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Fast Track
Ministry for the Environment
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To whom it may concern,

Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 Referral Application: Clevedon Quarry Expansion

Stevenson Aggregates Ltd welcomes the opportunity to submit a referral application for the proposed Clevedon Quarry Expansion under the Fast Track Approvals Act 2024. The application seeks a referral under the Act to enable the subsequent lodgement of a substantive application to authorise the expansion of Stevenson's Clevedon Quarry.

Stevenson has a long-standing history in the Auckland region having operated at Drury Quarry, New Zealand's largest quarry, for over 80 years and is one of New Zealand's leading industry experts in aggregate extraction, processing and distribution. In 2018, Stevenson was acquired by Fulton Hogan and now operates as a division of Fulton Hogan. Following the acquisition, Stevenson took ownership of the existing Clevedon Quarry, located at 546 McNicol Road, Clevedon.

Through the last eight years of managing this quarry, operational efficiencies and constraints have been identified that currently limit the quarry's ability to make a regionally significant contribution to Auckland's growing aggregate demand. Stevenson proposes a staged expansion of Clevedon Quarry that delivers additional resource and a more efficient, practical quarry design than previously approved.

As plans for the expansion have developed, Stevenson has actively engaged with mana whenua representatives as well as the local community and will continue to do so while the design is refined. There is a significant lead time involved in establishing new quarry operations before aggregate material can be provided to market, so Stevenson is seeking to progress the approval process through an efficient and streamlined regulatory pathway.

Stevenson looks forward to working with the Ministry for the Environment and the Minister through this initial referral process.

Yours faithfully,
Ben Hussey

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "BH", is placed below the name Ben Hussey.

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Stevenson Aggregates Limited