## **Recommended Changes to Definitions**

Below shows the changes to the notified Natural Hazards chapter as recommended by the s42A report. The changes in red are the changes that were recommended in the Natural Hazards Section 42A report. The changes in blue are those recommended in the Coastal Hazards Section 42A Report. Also included are changes recommended in the Rebuttal Evidence for the Natural Hazards Chapter in purple, the Right of Reply for the Natural Hazards Chapter in orange, and the Rebuttal Evidence for Variation 2 – Coastal Hazards in green.

Term	Definition	
ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS	means ; a. in relation to natural hazards, changes to a building or structure that alters the habitable space in such a way as to increase the likely number of inhabitants. For example, increasing the number of bedrooms, but not the size of bedrooms, or converting a garage to a bedroom but not increasing the size of a garage; and¹ b. in relation to historic heritage items, changes to the extent, floor levels, form, proportion and scale of the item, or changes to the design, texture, or form of the fabric of the item.	
ANNUAL EXCEEDANCE PROBABILITY (AEP)	means the probability of an event occurring in any given year. <sup>2</sup>	
BROWNFIELD	means land that has been developed and therefore has existing infrastructure.	
Either delete: COMMUNITY FACILITIES, EDUCATION FACILITIES AND HEALTH FACILITIES	Means in relation to natural hazards. All community buildings where people congregate including places of worship, Marae, daycare, primary secondary and tertiary education facilities, medical facilities excluding hospital and medical centres with surgery facilities.	
Or amend as follows:  COMMUNITY FACILITIES, EDUCATION FACILITIES AND HEALTH FACILITIES	means in relation to natural hazards. All community buildings where people congregate including places of worship, Marae, daycare,³ primary secondary and tertiary education facilities, medical facilities excluding hospital and medical centres with surgery facilities.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Gail Dickson (S407.004)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The O'Conor Institute Trust Board (S466.009), Frank and Jo Dooley (S478.008, S478.052)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Buller District Council (S538.009)

CRITICAL RESPONSE FACILITIES	means, in relation to natural hazards, hospitals, fire, rescue, police stations, buildings intended to be used in an emergency for shelter, operations or response, hazardous or explosive material storage, aviation control towers, air traffic control centres, emergency aircraft hangars, fuel storage, major dams, community scale potable water treatment facilities and wastewater treatment facilities.
	Note: This definition does not apply to Community  Emergency Centres when it is not the main  purpose of the building.4
GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE	means a natural or semi-natural area, feature or process, including engineered systems that mimic natural processes, which are planned or managed to:
	<ul> <li>a. provide for aspects of ecosystem health or resilience, such as maintaining or improving the quality of water, air or soil, and habitats to promote biodiversity; and</li> <li>b. provide services to people and communities, such as stormwater or flood management or climate change adaptation.</li> </ul>
HAZARD SENSITIVE	means buildings accommodating:
ACTIVITY	a. Residential Activity, including residential units, respite
	<ul><li>care, and rehabilitation housing.</li><li>Visitor Accommodation and Worker Accommodation</li></ul>
	c. Retirement Home-Village
	d. Healthcare Facility and Medical Activities
	e. Community Facility
	f. Educational Facility
	g. Marae <sup>5</sup>
	h. Critical Response Facility
	i. <u>Visitor Accommodation</u>
	j. Sleep Outs
	k. Childcare services, including kohanga reo
LESS HAZARD	means:
SENSITIVE ACTIVITY	a. Buildings used for non-habitable purposes
	<ul><li>b. Fences</li><li>c. Minor storage facilities</li></ul>
	d. Parks facilities
	e. Parks furniture
	f. Buildings associated with primary production, including
	intensive indoor primary production
	g. West Coast Regional Council monitoring structures

 $<sup>^4</sup>$  Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu, Te Runanga o Ngati Waewae, Te Runanga o Makaawhio (S620.424)  $^5$  Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu, Te Runanga o Ngati Waewae, Te Runanga o Makaawhio (S620.425)

	h. Buildings associated with port activities i. Buildings associated with quarrying and mining activities j. Decks k. Building and structures associated with any other activity that is not identified as a Hazard Sensitive Activity or Potentially Hazard Sensitive Activity
MINIMISE	means to reduce to the smallest amount reasonably practicable
POTENTIALLY HAZARD SENSITIVE ACTIVITY	means buildings accommodating:  a. Commercial Activity  b. Commercial Service Activity  c. Crematoriums and Funeral Homes  d. Entertainment Facility  e. Food and Beverage Activity  f. Industrial Activities Activity  g. Major Sports Facility Stadium Activity  h. Offices  i. Retail Activities Activity  j. Rural Industry ial Activities
SEVERE NATURAL HAZARD OVERLAY	means either one or a combination of the mapped extents of the Severe Flood Overlay, Earthquake Severe Overlay and Coastal Severe Overlay Coastal Hazard Erosion and Inundation Overlay.