BEFORE THE NEW PLYMOUTH DISTRICT COUNCIL INDEPENDENT HEARINGS COMMISSIONER

IN THE MATTER

of the Resource

Management Act

1991

<u>AND</u>

IN THE MATTER

of an application

under section 88 of the Act by K.D.

HOLDINGS

LIMITED to the NEW PLYMOUTH

DISTRICT

COUNCIL for land use consent for a building extension at 39-41

Molesworth

Street, New

Plymouth

RIGHT OF REPLY FOR THE APPLICANT K.D. HOLDINGS LIMITED

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Right of Reply

1. With reference to the Commissioner's Directions/Minute of the

Commissioner #2 LUC23/48350 dated 6 August 2024

(Directions) Steps 1 and 2 therein have now been completed.

2. In accordance with Step 3 of the Directions the Applicant advises

that the materials filed in the context of Steps 1 and 2 are all

satisfactory to the Applicant - and the Applicant reconfirms that

the conditions discussed at the pre-hearing conference (on 6

August 2024) are offered by the Applicant on an Augier basis -

and the Applicant looks forward to working with the Mana

Whenua submitters in the future to address those conditions

once resource consent has been issued.

Concluding comments

3. It is respectfully submitted that all issues raised in the

submissions in opposition (and submitters further evidence

received prior to 6 August 2024) and Officer's S.42A Report

have been thoroughly canvassed in the application, the

applicant's evidence and further evidence and discussions

during the course of the joint expert witness conferencing and

abovementioned pre-hearing conference of 6 August 2024, and

subsequent expert witness conferencing and correspondence.

4. An agreed version of the consent conditions following that

further conferencing by the planning experts have been filed by

the relevant planning witnesses with Council as directed; and

agreed to by all parties.

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5. It is respectfully submitted that those consent conditions now filed provide future certainty for all parties and achieve and promote the sustainable management of natural and physical resources and that the necessary consent can now be granted in the facts and circumstances of this case.

SWA Grieve Counsel for Applicant 19 August 2024