

Submitter: Transpower New Zealand Ltd

Submission number: 2101

Submission number	Further submitter name	Further submitter oppose/support	Summary of decision requested	Decision	Decision report where this subject matter is addressed
2101.1			Retain Chapter 15: Natural Hazards and Climate Change as proposed except for following points made in this submission.	Accept in part	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
2101.2			Retain the proposed additional wording to 14.1(1).	Reject	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
2101.3			Amend section 15.1(1) to recognise new infrastructure with additional text as follows: “(1) The Natural Hazards chapter manages land use in areas subject to the risk from natural hazards. It identifies areas where certain types of new development will be avoided because of the natural hazards present, but also recognises that there is existing development, including infrastructure and historic heritage, already located on land subject to natural hazards , <u>and that in some circumstances new infrastructure development in natural</u>	Accept in part	Decision Report 29A: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Objectives, Policies, and General Submissions

			hazard areas may be required . These areas [...]”.		
<i>FS3007.1</i>	<i>PowerCo Limited</i>	<i>Support</i>		<i>Accept</i>	
<i>FS3013.1</i>	<i>Carolyn McAlley on behalf of Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga</i>	<i>Oppose</i>		<i>Reject</i>	
2101.4			Retain Objective 15.2.1 - Resilience to natural hazard risk as proposed.	Accept in part	Decision Report 29A: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Objectives, Policies, and General Submissions
<i>FS3007.2</i>	<i>PowerCo Limited</i>	<i>Support</i>		<i>Accept</i>	
<i>FS3010.1</i>	<i>Pam Butler on behalf of KiwiRail Holdings Limited</i>	<i>Support</i>		<i>Accept</i>	
<i>FS3027.48</i>	<i>Lucy Deverall on behalf of Horticulture New Zealand</i>	<i>Support</i>		<i>Accept</i>	

2101.5			Retain Policy 15.2.1.1 on the basis that Policy 15.2.1.4 and Policy 15.2.1.5 are also retained (subject to amendments requested in other submissions).	Accept in part	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
<i>FS3034.38</i>	<i>Mercury NZ Limited</i>	<i>Support</i>		<i>Accept</i>	
2101.6			Retain Policy 15.2.1.2 on the basis that Policy 15.2.1.4 and Policy 15.2.1.5 are also retained (subject to amendments requested in other submissions).	Accept in part	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
2101.7			Amend Policy 15.2.1.4 to provide for the development of new infrastructure and utilities in areas not considered to be of significant risk (for example, flood plain management areas and flood ponding areas). OR If this relief is not supported then Retain Policy 15.2.1.4 and Amend Policy 15.2.1.5 to provide for the development of new infrastructure and utilities in hazard areas not considered to be of significant risk.	Accept in part	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
<i>FS3013.2</i>	<i>Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga</i>	<i>Oppose</i>		<i>Reject</i>	
<i>FS3014.3</i>	<i>WEL Networks Limited</i>	<i>Support</i>		<i>Accept</i>	

2101.8			Amend 15.2.1.5(a) - Existing infrastructure and utilities in all areas subject to natural hazards as proposed as follows: (a) Provide for the operation, <u>repair</u> maintenance, <u>replacement</u> and minor upgrading of existing infrastructure and utilities in all areas subject to natural hazards. Or If including upgrading is not supported and the reference to 'minor upgrading' is to be retained, include 'upgrading' within Policy 15.2.1.4.	Accept in part	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
FS3006.1	Genesis Energy Limited	Support		Accept	
FS3010.2	KiwiRail Holdings Limited	Support		Accept	
FS3014.4	WEL Networks Limited	Support		Accept	
2101.9			Amend Policy 15.2.1.10(a) by adding new (iv) as follows: "(a) Control subdivision, use and development in areas identified as Defended Areas adjacent to the Waikato River by: (i)[...]; and <u>(iv) recognising the functional needs and operational needs of the National Grid.</u> "	Accept	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
FS3020.32	Shand Properties Limited	Support		Accept	

2101.10			Amend Policy 15.2.1.22(a) as follows: “(a) On land <u>identified as</u> potentially prone to liquefaction, ensure that: (i) ...”. OR Amend Policy 15.2.1.22(a) as follows: “(a) On land <u>assessed as</u> potentially prone to liquefaction...”.	Accept in part	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
2101.11			Retain Policy 15.2.1.23.	Accept	Decision Report 29D: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Subsidence, Liquefaction and Other Hazards
2101.12			Amend Policy 15.2.3.2(ii)(D) as follows: “(D) provision of renewable energy generation and <u>its connection to the National Grid</u> ; and [...]”.	Reject	Decision Report 29E: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Fire, Climate Change and Definitions
2101.13			Retain Policy 15.2.3.4 (b)(iv).	Accept	Decision Report 29E: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Fire, Climate Change and Definitions
2101.14			Amend Policy 15.2.3.5 to confine its scope of application to resource consents for activities and natural hazards that are of relevance.	Reject	Decision Report 29E: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Fire, Climate Change and Definitions
<i>FS3013.3</i>	<i>Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga</i>	<i>Oppose</i>		<i>Accept</i>	

