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From: Meredith Lawry s 9(2)(a)
Sent: Wednesday, 5 June 2024 3:08 pm
To: Listed Projects
Cc: Neil Deans [EXTERNAL] (DOC)
Subject: FW: [IN-CONFIDENCE] FTA107 for feedback

Kia ora,

We don't know of any reason why this project would be ineligible; no public conservation land is directly affected by the project area.

However, the majority of the project area is subject to a DOC conservation covenant and this would require approval. A Wildlife Act authorisation would be needed for any disturbance to lizards.

Presence of archaeological and heritage sites would also require approval separately from Heritage NZ Pouhere Taonga.

This site is also part of the Ngāi Tahu Claims Settlement Act protocol area.

Thanks,
Meredith

From: Listed Projects <ListedProjects@mfe.govt.nz>
Sent: Friday, May 31, 2024 1:21 PM
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Kia ora Neil and Meredith

Please see the application material for listed project application FTA107 Bendigo-Ophir Gold Project.

The application documents are available on the **Teams folder** you have access to. Due to size, we have been unable to attach them here by email.

The applicant indicates approvals will be required under the Wildlife Act and Reserves Act.

We are not clear whether the project extends beyond the proposed area shown in blue on the map, and are seeking clarification from the applicant in that regard. In the meantime, **if you are able to provide any specific comment on the neighbouring PCL shown in the area in respect of clauses 18(f) and (h) of the Fast-track Approvals Bill we would appreciate that.**

Please let us know anything else you're aware of that would render this project ineligible under Clause 18, or any relevant Treaty settlement provisions you are aware of, or any other potential issues with the application from DoC's perspective?

Please provide feedback by **5pm Thursday 6 June**.

Ngā Mihi

Oliver Sangster

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