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Subject: Re: BPCT comments Interim Draft Regional Pest Management Plan Minute 6

Dear Hearing Panel and Lochiel.

I know that I am late with my comments and aware that they may not be accepted. Could I say that I did have discussions with the Banks Peninsula Conservation yesterday and I am happy to support the comments below . Kind regards Pam Richardson

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On 20/11/2017, at 15:59, Rebecca Parish < Rebecca.Parish@foodstuffs-si.co.nz > wrote:

Dear Hearing Panel and Lochiel,

Banks Peninsula Conservation Trust provide the following comments in relation to the Draft Regional Pest Management Plan Minute 6 which was issued on 10 November 2017.

Banks Peninsula Conservation Trust(BPCT) wish to express our support for ECAN for taking both a positive and pragmatic approach to goat management within Canterbury. The BPCT supports the drafting of provisions relating to the management of both feral goats and the farming of goats on Banks Peninsula and look forward to these mechanisms assisting in achieving positive outcomes for biodiversity on the Peninsula.

To provide greater clarity and consistency of approach BPCT seek that ECAN include an exemption to the rule to allow for the farming of goats that would provide active regulation of goat farming. Exemption certification could include farm specific effective goat fencing, and effective containment of goats. This would ensure each goat farm on Banks Peninsula had effective fencing and containment management on a site-by-site basis.

With kind regards
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