

UPPER CLUTHA ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIETY (INC.)

PROPOSED DISTRICT PLAN –NON-COMPLYING STATUS

To: Mr. D Nugent
Chairman
District Plan Review Hearing Panel

Dear Sir,

Further to my cross-examination yesterday I feel that it is urgent to point out a mistake in my responses to questions.

The Society made a further submission (Submitter 608-Darby Planning) in relation to the Proposed District Plan that says the following (only part quoted):

“The changes proposed to S.95A of the Act mean that NO rural residential subdivision and/or development will be able to be publicly notified regardless of adverse effects because they are discretionary activities.

In light of the proposed changes to the RMA the Society is changing its position from that in its Primary Submission and now seeks that all Rural Zone subdivision and development becomes non-complying. The Society would hope that Council would adopt the Society position in this respect because the RMA changes are simply untenable. (This position is contingent on the proposed s.95A becoming law).”

Since making this submission the Society has appeared before the Select Committee considering the s.95A change.

Should any further information on this matter be required the Society would be happy to supply this.

Yours faithfully,

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Secretary/Treasurer
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18th August 2016