

## EXCLUSIVE ECONOMIC ZONE AND CONTINENTAL SHELF (ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS) ACT 2012 (the Act)

### Trans-Tasman Resources Limited iron sand extraction and processing application

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M44 – Minute of the Decision-Making Committee – 16 May 2017

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#### Record of DMC site visit

1. On 3 February 2017, the Decision-Making Committee (DMC) noted in Minute 16 that it would be seeking suggestions from parties at the pre-hearing conference on sites that may assist the DMC in their understanding and determination of the application.
2. Subsequent invitations were made to parties up to and during the hearing, and having considered a number of responses from various parties, on 10 and 11 May 2017, the DMC visited the following sites:
  - a. Port of Whanganui/Whanganui river mouth;
  - b. Castlecliff (Whanganui) beach;
  - c. Kai Iwi beach;
  - d. Waipipi beach;
  - e. Waiinu beach;
  - f. Whanganui;
  - g. Patea;
  - h. Patea beach/Patea river mouth and;
  - i. Pukeoha-Waihi (Hawera) beach.

#### For the DMC:



Alick Shaw  
DMC Chair  
16 May 2017