2101.15			Add to Section 15.3(c) new (iii) as follows: <u>“(iii) any activity which is a regulated activity under the National Environmental Standards for Electricity Transmission 2010 (NESETA)”</u> .	Reject	Decision Report 29A: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Objectives, Policies, and General Submissions
2101.16			Amend Rule 15.4.1 P5 as follows: “P5 – <u>Operation</u> , construction, replacement, repair, maintenance, minor upgrading or upgrading of utilities.”	Reject	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
<i>FS3010.4</i>	<i>KiwiRail Holdings Limited</i>	<i>Support</i>		<i>Reject</i>	
2101.17			Amend Rule 15.4.1 P6 as follows: “P6 – Earthworks associated with <u>operation</u> , construction, replacement, repair, maintenance, minor upgrading or upgrading of utilities, including the formation and maintenance of access tracks.”	Reject	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
<i>FS3010.5</i>	<i>KiwiRail Holdings Limited</i>	<i>Support</i>		<i>Reject</i>	
2101.18			Amend Rule 15.5.1 P1 (1) as follows: “P1 (1) <u>Operation</u> , r repair, <u>replacement</u> , maintenance or minor upgrading of existing utilities , <u>including associated earthworks and the formation and maintenance of access tracks</u> .”	Accept in part	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas

FS3002.1	<i>Spark New Zealand Trading Limited</i>	<i>Oppose</i>		<i>Reject</i>	
FS3014.6	<i>WEL Networks Limited</i>	<i>Support</i>		<i>Accept</i>	
2101.19			Amend Rule 15.5.2 RD1 as follows: “(1) New utilities not provided for in Rule 15.5.1 P1(2), <u>including associated earthworks and the formation and maintenance of access tracks.</u> (2) Upgrading of existing utilities not provided for in Rule 15.5.1 P1(1), <u>including associated earthworks and the formation and maintenance of access tracks.</u> ”	Accept in part	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
FS3002.2	<i>Spark New Zealand Trading Limited</i>	<i>Oppose</i>		<i>Reject</i>	
2101.20			Retain Rule 15.6.1 (a)	Accept	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas

2101.21			Retain Rule 15.6.3 D2	Accept	Decision Report 29B: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Flood Hazards, and Defended Areas
2101.22			Amend Section 15.12.1 - Liquefaction – Overview of methods to clarify that the requirement to assess and address liquefaction risk does not apply to all resource consents only to specifically identified subdivision, multi-unit, and comprehensive development activities.	Reject	Decision Report 29D: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Subsidence, Liquefaction and Other Hazards
2101.23			Amend rule 15.12.2 by adding matters of restricted discretion to clarify that the requirement to assess and address liquefaction risk does not apply to all resource consents only to specifically identified subdivision, multi-unit, and comprehensive development activities.	Accept in part	Decision Report 29D: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Subsidence, Liquefaction and Other Hazards
<i>FS3033.4</i>	<i>Kainga Ora - Homes and Communities</i>	<i>Oppose</i>		<i>Reject</i>	
2101.24			Amend rule 15.12.3 by adding matters of restricted discretion to clarify that the requirement to assess and address liquefaction risk does not apply to all resource consents only to specifically identified subdivision, multi-unit, and comprehensive development activities.	Accept in part	Decision Report 29D: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Subsidence, Liquefaction and Other Hazards

FS3033.5	<i>Kainga Ora - Homes and Communities</i>	<i>Oppose</i>		<i>Reject</i>	
FS3027.49	<i>Horticulture New Zealand</i>	<i>Support</i>		<i>Accept</i>	
2101.25			Retain definition for “Minor upgrading” in Section 15.14 - Definitions as proposed.	Accept	Decision Report 29E: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Fire, Climate Change and Definitions
2101.26			Amend the definition of “Utility” in section 15.14 - Definitions by adding text to para (1)(a) as follows; “(a) transmission lines and <u>substations</u> , electricity distribution lines, and associated equipment; and” [...]	Accept in part	Decision Report 29E: Natural Hazards and Climate Change – Fire, Climate Change and Definitions
FS3021.6	<i>Counties Power</i>	<i>Support</i>		<i>Accept</i>	