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Official Information Act Request

Dear ██████████

Thank you for your official information request received on 15 February 2021 for the following:

"I am requesting under the OIA a list of companies that have breached their consents for offshore dumping and waste disposal in the Exclusive Economic Zone in the past five years. Can you please include the details of each breach i.e type of waste, amount of waste and location."

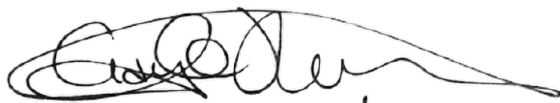
Attached is a table detailing the information the Environmental Protection Authority (EPA) holds on the type and amount of waste, and the dates and location of non-compliance with dumping consents the Exclusive Economic Zone in the past five years.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. You can contact the Ombudsman on 0800 802 602, or by email at info@ombudsman.parliament.nz.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us via ministerials@epa.govt.nz.

We will publish your request and our response on our website, www.epa.govt.nz, within 10 working days from today. We make OIA responses available so others can read more about the work we do and the questions we are asked. Any information that might identify you will be removed to protect your privacy.

Yours sincerely



Gayle Holmes
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Date	Company	Type of waste	Amount of waste	Location ¹	Reason for non-compliance ²	Consent ³
10 May 2016	Coastal Resources Limited	Dredge Soil	348m ³	154m from centre of disposal site (36° 12.424'S / 175° 48.000'E)	Outside of release area	EEZ900012
18 May 2016	Coastal Resources Limited	Dredge Soil	348m ³	140m from centre of disposal site (36° 12.327'S / 175° 48.094'E)		EEZ900012
17 June 2016	Coastal Resources Limited	Dredge Soil	348m ³	249m from centre of disposal site (36° 12.285'S / 175° 48.154'E)		EEZ900012
23 January 2019	Coastal Resources Limited	Dredge Soil	680m ³	183m from centre of disposal site (36° 12.456'S / 175° 47.878'E)		EEZ900012
5 February 2019	Coastal Resources Limited	Dredge Soil	693m ³	3403m from centre of disposal site (36° 13.45'S / 175° 46.19'E)	Outside of disposal area	EEZ900012

Deemed Marine Dumping Consent EEZ900012:

- Purpose: To authorise the disposal, in accordance with Part 180 of the Marine Protection Rules under the Maritime Transport Act 1994, of accumulated sediment and capital dredging sediment by marine dumping to be sourced from marinas and proposed marinas in the Auckland and Waikato region.
- Disposal area: 1500m radius circle centred on 36° 12.3403'S and 175° 48.002'E.
- Release area: within a 100 metres radius of the centre of the disposal area

¹ The disposal area is located 25km east of Great Barrier Island

² The consent requires the release to be within 100 metres radius of the centre of the disposal area

³ Coastal Resources Limited transferred their consent on 2 June 2020 to Marina Consultants Limited