

## Minute from the Hearing Panel – regarding:

### Watercare Services Limited (Watercare) seeking to file supplementary expert planning evidence for the Block 1 Hearing.

Watercare has lodged supplementary expert planning evidence from Mr Scrafton for the Block 1 Hearings. This was received by Mr Rice, the Hearings Coordinator, on the 24 April 2019 and has been loaded on the Hearing website. Watercare is scheduled to be heard before the Hearing Panel (the Panel) at 9 am on Monday 29 April 2019.

The Panel's Hearing Procedures and Directions document (5 November 2018) sets out at section 12 - Late or supplementary evidence (paragraph 60)

*Late or supplementary evidence will only be accepted at a hearing session:*

- a. where circumstances make it necessary for such evidence to be provided;*
- and*
- b. with the leave of the Hearing Panel.*

Watercare will need to seek leave for Mr Scrafton to present the supplementary planning evidence. This would need to address:

- The circumstances that make it necessary for this evidence to be provided; and
- Potential prejudice to other parties from its provision at this point in the Block 1 hearing.

If any other party wishes to be heard on whether Mr Scrafton's supplementary evidence should be received by the Panel, they may either file a memorandum with Mr Rice or appear at the hearing this coming Monday morning.



Greg Hill

Chairman of the Hearing Panel.

25 April 2019