IN THE MATTER OF

the Resource Management Act 1991

**AND** 

IN THE MATTER OF

Hamilton City Council's PC9 - Historic Heritage and Natural

**Environments** 

## RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ACT 1991 MINUTE #7 INDEPENDENT HEARING PANEL

## **PURPOSE**

1. The purpose of Minute #7 is to record the Panel's decision on an oral request by counsel for the Council on Day 1 of the Hearing for an extension in time to file opening legal submissions on Session 1: Topic 3 - Historic Heritage Areas.

## **MINUTE**

- 2. Panel Direction #1 dated 2 December 2022 required the filing of all opening legal submissions by Wednesday 17 May 2023.
- 3. Council filed its opening legal submission for Topics 1: Notable Trees and Topic 2: Significant Natural Areas on 17 and 19 May 2023 respectively.
- 4. On day 1 of the hearing, 22 May 2023, Council sought leave for an extension for its opening legal submissions on Topic 3: Historic Heritage Areas until 9am Wednesday 24 May 2023.
- 5. The Panel considered that request and agreed to the extension as that still provides submitters with at least 3 working days before that topic is due to be heard starting Monday 29 May 2023.
- 6. Paragraph 9.g) of Direction #1 is amended and all parties are to be advised accordingly.
- 7. Any queries or correspondence related to this Direction should be sent through to the Hearing Coordinator, Steve Rice at: steve@riceres.co.nz.

David Hill (Chairperson)
Independent Hearing Panel

and Hill

22 May 2023