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Dear Submitter

PLAN CHANGE A3 (WOODBURNERS): NOTICE OF DECISION

Council resolved to appoint an Independent Hearing Panel to hear and make decisions on submissions on proposed Plan Change A3 (Woodburners) to the Nelson Air Quality Plan. These decisions, by Commissioners Richard Fowler (Chair), Christine Foster, John Iseli and Glenice Paine, have now been received by Council and are being publicly notified in the Nelson Mail on 15 July 2016.

Please find attached the following documents:

- PCA3 Public Notice of decision
- PCA3 Decision

This is formal service of the Council's decision as required by Clause 11(1) of the First Schedule of the Resource Management Act 1991 (RMA).

Clause 14(4) of the First Schedule of the RMA provides for any submitter or further submitter to appeal any provision or matter **<u>that is the subject of their</u> <u>submission</u>** to the Environment Court. Appeals must be lodged within 30 working days of receiving this notice with:

> The Registrar Environment Court PO Box 5027 Lambton Quay Wellington

The RMA requires that copies of the appeal must also be served upon:

- Nelson City Council (to be served within 30 working days of receiving this letter), and
- Other submitters and further submitters to the same topic of the proposed plan change (to be served within 5 working days of lodging your appeal notice with the Environment Court).

The RMA defines a "working day" as any day except:

a) a Saturday, Sunday, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Anzac Day, Labour Day, the Sovereign's birthday and Waitangi Day, and

b) a day in the period beginning on 20 December and ending with 10 January in the following year.

An Environment Court guide to lodging an appeal can be viewed at:

<u>www.courts.govt.nz/courts/environment-court</u> and <u>http://www.mfe.govt.nz/publications/rma/everyday-guide-rma-your-guide-environment-</u> <u>court</u>

A copy of the Commissioner's decisions and public notice advising these decisions is also available for viewing at:

- Nelson City Council, Main Reception, Ground Floor, Civic House, 110 Trafalgar Street, Nelson;
- online at <u>www.ncc.govt.nz</u> (search phrase: 'Plan Change A3 Decision');
- Elma Turner Library, Halifax Street, Nelson;
- Nightingale Library Memorial, Tahunanui; and
- Stoke Library, Putaitai Street, Stoke.

If you have any enquiries please do not hesitate to contact myself on (03) 265 6930 or <u>chantel.deru@ncc.govt.nz</u>

Yours sincerely

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