

BOARD OF INQUIRY**Proposed National Policy Statement
for Renewable Electricity Generation****Hearing Proceedings****Board of Inquiry on the proposed NPS for Renewable Electricity Generation**

Hearing day 1: Monday 27 April 2009

Board of Inquiry: Dr Royden Somerville, QC (Chairperson)
Dr Ralph Chapman
Mrs Geraldine Baumann
Mr Wira Gardiner

Board staff: Miss Josie Beruldsen

Venue: Abel Tasman Hotel, Willis Street, Wellington

Hearing commenced at 10:05am

| Time | Details | Representative | Document submitted (Doc ref #) |
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| 10:05 am | Welcome by Chairperson, Dr Royden Somerville, QC | | |
| 10:08 am | Dr Richard Hawke | Ministry of Economic Development | Statement of Caroline Jane Ryder (1) |
| 11:18 am | Morning tea adjournment | | |
| 11:45 am | Andrew Schollum | Ministry for the Environment | Statement of Andrew Schollum (2) Supplementary statement of Andrew Schollum (3) |
| 1 pm | Lunch adjournment | | |
| 2 pm | Andrew Schollum continues | Ministry for the Environment | Proposed National Policy Statement on Freshwater Management (4) |
| 3:23 pm | Hearing adjourned | | |

Reconvene on Monday 11 May 2009 in Nelson.