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Expert Panel
Sunfield Fast-track Application
FTAA – 2503 -1039

Sunfield Fast-track Application: Response to Minute 5 of the Expert Panel

I, Rhys Hegley of Hegley Acoustic Consultants Limited, confirm that the report I prepared for the Sunfield Fast-track Application, being the Peer Review of the Sunfield Assessment of Noise Effects, was prepared in accordance with the Environment Court Practice Note 2023 (Code of Conduct for Expert Witnesses).

As requested by the Expert Panel, details of my qualifications and relevant experience accompany this letter.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Rhys Hegley', is written over a light blue circular stamp. The stamp contains some illegible text and a central emblem.

Rhys Hegley
Director
Hegley Acoustic Consultants Limited



Rhys Hegley

Principal, Hegley Acoustic Consultants

ACOUSTIC ENGINEER

Qualifications:

BE (Civil), Auckland University	1993
Chartered Professional Engineer, International Professional Engineer	2007
Member of Institute of Professional Engineers NZ	

Employment

1993 - 1996	Dainty Alderton & Associates as civil engineer. Included the design and construction and residential, retail and commercial developments
1996 - 2000	Structural engineering in UK specialising in the design of high rise Towers in the Far East and the refurbishment of central London commercial buildings.
2000 to date	Acoustic consultant in private practice.

Additional Training:

- Specialist course on traffic noise modelling in Boston
- Specialist course in aircraft noise modelling in Canberra
- Research into the effects of road surface on traffic noise

Relevant Experience

Conduct environmental noise and vibration surveys for industrial and local government clients. Predict noise and vibration from a broad range of activities, including quarries, mines, and cleanfills, industrial and commercial developments, dairy factories, power stations, entertainment venues, roads, airfields, and helipads. Prepare technical assessments to support resource consent applications and notices of requirement for hearings before local authorities, the Environment Court, District Court, and Boards of Inquiry.