## **Proposed Marlborough Environment Plan**

## Minute of the Hearing Panel

## Minute 3BR

On 01 February 2019, the Proposed Marlborough Environment Plan Hearing Panel (the Panel) received a request from Pernod Ricard Winemakers New Zealand Limited seeking additional time to present at the Topic 4: Water Allocation hearing.

In its request, counsel for Pernod Ricard Winemakers New Zealand Limited sought a one hour timeslot in order to adequately present evidence on a topic critical to the company. Further, Pernod Ricard Winemakers New Zealand Limited provided a list of the experts who would be called to speak on the company's behalf.

The Panel was satisfied that the number and expertise of the experts being called to present at the hearing was appropriate.

Due to the above reason, the Panel granted the additional time. Pernod Ricard Winemakers New Zealand Limited would be provided a one hour timeslot at the hearing of Water Allocation.

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