

Your submission to Clean Water

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What are your thoughts on the proposed swimming targets, for example, on the timeframes and categories?

Notes

the changes to the swimming standards are so confusing no one understands them or knows whether or not they actually do represent an improvement, so you need to start again.

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What do you think about the proposed amendments to the Freshwater NPS?

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I suggest a public inquiry into all aspect of water management as a way forward, chaired by an imminent New Zealander whom we can all trust, and so depoliticise the process, and remove the vested interests from influence the outcomes

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What are your thoughts on the proposed stock exclusion regulation, for example, the timeframes and stock types to be excluded?

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We need to be sure offenders will be held accountable and ensure the resources are in place to police compliance..

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Do you have any other comments on the contents of the Clean Water discussion document?

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As a country so reliant on agri exports, our clean green status is a key point of difference and 'value add' potential that is severely at risk.