

FTAA-2506-1080

Claire Hunter
Director
Mitchell Daysh

Email: s 9(2)(a)

Dear Claire

Request for further information on application for referral of the Clutha Hydro Scheme – Increasing Flexibility and Security of Storage project under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024

The Minister for Infrastructure has received your application for referral of the Clutha Hydro Scheme – Increasing Flexibility and Security of Supply project under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 (the Act) to the Fast-track approvals process.

Under delegation from the Minister and in accordance with section 20 of the Act, I am writing to request the following further information:

1. Please provide further explanation on the relationship between the proposed new consents and the proposed variations to current consent conditions as anticipated by the project, including an explanation on why the proposed new consents would be required in addition to the variations.

If you wish to provide the information requested, you must respond within 20 working days of the date of this request by email to: referral@fasttrack.govt.nz. The Minister is not required to consider information provided outside this time frame.

Before the due date, if you have any queries about this letter, please email referral@fasttrack.govt.nz and refer to the name of the Application Lead – Ben Bunting. If you need assistance with the application portal, please email contact@fasttrack.govt.nz or phone 0800 FASTRK (0800 327 875).

Yours sincerely



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