## **Before the Fast-track Panel Convener**

## FTAA-2505-1055

Under	the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 (FTAA)
And	
In the Matter	of an application for resource consents and a wildlife authority by Rangitoopuni Developments Limited Partnership –Rangitoopuni proposed countryside living subdivision and retirement village

Confirmation of Compliance with Code of Conduct and details of Qualifications and Experience

Sharon Tenger on behalf of Rangitoopuni Developments Limited Partnership

Dated 27 August 2025

## Introduction

- My full name is Sharon Tenger. I am a groundwater specialist holding the
  position of Senior Hydrogeologist with ENGEO Limited. I hold the
  qualifications of a Bachelor of Science BSc Hons (Earth Sciences, 1989) from
  Oxford Brookes University, UK (formerly Oxford Polytechnic), and a Master
  of Applied Science MAppSc (Groundwater, 1996) from the University of
  New South Wales, Australia.
- 2. I have 36 years of experience working in the field of hydrogeology and contaminated land. I have provided hydrogeology assessments for numerous investigations and developments across New Zealand, Australia and Switzerland, including potable groundwater supply, consenting hydrogeologically complex contaminated sites for Auckland Council, MfE's Contaminated Site Remediation Fund 'Green Stream' groundwater contaminant plume project, and hydrogeological testing for NAGRA Switzerland's national radioactive waste disposal programme. I have also managed Auckland's State of the Environment groundwater quality research and monitoring programme and been groundwater Expert Witness for mining developments in the Environment Court.
- 3. In support of this fast-track application by Rangitoopuni Developments
  Limited Partnership, I have co-authored the following material lodged in
  support of the application:
  - a. Report titled Groundwater Abstraction: Desktop Study, Forestry Road, Riverhead. Reference 20190.000.001\_18 Rev.1 dated 01 May 2025 included as Appendix [Y] to the Rangitoopuni Assessment of Environmental Effects.

## **Code of Conduct**

- 4. Although this is not a hearing before the Environment Court, I confirm that:
  - a. I have read and am familiar with the Environment Court's Code of Conduct for Expert Witnesses as specified in the Environment Court's Practice Note 2023 (Code); and
  - b. The reports referred to above co-authored by me:
    - i. Are within my area of expertise (except where I state that I rely upon the technical reports of other expert witnesses provided in support of the application);
    - ii. Have been prepared in accordance with the Code; and
    - iii. I have not omitted to consider any material facts known to me that might alter or detract from the opinions expressed.

Sharon Tenger

27 August 2025