

**IN THE MATTER of  
the Resource Management Act 1991**

**AND**

**IN THE MATTER of  
Hearing of submissions, further  
submissions and variations on the  
Proposed Te Tai o Poutini Plan**

**MINUTE 50 –Extension for Mining and  
Mineral Extraction Right of Reply**

## INTRODUCTION

1. This Minute follows a request made in Minute 32 that the Mining and Mineral Extraction Reporting Officer's written right of reply be provided to the Hearing Panel by the end of October.
2. Pt 5 i. of Minute 32 requests validation of mining consent information received from the Councils.
3. The Reporting Officer has informed us that approximately 400 consents were provided by the Council for review, the last arriving during the week of 14 October 2024. This has left insufficient time for review and inclusion in the right of reply by the end of October 2024.
4. On 18 October the Reporting Officer requested a 6-week extension to complete the right of reply.
5. To enable the inclusion of the consents information the Hearing Panel grants a further extension to 29 November 2024.



**Dean Chrystal**

**Independent Commissioner – Chair - on behalf of the Hearing Panel members**

**21 October 2024**