

PUBLIC NOTICE

OMV GSB Limited application for marine discharge consent (EEZ100018)

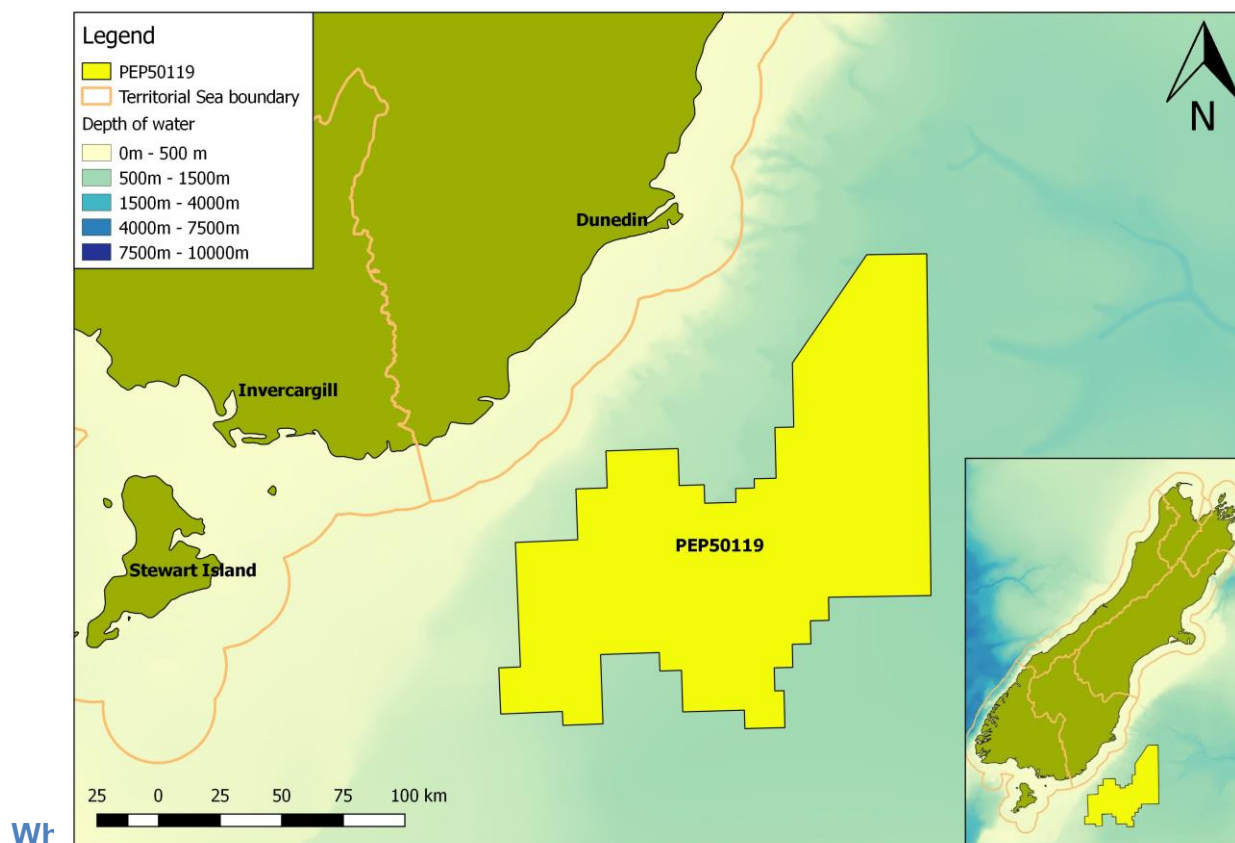
Application for a marine discharge consent to discharge trace amounts of harmful substances from deck drains of a Mobile Offshore Drilling Unit as offshore processing drainage

On 14 February 2019 OMV GSB Limited (OMV GSB) lodged an application with the Environmental Protection Authority (EPA) for a marine discharge consent. In accordance with section 46 of the Exclusive Economic Zone and Continental Shelf (Environmental Effects) Act 2012 (the EEZ Act), the EPA gives notice of this application.

Summary of the application

OMV GSB is applying to discharge trace amounts of harmful substances from the deck drains of a Mobile Offshore Drilling Unit as offshore processing drainage. This discharge will take place within Petroleum Exploration Permit (PEP) area PEP50119 within the Great South Basin. The duration of the consent is until the end of 2030.

Figure 1: Map of PEP50119 within the Great South Basin



OMV GSB's application, and further information on the process, can be viewed on the EPA's website at: www.epa.govt.nz under the Public Consultations > open-for-submission area.

The application can also be viewed in hard copy during normal office hours at:

- EPA Office, Level 10, 215 Lambton Quay, Wellington
- Dunedin City Library, 230 Moray Place, Dunedin

How to make a submission

Anyone can make a submission on the application provided it is in the prescribed submission form. Submission forms are available online or can be downloaded from www.epa.govt.nz > public-consultations > open-for-submission. Submission forms can also be requested by contacting the EPA on 0800 463 697 or via email at omvgsbapplication@epa.govt.nz.

You must also send a copy of your submission to OMV GSB Limited:

- By email at f.nz.submissions@omv.com, or
- By post to OMV GSB Limited, PO Box 2621 Wellington 6140, ATTN: Alan Clare.

Submissions must be received by the EPA no later than **5.00pm on Monday 27 May 2019**.

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Under delegation from the Environmental Protection Authority