

**TRANSITIONAL REGIONAL PLAN
PROPOSED CHANGE ONE TO BECOME OPERATIVE**

The Resource Management Act 1991 made provision for existing instruments such as bylaws and general authorisations made under various acts to become a Transitional Regional Plan.

Under Section 22 of the Water and Soil Conservation Act 1967, ten general authorisations for permitted activities had been made for:

- (1) the abstraction of natural water
- (2) the diversion and discharge of natural water
- (3) sewage tank effluent disposal
- (4) animal effluent disposal onto land
- (5) the discharge of land drainage and aquifer or bore test water
- (6) the discharge of water tracers
- (7) the discharge of cooling waters
- (8) the discharge of stormwater
- (9) the discharge of water from swimming pools, and
- (10) the damming of rivers or streams.

All these instruments were to expire on 1 October 1996. Proposed Change 1 sought to delete this expiry date.

In accordance with Clauses 17 and 20 of the First Schedule of the Resource Management Act, the Canterbury Regional Council, on 17 October 1996, approved Proposed Change One to the Transitional Regional Plan which will become operative on 29 October 1996.