
Fw: Mediation agreement - Topic 19: BCZ

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Kia ora,

I have referred the below email to Judge Reid who responds:

The Court acknowledges Te Rūnanga o Ngāti Waewae, Te Rūnanga o Makaawhio, and Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu (together, Poutini Ngāi Tahu), withdrawals of those appeal points seeking the replacement of the word “manages” with “minimises” in BCZ-O2 and BCZ-P4.

K G Reid

Environment Court Judge

24 July 2026

Ngā mihi,
Sophia



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Sent: Wednesday, 22 July 2026 9:07 am
To: Oscar Wilson <Oscar.Wilson@simpsongrierson.com>
Cc:
Subject: RE: Mediation agreement - Topic 19: BCZ

Thank you for your email Oliver.

I have copied in Sophia Preston-CM-for these matters and I will ask her to put this before the Court for their note and any direction.

Nāku iti noa, nā

Jenni



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Tēnā e te Kōti, otirā, ki a koutou katoa,

On behalf of Te Rūnanga o Ngāti Waewae, Te Rūnanga o Makaawhio, and Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu (together, Poutini Ngāi Tahu), and in accordance with paragraphs [5] and [6] of the signed mediation agreement for Topic 19, Poutini Ngāi Tahu records the withdrawal of those appeal points seeking the replacement of the word “*manages*” with “*minimises*” in BCZ-O2 and BCZ-P4.

The section 274 parties and the Respondent have agreed they have no issues as to costs in respect of these withdrawals.

Please advise if any further steps are required to give effect to these withdrawals, or whether this notice is sufficient.

Kā mihi,
Oscar

Oscar Wilson (he/him)
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Good evening,

Please find attached the signed mediation agreement for Topic 19.

Apologies about the additional blank pages and incorrect page numbering. Tracey would never have let that happen!

Kind regards,
Alice



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