

House of Representatives
Supplementary Order Paper

Tuesday, 8 September 2009

**Resource Management (Simplifying and
Streamlining) Amendment Bill**

Proposed amendments

Rāhui Katene, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

Clause 91, subsection 149J (3)(b)

To amend subsection (3)(b) by inserting “; and” after “Judge” (line 36 on page 139)

Clause 91, new subsection 149J (3)(c)

To insert new subsection (3)(c) (after line 36 on page 139)

“(c) at least one member must be a representative appointed by mana whenua.”

Clause 91, subsection 149P(1)(c)

To amend subsection (1)(c) by inserting “; and” after “be” (line 11 on page 144)

Clause 91, new subsection 149P(1)(d)

To insert new subsection 149P(1)(d) (after line 11 on page 144)

“(d) seek the advice of mana whenua in the matter, and reflect that advice in any decisions or recommendations included in any report released under section 149Q or 149R.”

Clause 91, new subsection 149Q (3)(ba)

To insert new subsection 149Q(3)(ba) (after line 14 on page 146)

“(ba) mana whenua and any other relevant hapū or iwi authorities.”

Clause 91, new subsection 149R(3)(ba)

To insert new subsection 149R(3)(ba) (after line 23 on page 147)

“(ba) mana whenua and any other relevant hapū and iwi authorities.”

Clause 91, subsection 149W(1)

To delete “, but only on a question of law” (line 19 on page 152)

Clause 91, subsection 149W(2)

To delete “, but only on a question of law” (line 22 on page 152)

Explanatory note

This Supplementary Order Paper introduces a number of amendments to Part 6AA that deals with proposals of national significance. Boards of inquiry will be required to include a representative appointed by mana whenua, and will also be required to seek the advice of mana whenua in any matter being considered, and to reflect that advice in any decisions and recommendations they make. Any draft and final reports produced by boards of inquiry will be required to be sent to mana whenua, and any other relevant hapū and iwi authorities. The Supplementary Order Paper removes the limitation applied to appeals, so that appeals against decisions based on merit can be brought before the High Court.
