

Your Comment on the Mt Iron Junction draft conditions and decision (if applicable)

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Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments on the draft conditions and draft decision, as provided for under section 70 of the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024.

Otago Regional Council (ORC) has reviewed the draft conditions for land use consent RMFT26.001.01 and discharge permit RMFT26.001.02 and considers them acceptable, subject to the four minor drafting matters set out below. ORC has no comments on the draft decision.

These are internal errors in the draft conditions rather than points of substance. The first three are cross-references that link to the wrong condition. The final error appears to be an incomplete list.

ORC's suggested amendments are shown in [red tracked changes](#), with insertions underlined and deletions struck through.

Condition	Draft wording	ORC Comment
RMFT26.001.01 Condition 13(c)	c) <i>The outcome of these inspections must be included in the Monthly Environmental Report referred to in Condition ~~(+514)~~.</i>	This condition refers to condition 15 of RMFT26.001.01 for the Monthly Environmental Report. The Monthly Environmental Report is required by condition 14 of RMFT26.001.01.
RMFT26.001.02 Condition 9	9. <i>Records of all discharge monitoring in accordance with this consent must be kept on site and compiled and submitted to Otago Regional Council as part of Monthly Environmental Report required by Condition ~~(+514)~~ of Land Use Consent RMFT26.001.01 and otherwise supplied any other time upon request.</i>	This condition refers to condition 15 of RMFT26.001.01 for the Monthly Environmental Report. The Monthly Environmental Report is required by condition 14 of RMFT26.001.01.
RMFT26.001.02 Condition 10(d)	d) <i>A record of the complaints must be submitted to the Otago Regional Council along with the Monthly Environmental Report required by Condition ~~(+514)~~ of Land Use Consent RMFT26.001.01, or within 24 hours if requested by the Otago Regional Council.</i>	This condition refers to condition 15 of RMFT26.001.01 for the Monthly Environmental Report. The Monthly Environmental Report is required by condition 14 of RMFT26.001.01.
RMFT26.001.02 Condition 8(b)(iv)	b) <i>A comprehensive Environmental Incident Report must be provided to the Otago Regional Council within 10 working days of the notification of the exceedance. This report must include:</i> ... iii. <i>the management responses and remedial action undertaken so far;</i> iv. <i>actions that may be necessary to prevent any further limit exceedances occurring; and</i> <u><i>v. identify remedial action that may be necessary, and confirmation of its implementation.</i></u>	The list finishes at clause (iv) with the conjunction 'and', but there is no following item. ORC's proposed condition 8 in Appendix 1 to its section 53 comments included a further clause requiring the report to identify remedial action that may be necessary, and confirmation of its implementation. It appears the clause has been lost rather than deliberately removed. ORC recommends that clause be reinstated. If no further clause is intended, the conjunction 'and' should be deleted so the list closes at clause (iv).