MEMORANDUM



 IN THE MATTER OF
 the Resource Management Act 1991

 AND
 IN THE MATTER OF

 Lake Rotorua Nutrient Management – Proposed Plan

 Change 10 to the Bay of Plenty Regional Water and

 Land Plan under Clause 8B of Schedule 1 to the

Date: 12 October 2016

MEMORANDUM No 2 OF THE HEARING COMMISSIONERS

Formal Application

1. The Hearing Panel has received a letter from Lake Rotorua Primary Producers Collective seeking a deferment of the hearing. We treat that letter as a formal application.

Resource Management Act 1991.

- We note that the request from the Lake Rotorua Primary Producers Collective was filed before we issued Memorandum No 1 which advised that the hearing would now proceed from 13 March 2017. That Memorandum also sets out a timeline for the filing of submissions and exchange of evidence.
- 3. We note that the Letter of Application from the Collective, requests "*deferring the hearing*" but no date or timeline has been proffered. We direct the Collective to explain what is meant by "*deferring the hearing*" by filing with the Committee Advisor an explanation by **26 October 2016**.
- We propose to give all parties, including Council, the opportunity of responding. All parties who wish to respond to the application are to lodge their response with the Committee Advisory Nora Moore - <u>Nora.moore@boprc.govt.nz</u> no later than 5.00 pm on **4 November 2016**.

Retired Judge RG Whiting Chairman For and on behalf of the Hearing Commissioners