

Form 7 – Notice of appeal to Environment Court against decision on proposed policy statement or plan or change or variation

Clause 14(1) of Schedule 1, Resource Management Act 1991

To the Registrar
Environment Court
Auckland, Wellington, and Christchurch

I, *[full name]*, appeal against a decision (or part of a decision) of *[name of local authority]* on the following policy statement (or plan or change or variation): *[state the name of the proposed or existing policy statement or plan or change or variation to which the decision relates]*.

I made a submission on that policy statement (or plan or change or variation).

I am/am not* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308D of the Resource Management Act 1991.

*Select one.

I am/am not† directly affected by an effect of the subject of the appeal that—
(a) adversely affects the environment; and
(b) does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

*Delete entire paragraph if you are not a trade competitor.

†Select one.

I received notice of the decision on *[date]*.

The decision was made by *[name of authority]*.

The decision (or part of the decision) that I am appealing is:
[state—

- *a summary of the decision or part of the decision; and*
- *the specific provision or matter that the decision includes in, or excludes from, the policy statement or plan or change or variation (or that the decision proposes to include or exclude)].*

The reasons for the appeal are as follows:

[set out why you are appealing the decision or part of the decision and give reasons for your views].

I seek the following relief:
[give precise details].

I attach the following documents* to this notice:

- (a) a copy of my submission or further submission (with a copy of the submission opposed or supported by my further submission):
- (b) a copy of the relevant decision (or part of the decision):
- (c) any other documents necessary for an adequate understanding of the appeal:
- (d) a list of names and addresses of persons to be served with a copy of this notice.

*These documents constitute part of this form and, as such, must be attached to both copies of the notice lodged with the Environment Court. The appellant does not need to attach a copy of a regional or district plan or policy statement. In addition, the appellant does not

need to attach copies of the submission and decision to the copies of the notice served on other persons if the copy served lists these documents and states that copies may be obtained, on request, from the appellant.

Signature of appellant
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of appellant)

Date:

Address for service of appellant:

Telephone:

Fax/email:

Contact person: [*name and designation, if applicable*]