IN THE ENVIRONMENT COURT CHRISTCHURCH REGISTRY

ENV-2020-CHC-000047

IN THE MATTER	of the Resource Management Act 1991 (the Act)
AND	
IN THE MATTER	of an appeal under Clause 14(1) of Schedule 1 of the Act
BETWEEN	Goulding Trustees Limited and Shellfish Marine Farms Limited Appellant
AND	Marlborough District Council Respondent

NOTICE OF PERSON'S WISH TO BE PARTY TO PROCEEDINGS Section 274 of the Act



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- TO: The Registrar Environment Court CHRISTCHURCH
- 1. **Trustpower Limited (Trustpower)** wishes to be a party to the following proceedings:
 - (a) ENV-2020-CHC-000047, Goulding Trustees Limited and Shellfish Marine Farms Limited v Marlborough District Council, an appeal under Clause 14(1) of Schedule 1 of the Act on the Proposed Marlborough Environment Plan (the Plan).
- 2. Trustpower made a submission on the Plan about the subject matter of the proceedings.
- Trustpower is not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308C or 308CA of the Act.
- 4. Trustpower is interested in part of the proceedings.
- 5. The parts of the proceedings Trustpower is interested in are the appellant's reasons for appeal and relief sought with respect to:
 - (a) Policy 7.2.12; and
 - (b) Any consequential amendments or other equivalent relief in relation to the reasons for appeal and relief sought on this matter.
- 6. Trustpower is interested in the following particular issues:
 - (a) The parts of the decision appealed and the appellant's reasons for appeal and relief sought insofar as it relates to matters which may impact Trustpower's hydro-electric power schemes, and changing the Plan in a manner which is inconsistent with Trustpower's own appeal and submission.

- 7. Trustpower neither supports or opposes the relief sought but wishes to monitor the relief sought including for the following reasons:
 - (a) The appellant seeks amendments to Policy 7.2.12 to give recognition to the extent of cumulative effects from existing modifications to the environment when assessing cumulative effects of activities.
 - (b) Trustpower made submissions on and has appealed other aspects of Volume
 1, Chapter 7 (Landscape). The relief sought by the appellant may change the evaluation of effects on landscapes under those provisions.
 - (c) Trustpower therefore wishes to be a party to the appeal so that it may be involved the development of any amendments that may affect Trustpower's interests and to ensure that any relief granted is appropriate and consistent with its submission and own appeal.
- 8. Trustpower agrees to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution of the proceedings.

Signature:

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