

## **Item 1: Shotover Wastewater Treatment Plant Enforcement Order Update**

### **PUBLIC EXCLUDED:**

It is recommended that this subject matter is discussed while the public is excluded. This recommendation is made in reliance on section 48(1)(a) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 and the particular interest or interests protected by section 6 or section 7 of that Act which would be prejudiced by the holding of the whole or the relevant part of the proceedings of the meeting in public are as follows:

<i>Section and Grounds</i>	<i>Reason for this recommendation</i>
6(c) to avoid prejudicing the maintenance of the law, including the prevention, investigation, and detection of offences, and the right to a fair trial	The matter is currently before the Environment Court and as the process involves mediation, which is confidential, it is not appropriate for discussion to be held in a Public Forum. As a party to the mediation, Council is bound by the Court's processes and there are consequences where it does not abide.