

**BEFORE THE QUEENSTOWN LAKES DISTRICT COUNCIL**

**IN THE MATTER** of the Resource Management Act  
1991

**AND**

**IN THE MATTER** of the Queenstown Lakes Proposed  
District Plan

**BY** **AURORA ENERGY LIMITED**

**Submitter No. OS 635**

**HEARING STREAM 5 - UTILITIES**

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**MEMORANDUM OF COUNSEL REQUESTING LATE FILING  
OF EVIDENCE AND SYNOPSIS OF LEGAL SUBMISSIONS**

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**MAY IT PLEASE THE COMMISSIONERS:**

1. Further to Counsel's memorandum regarding the subdivision hearing Aurora requests that it be indulged once more and allowed to file its evidence by 12pm Friday 9 September 2016.
2. The witnesses to be called on Aurora's behalf have some significant capacity constraints including being out of the office for a company leadership conference until Tuesday afternoon and Ms Dowd also having evidence to prepare in relation to the Dunedin City District Plan review prior to filing of the evidence for the Queenstown District Plan Review.
3. Counsel also has some capacity issues as I am now required to attend a hearing in Oamaru on Wednesday and Thursday morning next week due to an unanticipated issue for my client's Queens Counsel who is no longer available. I only became aware of this attendance yesterday. As a result of this I have limited capacity to review draft evidence and prepare the synopsis ahead of the filing date on Monday.
4. Counsel can advise that arrangements are being made to enable Ms Dowd to attend the Utilities Hearing in person.



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**B Irving**

Counsel for Aurora Energy Limited

Date: 1 September 2016