BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENT COURT AT CHRISTCHURCH I MUA I TE KOOTI TAIAO O AOTEAROA

ENV-2018-CHC-243

UNDER The Resource Management Act 1991

(Act)

IN THE MATTER of an appeal under clause 14(1) of

Schedule 1 of the Act

BETWEEN DIRECTOR GENERAL OF

CONSERVATION

Appellant

AND DUNEDIN CITY COUNCIL

Respondent

NOTICE OF TRANSPOWER NEW ZEALAND LIMITED'S WISH TO BE A PARTY TO PROCEEDINGS

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To: The Registrar

Environment Court

Christchurch

Transpower New Zealand Limited (Transpower) gives notice that it wishes
to be a party to the appeal by Director General of Conservation (DOC) against
a decision of the Dunedin City Council on the Dunedin 2GP District Plan
(2GP).

2. Transpower is a person who made a submission about the subject matter of the proceedings (submissions 806 and 2453). Transpower either made a submission on the provision appealed, or the appeal points concern the same topics and issues that are prevalent throughout its submissions.

Transpower is also a person who has an interest in the proceedings that is greater than the public generally for the reasons set out in its Appeal (ENV-2018-CHC-249) at paragraphs 5 to 10.

Transpower is not a trade competitor for the purposes of 308C or 308CA of the Resource Management Act 1991.

Transpower is interested in the part of the proceedings that may or will affect its ability to operate, maintain, develop and upgrade the National Grid, as set out in **Appendix A**. Transpower's position on the amendments sought by DOC is also set out in **Appendix A**.

6. The general reasons for Transpower's interest in the proceedings are set out in its Notice of Appeal at paragraphs 13 to 15.

7. Transpower agrees to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution of the proceedings.

DATED this 31st day of January 2019

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Appendix A

Parts of the proceeding that Transpower is interested in

PROVISION APPEALED BY DOC	RELIEF SOUGHT BY DOC Additions shown with <u>underline</u> text and deletions shown with <u>strikethrough</u> on the Decisions version of the 2GP.	POSITION ON RELIEF
Chapter 10 Natural Environment		
Policy 10.2.3.2	Delete the exceptions from the policy as set out in DOC's Notice of Appeal.	Interested, in so far as these amendments may have implications for the National Grid if Transpower does not achieve it primary relief.