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To: 'Phil.Heatley@parliament.govt.nz'
Subject: Increase Stakeholder Certainty

To: Phil Heatley, Minister of Fisheries and Aquaculture

Dear Phil,

In your presentation to the NZ Sport Fishing Council AGM in New Plymouth you stated that you would;

Increase Stakeholder Certainty

Maximise benefits by providing certainty of action so stakeholders are better placed to make 'investment' decisions.

In respect to the subject of Certainty would please answer the following three questions;

1. Will any changes to the Fisheries Act be required and if so, which sections will need amendment?
2. Will there be any other non legislated changes to the way non-commercial allowances are determined?
3. What specific changes will provide the certainty you anticipate is required to encourage/underpin investment?

In the interests of transparency I would appreciate an electronic copy of your answers so that they can be delivered to our NZSFC members and supporters.

Regards

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