

SUBMISSION ON TRANSPOWER'S NOTICES OF REQUIREMENT AND APPLICATIONS FOR RESOURCE CONSENTS

Section 145 of the Resource Management Act 1991

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Submit to BOTH:

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Please note: you must forward a copy of this submission to BOTH Ministry for the Environment AND Transpower, by any means you wish (post, fax, email)

This submission relates to the notices of requirement and/or applications for resource consent, lodged by Transpower New Zealand Ltd for the North Island Grid Upgrade Project, and identified below.

CLOSING DATE FOR SUBMISSIONS: 5 OCTOBER 2007

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The reasons for my submission are:

I am against the upgrading of the existing Ari-Pak line from 110 kv to 220 or 400kv for the following reasons;

- 1) Visual impact on my local environment
- 2) Affect on Amenity Values for my property and local area
- 3) Adverse impact on health from Electro Magnetic Fields
- 4) Impact on Native vegetation
- 5) Topple effect

In the event that the decision is made to go ahead with the new line, I would request that favourable consideration be made to undergrounding that portion of the lines that cross the Clevedon and Brookby Valleys so as to minimise visual impact and allow for the future growth of those areas.

I support the submission of Underground in Manukau



Ministry for the
Environment
Manatū Mo Te Taiao

I/we seek the following decision from the Board of Inquiry (provide precise details including the nature of any conditions sought):

As above

I/we **wish to be heard** in support of my/our submission at the public hearing. (Remove tick if you do not wish to make a verbal submission at the public hearing)

I/we make my/our submission concerning **all** notices of requirements and applications for resource consents relating Transpower's applications that will be heard by this Board of Inquiry. The references are NORs 27619, L07089, DES0011/07, RMR200621, DN/0006/07, 240/021, RM070209, and resource consents 34102, 34370, 34372, 34373, 34711, 34712, 116902, 116903, 116904, 116905, and any other NORs or resource consent applications that may subsequently be filed or altered. We oppose all of these NORs and applications for resource consent.

I/we have served a copy of my/our submission on the applicant by copy to Transpower as above.

Names(s): John Oates

Date: 03.10.07

(Signature is not required for electronic (email) submissions.
If this is a joint submission by two or more individuals, each individual's name is required.)

