

Otago Regional Council
DIRECTIONS OF THE COMMISSIONERS
MP4 Resource Consent Applications

- [1] By way of a Memorandum dated 13 October 2025, counsel for Oceana Gold (New Zealand) Limited (**OGNZL**) sought that the Hearing continue to be adjourned to enable to further consideration of the recommendations in the council's Section 42A Reports and ongoing engagement with Kā Rūnaka.
- [2] Counsel undertook to provide a further Memorandum by 11 November 2025 updating their position.
- [3] In response to our Minute 4, Counsel advised that OGNZL agreed with the commissioners that it would be difficult to complete a Hearing by 2 December 2025. OGNZL consequently agreed to a further extension of time to complete the Hearing and undertook to advise on that in its pending 11 November 2025 Memorandum.
- [4] Accordingly:
 - a) the Hearing remains postponed until further notice; and
 - b) a further Minute setting out a revised Hearing commencement date and an associated revised timetable for the circulation of evidence and legal submissions will be issued in due course.



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On behalf of the commissioners
15 October 2025