Before the Queenstown Lakes District Council

In the matter of

The Resource Management Act 1991

And

The Queenstown Lakes District Proposed District Plan Topic 13 Queenstown Mapping – Group 1B (Queenstown Urban (Frankton and South))

SUMMARY LEGAL SUBMISSIONS FOR

Hansen Family Partnership (#751) FII Holdings (#847) Peter and Margaret Arnott, Fernlea Trust (#399) The Jandel Trust (#717) Universal Developments Limited (#177)

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Introduction

- These summary legal submissions are presented on behalf of the group of five landowners identified on the front cover page of these submissions (Submitters) in respect of Topic 13 of the Proposed Queenstown Lakes District Plan (PDP).
- Joint case on behalf of five unrelated submitters who lodged unrelated submissions relating to different areas of land:
 - (a) Consultation;
 - (b) Variety of objectives;
 - (c) BMU zoning;
 - (d) Compare with Gorge Road BMU Zone.
- 3 Location big picture.
- 4 Scope 'clean sheet of paper'.
- Three primary considerations advanced by Council witnesses in opposition to full rezoning of the Site, all of which are challenged:
 - (a) ONL boundary, and related landscape considerations;
 - (b) Impacts on SH6 Roundabout;
 - (c) Lack of 'need' for more commercially zoned land.
- 6 ONL and landscape considerations refer:
 - (a) Excerpts from C180/99 (Attachment A);
 - (b) Excerpt from C169/2000 (Attachment B)
 - (c) Ms Banks' [annotated] Exhibit 13.1A (Attachment X):
 - (d) Hansen Family Partnership 4 lot consent RM 151046 (Attachment C) –
 Note/ Condition 15(c) and Subdivision Plan;
 - (e) Full C180/99 Appendix II;
 - (f) Excerpt from C180/99 Appendix II (Attachment D).

- 7 The Submitters' case is that full rezoning of the Site is appropriate, regardless of the ONL boundary outcome.
- 8 Traffic impacts on SH6 Roundabout:
 - (a) Kimberly Banks' position 1,150 residential units would have 'minimal' effects on SH6 Roundabout;
 - (b) Andy Carr's position 1,075 residential units would constitute 'negligible risk' to SH6 Roundabout;
 - (c) Will development ever reach Andy Carr's threshold?
 - (d) Critical issue is extent of traffic generation, not the zoning which generates the traffic;
 - (e) Rule 16.5.11.3 fully addresses this issue (refer Legal Submissions paragraph 84 commencing on page 23).
- 9 Alleged lack of 'need' for additional commercial zoning:
 - (a) While 'need' may be a significant factor in favour of zoning, it is not a significant factor (and may not be a factor at all) against zoning;
 - (b) Council's DCM analysis demonstrates well over 30 years' of residential zoning capacity but demonstrates a shortage of commercial zoning capacity after 20 years increasing to 16.1ha shortage in the Wakatipu Area within 30 years (by 2048);
 - (c) Refer Legal Submissions relating to NPSUDC.
- 10 Issue of future internal roading links:
 - (a) Comment on QLDC/NZTA planning for roads;
 - (b) Refer Attachments E, F and GG;
 - (c) Refer Submission to 2017 Annual Plan Attachment H;
 - (d) Road design plan Attachment Y;
 - (e) Refer recent announcement regarding Tucker Beach Road/SH6 intersection;
 - (f) Overall comment.

- 11 QAC evidence requesting restrictions outside the OCB:
 - (a) Support Council's position that PC35 addressed this issue;
 - (b) If QAC wanted to revisit PC35 the opportunity was available to do so on an evidentiary basis;
 - (c) Crosswind runway factor.
- 12 Comment on Council's proposed zoning outcome:
 - (a) Traffic impacts of 1150/1075 residential units v proposed 646 residential units (query likelihood at 87 residential units per hectare);
 - (b) Refer certain roading outcome;
 - (c) Effect of roading on Council's recommended ONL:
 - (d) Predicted shortage of commercially zoned land Refer Ms Banks' Figure 3 (Attachment I);
 - (e) Refer Attachment X UGB;
 - (f) Refer likely future consent debate DPR zoning should seek to prevent that;
 - (g) Refer HIF Application Attachment GG;
 - (h) Comment on equity.
- 13 Comments on Kimberly Banks' recommended provisions, particularly in relation to roading link to Hansen Road.

Note: Correct paragraph 105 on page 28 Legal Submissions.

Dated this 15th day of August 2017

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