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To: [Richard O'Reilly](#)
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Subject: RE: Seeking feedback on applications for referral under the COVID-19 Recovery (Fast-Track Consenting) Act 2020
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Dear Richard,

Thank you for your email.

We are working on how to make this as efficient as possible. Each agency has different preferences and so we will note yours and in future send applications to the Ministry of Education directly. Are you the right key contact person or is there another address we should use?

We have attached three applications. We will forward the other two applications later today. These are large files (around 94MB) and so we may need to put them in a drop box format. Do you know if you have a size limit?

Also, we are developing a template for receiving submissions which is intended to help – particularly with agency feedback. We are only expecting high level comments and please feel free to bullet it if needed to meet the 10-day consultation period.

Should you have any questions, please email me or the Fast-Track team (cc'ed here).

Best regards,

Arif

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Hi, as the timeframe for comments is very short, and in keeping with the idea of this whole process i.e. to keep things moving at pace, can you please provide the application and project information on the below applications directly to us at the Ministry.

And in future please attach copies of the application information to emails to the Ministry as well as to the Minister that way we can start preparing any advice for the Minister straight away, rather than having to wait to receive information via Ministerial offices.

Cheers

Richard

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From: Md Arif Hasan [<mailto:MdArif.Hasan@mfe.govt.nz>]

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Subject: Seeking feedback on applications for referral under the COVID-19 Recovery (Fast-Track Consenting) Act 2020

Tēnā koe,

This is a courtesy email to let you know that the Minister for the Environment has made a decision to consult on applications for referral under the COVID-19 Recovery (Fast-Track Consenting) Act 2020.

The projects the Minister is seeking feedback on are:

- Out of scope [REDACTED]
- Northbrook Retirement Village, Wanaka
- Out of scope [REDACTED]
- Out of scope [REDACTED] d
- Out of scope [REDACTED]

The Act requires that the Minister of Education be consulted. The Minister for the Environment sent a letter directly to Hon Chris Hipkins seeking feedback yesterday. Attached is a draft document outlining the referral process, and a draft feedback form should you wish to provide feedback via your Minister. Feedback must be received to Minister Parker's office within 10 working days.

You should receive the relevant application information from your Minister's office. However, if you do not receive them or need more information please do not hesitate to contact me or email at: fasttrackconsenting@mfe.govt.nz.

Nāku noa, nā

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