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Notice of Motion

Councillor Shaw has given notice of his intention to move the following motion:

New Zealand's Ports and Regional Development

"That the Wellington Regional Council:

- (a) notes recent reports argue for a rationalisation of the port industry,*
- (b) notes that the local government sector has an ownership interest in a number of ports throughout New Zealand and there is a strong national interest in the industry being efficient,*
- (c) agrees that a workshop for all councillors be held on local government's responsibilities in relation to ports and whether there is any action we, as owners, can usefully take at this time.*