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Austin Bluewater PO Box 16865, Hornby 8441, Christchurch **Attn Michael Boswell** 

Dear Michael,

### **Request for Further Information**

Application Number/s: CRC220011

**Applicant Name: KINGAN INVESTMENTS LIMITED** 

Activity Description: to discharge contaminants to land from an onsite wastewater

system

As you are aware, I have been processing the above resource consent application.

The information listed in Attachment 1 to this letter is requested under Section 92 of the Resource Management Act 1991 (the RMA). As this information is required in order to fully understand the potential effects of the proposal, we are unable to further process the application until it has been supplied.

The options available to you under Section 92A(1) of the RMA are summarised below. A response is required by 9 November 2020. You must choose one of these options.

#### A. Supply the requested information by 29 July 2021

If the information can be easily collated and supplied by this date, please provide it in writing (via email is fine).

## B. Agree in a written notice by 29 July 2021 to supply the information requested

Sometimes technical information will take some time to collate or key contacts may not be immediately available. If you need more time to supply the information requested, please advise me in writing when you can provide the information. You can do this via email or letter.

## C. Refuse in a written notice by 29 July 2021 to supply the requested information

If you choose not to provide the requested information by the above date, or any date subsequently agreed to by the Canterbury Regional Council, then your application must be publicly notified and may be declined.

Public notification enables any member of the public, including potentially affected parties, to submit on your proposal. If submission/s are received on your application, then you can expect a

hearing to be held. Information on <u>the notification process</u> and on the <u>likely costs</u> for notification and a hearing can be found on our website.

Please contact me via email (<u>Kelly.Walker@ecan.govt.nz</u>) or phone (03 367 3569) if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

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Kelly Walker

Senior Consents Planner

#### **ATTACHMENT 1**

## Information Requested under Section 92 of the Resource Management Act 1991

Application Number/s: CRC22011 Date: 09/07/21

# 1. Effect of discharge of nitrate nitrogen and pathogens on nearby groundwater users

Background water quality information from wells in the area suggest that Ministry of Heath Maximum Allowable Values for nitrate nitrogen and pathogens are already exceeded. Properties downgradient of the applicant's site use onsite bores for drinking water and given the elevated contaminant levels within the area:

- a. Please provide an assessment of the effect of the discharge from the maximum proposed volume from all lots on nitrate nitrogen levels in downgradient wells used for drinking water supply.
- b. Please provide an assessment of the effect of the discharge from the maximum proposed volume from all lots on pathogen levels in downgradient wells used for drinking water supply.
- c. Please include the references used to make this assessment and provide separate assessments for the proposed dripline or sand trench land application systems.

## 2. Drinking water supply to properties

Please provide confirmation from Ashburton District Council that these properties will be connected to the reticulated public water supply.