

In the Environment Court of New Zealand  
Christchurch Registry

I Te Koti Taiao o Aotearoa  
Ōtautahi Rohe

**ENV-2018-CHC-000096**

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Under the Resource Management Act 1991

In the matter of an appeal under Clause 14(1) of Schedule 1 of the RMA in relation to the proposed Queenstown Lakes District Plan

Between **Andrew Fairfax and Others**

Appellant

And **Queenstown Lakes District Council**

Respondent

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**Notice of wish to be party to proceedings pursuant to section 274 RMA**

10 July 2018

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**Section 274 party's solicitors:**  
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**To:** The Registrar  
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1 The Aircraft Pilots & Owners Association (**APOA**) wish to be a party pursuant to section 274 of the RMA to the following proceedings:

*Andrew Fairfax and Others v Queenstown Lakes District Council (ENV-2018-CHC-000096)* being an appeal against decisions of Queenstown Lakes District Council on the proposed Queenstown Lakes District Plan (**PDP**).

2 The APOA is a person who made a submission about the subject matter of the proceedings.

3 The APOA is not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308C or 308CA of the RMA.

4 The APOA is interested in all of the proceedings.

5 Without derogating from the generality of the above, the APOA is interested in the following particular issues:

- (a) Amendments sought to provide for more enabling standards applicable to informal airport activities;
- (b) Amendments sought to the noise measurement standards for informal airport activities in Chapter 36;
- (c) Supporting relief to objectives and policies to better recognise and provide for protection of established airstrip activity use, and the establishment of new and appropriate activities.

6 The APOA supports the relief sought because the relief:

- (a) Is consistent with the relief set out in the APOA appeal;
- (b) Will better achieve the higher order provisions of the PDP, the Otago Regional Policy Statement, and Part 2 of the Act.

7 APOA are willing to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution of the proceedings.

Dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July 2018

*Maree Baker-Galloway*

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