Your submission to Proposed National Policy Statement for Highly Productive Land



Reference no: 14

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What are the values and benefits associated with existing food growing hubs and how can these be maximised?

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What are the values and benefits associated with highly productive land?

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High productivity, organic matter and low need for imputs.

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Does the RMA framework provide sufficient clarity and direction on how highly productive land should be managed? Why/why not?

No - LOOK at our best soils in MARSHLANDS, BEXLEY, LINCOLN Christchurch, RICHMOND NELSON HAWKES BAY and BOBAY Hills NEAR AUCKLAND being Swamped by an infestation of Urban Housing and inappropriate development - You are twenty years late in this legislation but better late... than never.

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Does the RMA framework provide sufficient clarity on how highly productive land should be considered alongside competing uses? Why/why not?

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NO! It does NOT

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How are values and wider benefits of highly productive land being considered in planning and consenting processes?

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How is highly productive land currently considered when providing urban expansion? Can you provide examples?

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Cheap housing land.

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How should highly productive land be considered when planning for future urban expansion?

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How is highly productive land currently considered when providing for rural-lifestyle development? Can you provide examples?

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Cheap land for intensive housing

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How should highly productive land be considered when providing for rural-lifestyle development?

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Subdivision should be forbidden, unless it is for food production.

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How should the tensions between primary production activities and potentially incompatible activities best be managed? **Notes**

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How can reverse sensitivity issues at the rural-urban interface best be managed?

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Do you agree that there is a problem? Has it been accurately reflected in this document?

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No! Not near urgent enough - We are already twenty years too late with this ACT. As a world according to UN FAA we need to double our food production between now and 2050 - "A piece of Bread will buy a Bag of Gold".

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Are you aware of other problems facing highly productive land?

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Traffic numbers, Roading, Recreational uses.

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Which option do you think would be the most effective to address the problems identified in Chapter Three? Why?

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Are there other pros and cons of a National Policy Statement that should be considered?

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Should the focus of the National Policy Statement be on versatile soils or highly productive land more broadly? Why/why not? **Notes**

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Should the focus of the National Policy Statement be on primary production generally or on certain types of food production activities? Why/why not?

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Do you support the scope of the proposal to focus on land use planning issues affecting highly productive land? Why/why not?

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Should future urban zones and future urban areas be excluded from the scope of the National Policy Statement? What are the potential benefits and costs?

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Should the National Policy Statement apply nationally or target areas where the pressures on highly productive land are greater?

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What would an ideal outcome be for the management of highly productive land for current and future generations?

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Protecting our best most productive food-producing soils

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If highly productive land is to be identified, how should this be done and by whom?

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Lincoln University

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Are the proposed criteria all relevant and important considerations for identifying highly productive land? Why/why not?

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Food production

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What are the pros and cons associated with prioritising highly productive land for primary production?

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Do you think there are potential areas of tension or confusion between this proposed National Policy Statement and other national direction (either proposed or existing)?

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NO

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How should highly productive land be considered when identifying areas for urban expansion?

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Forbidden land

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How should the National Policy Statement direct the management of rural subdivision and fragmentation on highly productive land? **Notes**

Regional Councils should draft rules

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How should the National Policy Statement direct the management of reverse sensitivity effects on and adjacent to highly productive land?

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Leave it to Regional Councils

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How should the National Policy Statement guide decision-making on private plan changes to rezone highly productive land for urban or rural lifestyle use?

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How should the National Policy Statement guide decision-making on resource consent applications for subdivision and urban expansion on highly productive land?

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How should the National Policy Statement best influence plan preparation and decision-making on resource consents and private plan changes?

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Should the National Policy Statement include policies that must be inserted into policy statements and plans without going through the Schedule 1 process? What are the potential benefits and risks?

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What areas of land, if any, should be excluded from the scope of the proposed National Policy Statement? Why?

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