
**MINUTE 8 OF THE KAIMAI HYDRO-ELECTRIC
POWER SCHEME EXPERT PANEL**

**Request for information – comments on Memorandum of Counsel for the
Applicant in response to Minute 7**

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9 April 2026

- [1] On 2 April 2026, the Kaimai Hydro-Electric Power Scheme Expert Panel (Expert Panel) received a Memorandum of Counsel in response to a request for information made by the Expert Panel in Minute 7 dated 20 March 2026. A copy of the Memorandum can be found here: <https://www.fasttrack.govt.nz/projects/kaimai-hydro-electric-power-scheme-re-consenting/correspondence>.
- [2] If any parties who have provided comments on the Application wish to provide comments on the Memorandum of Counsel, they may do so by emailing their comments to substantive@fasttrack.govt.nz by 5pm, Friday 17 April 2026. Given the legal nature of the matters addressed in the Memorandum the Panel anticipates that many parties will not wish to comment on them.



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