Proposed Natural Resources Plan:

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Form 5: Submission on the Proposed Natural Resources Plan for the Wellington Region This is a submission on the Proposed Natural Resources Plan for the Wellington Region pursuant to Clause 6 of Schedule 1, Resource Management Act 1991



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Re rule R83. In the Section 32 report: discharges to land on page 29 it

states that Proposed rule R83 (h) requires the use of the Dairy Effluent

of the Farm Dairy Effluent Design Accreditation Programme or with individuals that have completed and passed the Massey University short course on "Farm Dairy Effluent: System Design and Management".

Storage Calculator by a company that is part of "an acredited programme for effluent system design and build". The Section 32 report also references the "Dairy effluent storage: A guide on how dairy effluent storage assessments will be rolled out in the Wellington region", GWRC September 2012. The guide encourages farmers to work with companies that are registered as part

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	I seek the following decision from WRC (give precise details):	Either R83(h) or the Section 32 report, should make it clear that to meet the condition, the people qualified to use the Dairy Effluent Storage Calculator include both acredited companies AND individuals that have passed the Massey University short course on farm dairy effluent system design.
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If others make a similar submission	on, I will consider pres	enting a joint case with them at a hearing.
Signature: Terry Parminter		Date: 18 th September 2015
[Person making submission or perso an electronic submission]	n authorised to sign or	n behalf of person making submission. NB. Not required if making

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