

**In the Environment Court
I Mua I Te Kōti Taiao O Aotearoa
Christchurch Registry
Ōtautahi Rohe**

ENV-2020-CHC-000064

In the matter of the Resource Management Act 1991
And in the matter of an application under Section 274 of the Act

Between

**The Royal Forest and Bird Protection Society of New Zealand
Incorporated**

Appellant

and

Marlborough District Council

Respondent

**Notice of Port Marlborough New Zealand Limited's wish to
be party to proceedings**

8 June 2020

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To: The Registrar
Environment Court
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1. Port Marlborough New Zealand Limited (**PMNZ**) wishes to be a party to the proceedings in ENV-2020-CHC-000064.
2. PMNZ is a person who made a submission about the subject matter of the proceedings and has an interest in the proceedings that is greater than the interest that the general public has as it is the entity responsible for the operation and maintenance of Marlborough's regional port and marina facilities.
3. PMNZ is not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308C of the Resource Management Act 1991.
4. PMNZ is interested in part of the proceedings.
5. PMNZ is interested in the following part(s) of the proceedings:
 - (a) Policy 7.2.6
 - (b) Policy 8.3.6
 - (c) Chapter 8 Introduction (appeal point 13)
6. PMNZ opposes the relief sought because—
 - (a) Policy 7.2.6: This policy should be retained as it appropriately provides for regionally significant infrastructure in the coastal marine area.
 - (b) Policy 8.3.6: Demonstration of a strong likelihood that offsets will be achieved in perpetuity would likely be a very difficult standard to meet and should not be required.
 - (c) Chapter 8 Introduction: The amendments fail to adequately balance the need to provide for infrastructure and activities that provide for the wellbeing of the region and its people.

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



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Dated 8 June 2020

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