ENV-2019-CHC-000095

BEFORE	THE	ENVIRONMENT	COURT

## AT CHRISTCHURCH

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IN THE MATTER	of the Resource Management Act 1991 ( <b>the Act</b> )
AND	
IN THE MATTER	of an appeal under clause 14(1) of the First Schedule of the Act in relation to stage 2 of the proposed Queenstown Lakes District Plan
BETWEEN	Henley Downs Farm Holdings Limited and Henley Downs Land Holdings Limited
	Appellant
AND	Queenstown Lakes District Council

NOTICE OF WISH OF RCL QUEENSTOWN PTY LTD, RCL HENLEY DOWNS LTD, AND RCL JACKS POINT LTD TO BE PARTY TO PROCEEDING UNDER S.274 OF THE ACT

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- TO: The Registrar Environment Court CHRISTCHURCH
- RCL Queenstown Pty Ltd, RCL Henley Downs Ltd, and RCL Jacks Point Ltd (together RCL) wish to be party to this proceeding (ENV-2019-CHC-000095), an appeal by Henley Downs Farm Holdings Limited and Henley Downs Land Holdings Limited (Henley Downs) on Stage 2 of the proposed Queenstown Lakes District Plan (PDP).

### NATURE OF INTEREST

- RCL made a submission on Stage 2 of the PDP on 23 February
  2018 and lodged its own appeal on Chapter 29 Transportation of the PDP on 6 May 2019 (ENV-2019-CHC-000022).
- 3. RCL has an interest in the proceedings that is greater than the interest that the general public has because it has significant landholdings within the Jacks Point Zone including an approximately 1750 lot staged subdivision which is currently under construction (refer Annexure A) and which will be directly affected by aspects of the appeal.
- 4. RCL is not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308C of the Act.

### **EXTENT OF INTEREST**

- 5. RCL is interested in <u>part</u> of the appeal.
- RCL is particularly interested in the part of the appeal relating to Chapter 29 – Transportation, Rule 29.4.11 - High Traffic Generating Activity (HTGA).

#### **RELIEF SOUGHT**

- RCL supports the relief sought, (amendment of the HTGA Rule to exclude its application within the Jacks Point Zone), to the extent the relief is consistent with its own appeal (ENV-2019-CHC-000022), because:
  - (a) it would achieve the same outcome for the RCL owned land as deletion of the HTGA Rule in its entirety and would represent an efficient use and management of natural and physical resources;
  - (b) the HTGA Rule is not necessary as the transport effects of new subdivisions and land uses are addressed elsewhere (such as Chapter 27 and specific locality chapters like Chapter 41 – Jacks Point);
  - (c) the HTGA Rule requires developers to go through a further consent procedure when traffic impacts have already been considered at the time of zoning/structure planning the land and/or at the time subdivision/land use consent(s) are issued;
  - (d) for the reasons otherwise set out in the Henley Downs appeal and RCL's own appeal; and
  - (e) as granting of the relief sought would promote the sustainable management of resources and best achieve the purpose of the Act.

### **MEDIATION**

8. RCL agrees to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution.

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## ANNEXURE A – RCL LANDHOLDINGS