Bovine Tb Rate - Alteration to Differential Special Order

The Wellington Regional Council at its meeting on 26 April 2000 resolved to alter, by way of Special Order, the differential rating system for the purposes of collecting a Works and Services (Bovine Tb Vector Control) Rate.

The differential rating system will classify all rateable property of 10 hectares or greater as falling into one of the following categories:

Category 1 - Operational Areas Land receiving a degree of direct benefit from

Council's Bovine Tb vector control works.

Category 2 - Non-Operational Areas Land receiving indirect benefit from Council's

Bovine Tb vector control works.

Properties in Category 1 will be rated an amount per hectare such as to produce 90% of the total revenue required. Properties in Category 2 will be rated an amount per hectare such as to produce 10% of the total revenue required.

The Special Order and the rolls identifying those properties allocated to classification Category 1 and Category 2 will be available for public inspection in the offices of the Wellington Regional Council at the Regional Council Centre, 142-146 Wakefield Street, Wellington and 34 Chapel Street, Masterton during normal office hours. Any person, upon enquiry in person or in writing addressed to the General Manager, will be advised of the classification to which a particular property will be allocated.

Any ratepayer may, at any time after the confirmation of the Special Order, object to the Council against the allocation of a property to a particular classification

It is proposed that the Special Order be confirmed at the meeting of the Wellington Regional Council to be held at the address below, commencing at 9.30am on 29 June 2000.