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

AT CHRISTCHURCH

ENV - 2018 - CHC - 277

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IN THE MATTER of the Resource Management Act 1991

AND

IN THE MATTER of an appeal under clause 14(1) of the First Schedule of the Act

in relation to the Proposed Dunedin City District Plan

BETWEEN Aurora Energy Limited

Appellant

AND Dunedin City Council

Respondent

NOTICE OF DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF CONSERVATION'S WISH TO BECOME A PARTY TO PROCEEDINGS

Section 274 Resource Management Act 1991

Department of Conservation

Planning, Permissions and Land Department of Conservation Private Bag 4715 Christchurch 8140

Phone: 03 371 3700 Solicitor: Pene Williams **To:** The Registrar

Environment Court

Christchurch

- I, Lou Sanson, Director-General of Conservation (the Director-General) wish to be a party to an appeal against part of the decision of the Dunedin City Council on the Proposed Dunedin City District Plan (the proposed Plan) by **Aurora Energy Limited** (the appellant), ENV – 2018 – CHC – 277.
- 2. I made a submission¹ and a further submission² on the proposed Plan.
- 3. I am not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308C or section 308CA of the Resource Management Act 1991 (RMA).
- 4. I am interested in part of the appeal.
- 5. My interests are as follows:

Policy 10.2.3.2

- 5.1. I oppose the relief sought by the appellant as it:
 - 5.1.1. Fails to give effect to the New Zealand Coastal Policy Statement 2010 as required by section 75 of the RMA, in particular: Objective 2 and Policy 13.
 - 5.1.2. Fails to give effect to the Partially Operative Otago Regional Policy Statement 2019 as required by section 75 of the RMA, in particular: Policy 4.3.4.
- 6. I agree to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution of the proceedings.

Dated the 31 of January 2019

Andy Roberts, Director Operations, Eastern South Island Region

Pursuant to delegated authority from the Director-General of Conservation³

SAR-04-81-04 Aurora Energy Limited - proposed Dunedin City District Plan (2GP) - s274 joining notice - DOC-5689995

¹ Submission of Director-General of Conservation dated 24 November 2015, reference 949

² Further submission of Director-General of Conservation dated 3 March 2016, reference 2379

³ A copy of the Instrument of Delegation may be inspected at the Director-General's office at Conservation House /Whare Kaupapa Atawhai, 18-32 Manners Street, Wellington 6011

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