In the Environment Court of New Zealand Christchurch Registry

I Te Koti Taiao o Aotearoa Ōtautahi Rohe

ENV-2018-CHC-000082

Under the Resource Management Act 1991

In the matter of an appeal under Clause 14(1) of Schedule 1 of the RMA in

relation to the proposed Queenstown Lakes District Plan

Between Kawarau Jet Services Holdings Limited

Appellant

And Queenstown Lakes District Council

Respondent

Notice of Soho's wish to be party to proceedings pursuant to section 274 RMA

10 July 2018

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To: The Registrar
Environment Court
Christchurch

Soho Ski Area Limited and Blackmans Creek No. 1 (**Soho**) wish to be a party pursuant to section 274 of the RMA to the following proceedings:

Kawarau Jet Services Holdings Limited v Queenstown Lakes District Council (ENV-2018-CHC-000082) being an appeal against decisions of Queenstown Lakes District Council on the proposed Queenstown Lakes District Plan (PDP).

- 2 Soho is a person who made a submission about the subject matter of the proceedings.
- 3 Soho is not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308C or 308CA of the RMA.
- 4 Soho is interested in all of the proceedings.
- Without derogating from the generality of the above, Soho is interested in the following particular issues:

Chapter 3 Strategic Direction

- (a) Insert new strategic policy.
 - (i) Soho supports the relief because the addition of a new strategic policy recognising and providing for the significant socio-economic benefits of tourism activities is an appropriate basis for achieving the purpose of the Act

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- (b) Insert new strategic objective
 - (i) Soho supports the relief in part because the addition of a new strategic policy recognising and providing for the significant socioeconomic benefits of tourism activities is consistent with the growth, development and consolidation of ski area activities within the Ski Area Sub-Zones and facilitates a prosperous, resilient and equitable economy.

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Soho agrees to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution of the proceedings.

Dated this 10th day of July 2018

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