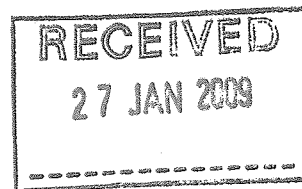


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**FORM 3:
Submission on Proposal for National Policy Statement for Freshwater
Management**

Section 49 of the Resource Management Act 1991.

To: the Chairperson
Board of Inquiry

This is a submission on the following proposed national policy statement (the proposal):

Proposed national policy statement for freshwater management.

The specific provisions of the proposal that my submission relates to are:

Proposed National Policy Statement for Freshwater Management - Objectives 1 -9

My submission is:

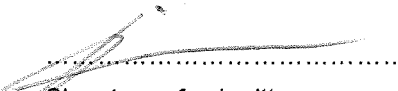
I support the proposal to establish a National Policy Statement for Freshwater Management.

Increasingly water is at the forefront of commercial activity, whether it be for filtration and sale in plastic bottles, or factory processing, used in waste management treatment and cleaning/clearing/dilution of toxins and contaminants. Water is critical to the survival, health and well being of people and their communities.

I seek the following changes to the proposal:

I seek clarification that the term 'fresh water' is considered a reference to and would include the sea and ocean i.e. salt water.

I wish to be heard in support of my submission.


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Signature of submitter

(or signature of person authorised to sign)

22/1/09
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Date

(A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

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