

15 February 2023

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Dear Erin

Request for further information

Response required by: 8 March 2023

Application number(s): CRC213756 CRC214272
Applicant name: Mr A B & Mrs L A Ford
Activity description(s): to take and use groundwater

As you may be aware, Elise Howe is processing the above resource consent application. This information was originally asked for on 13 May 2021. This letter is to formalise that request.

The information listed in Attachment 1 to this letter is hereby 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 **8 March 2023**. You must choose one of these options.

A. Supply the requested information by 8 March 2023

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

B. Agree in a written notice by 8 March 2023 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 8 March 2023 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 the notification process and on the likely costs for notification and a hearing can be found on our website.

Please contact Elise via email elise.howe@pdp.co.nz or phone 021 524 315 if you have any questions.

Ngā mihi,

Tim Johnston

Senior Consents Planner

Attachment 1

Information Requested under Section 92 of the Resource Management Act 1991

Application number(s): CRC213756 & CRC214272

1. Justification of request for uptake of water.

While this application has been in process since 2021, information around reasonable use, water records and related topics has been requested and is required to understand the allocation volumes required under these applications. Please note this information was initially requested in May 2021 and further queried in subsequent years, this letter is to formalise that request.

- a. Please provide past water record data you have collected under consent CRC213756 and CRC214272 or simulated records including explanation of assumptions and justification of the adjustments made to the data.
- b. Please provide further justification of the proposed seasonal use volume for the 2013/2014 and 2014/2015 seasons for application CRC213756 (Previously Consent CRC091638). Including what and when the faulty instantaneous recording occurred and what adjustments were made to the data.
- c. For application CRC214272 please provide further justification for the need for this application and the existing consent CRC030538.3.
- d. Please justify the usage of water for both applications (CRC213756 and CRC214272) as reasonable against any method in schedule 10 of the LWRP.
- e. Please provide a justification of the how irrigation is efficient.
- f. Please provide an assessment against Policy 4.50 of the LWRP and for the reasonable use of water