NOTICE OF PERSON'S WISH TO BE PARTY TO PROCEEDINGS Section 274, Resource Management Act 1991

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I, Blanche Hohepa-Kiriona, wish to be a party to the following proceedings:

 ENV-2020-AKL-000052 - Direct referral of resource consents to authorise the proposed upgrade of the existing Rotorua Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) and a new discharge of treated wastewater - Lake Rotorua

I am a person who has an interest in the proceedings that is greater than that the general public has because:

- I whakapapa to Te Rotorua nui a Kahumatamomoe and view this taonga as my ancestor;
- I have interests in ancestral Maori land surrounding the lake;
- My whanau view this lake as being a significant part of their health and wellbeing;
- I am a person who made a submission about the subject matter of the proceedings

I am not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308C or 308CA of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am interested in all the proceedings.

I oppose the relief sought because it will still result in the discharge of treated wastewater into Lake Rotorua which I view as environmentally, culturally, economically and socially irresponsible as well as contrary to the Treaty of Waitangi and the Government's plans for freshwater.

I agree to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution of the proceedings.

Signature of person wishing to be a party

22 June 2020

Date

Address for service of person wishing to be a party:

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