

Jacob Paget

From: Zen Gerente
Sent: Tuesday, 18 April 2023 1:12 pm
To: Fast Track Consenting
Subject: FW: COVID-19 Recovery (Fast-Track Consenting) Act 2020 – Reimagining Aquaculture – Trials of Novel Aquaculture Structures Project

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From: s 9(2)(a) s 9(2)(a)
Sent: Tuesday, 18 April 2023 12:39 pm
To: Rebecca Perrett s 9(2)(a)
Cc: Zen Gerente s 9(2)(a)
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Thanks Rebecca,

Plant and Food responded quickly with the following statement:

*No there would be no effect on the scope, timing etc due to the animal ethics approval.
We operate under Animal ethics approvals all the time (standard for us!) and the trials would be classed as a 'low grade manipulation' due to the fish enclosure being experimental rather than a standard sea pen.*

I understand that the approval would likely take 4-6 weeks and therefore should be able to be obtained well before PFR wish to undertake biological trials.

Cheers,
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From: Rebecca Perrett s 9(2)(a)
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I can confirm that this was not formally requested by the Ministers. If the applicant has the context to hand to answer that would be great, but it is not needed for us to advise the Ministers further.

Kind regards
Rebecca

Rebecca Perrett

Acting Manager - Fast-track Consenting

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As discussed:

The application details an approval from the Nelson Marlborough Institute of Technology Animal Ethics Committee is required for the trials. Would the approval have any impact on the scope, timing or delivery of your project?

Rebecca Perrett

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