



MINUTE 7 OF THE EXPERT PANEL

Late Invitation to Comment in relation to Wildlife Approval Sought Kings Quarry [FTAA-2502-1018]

(7 October 2025)

- 1) The purpose of this Minute is to advise that due to an administrative error the authorities required to be consulted when a wildlife approval is sought as part of an application under clause 4 of Schedule 7 of the Fast Track Approvals Act were not invited to comment.
- 2) This error has been corrected by sending invitations to these parties to comment today. These parties are;
 - New Zealand Conservation Authority
 - Auckland Conservation Board
 - NZ Fish and Game
 - The Game Animal Council
- 3) The Panel makes a further correction. Due to an oversight, The Royal Forest and Bird Protection Society of New Zealand Inc ("Forest & Bird") was not initially invited to comment. To clarify, Forest & Bird is invited to comment, and an invitation will be sent to Forest & Bird today.

Chris Simmons Expert Panel Chair