this Act"

In September 2009 Wellington Regional Council engaged John Bolland Consulting to provide ongoing, independent advice on procedural matters in the development of their RLTS, with a view to providing a statement of compliance in accordance with the Act. I have therefore reviewed the current version of the RLTS 2010-2040, the Consultation Plan and the related procedures in the context of the relevant sections of the Act.

In my opinion the process followed by the Wellington Regional Transport Committee in preparing the Wellington RLTS 2010-2040 complies with the requirements of the Land Transport Management Amendment Act 2008.

Independence: other than this engagement as Auditor for the purpose of the Act, John Bolland Consulting has no relationship with or interest in Wellington Regional Council or the Regional Transport Committee.

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