

## Online Further Submission

FS46

<b>Further Submitters Name</b>	Paul Quinlan
<b>Further Submitter Number</b>	FS46
<b>Wish to be heard</b>	No
<b>FS qualifier</b>	a person representing a relevant aspect of the public interest (e.g. community group)
<b>FS qualifier reason</b>	I am the convener of the Northland Totara Working Group which represents a wide group of stakeholders promoting the development of native forestry as a new and sustainable land use and industry in the region. The rules of the district plan have potential to significantly hinder or encourage the realisation of this land use option.
<b>Joint presentation</b>	Yes
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## Further submission points

Raw FS number	Original submitter	Related Submission Point	Plan section	Provision	OS Decision Requested	SupportOppose	FS Decision requested	Reasons
FS46.1	Tane's Tree Trust - Northland Totara Working Group	S157.002	General	General / Plan Content / Miscellaneous	Amend the District Plan to allow harvests under Ministry of Primary Industries' approved sustainable forest management plans and permits as permitted activities in all rural zones, Significant Natural Areas and Outstanding Natural Landscapes.	Support	Allow	Clause 3.10 (6) (e) of The National Policy Statement for Indigenous Biodiversity (NPSIB), recently approved by government, makes it clear that harvests under MPI approved SFM Permits and Plans (under the provisions of the Forests Act) should be considered acceptable in SNAs. It follows that they should be treated as Permitted Activities in District Plans.

FS46.2	Tane's Tree Trust - Northland Totara Working Group	S157.003	General	General / Plan Content / Miscellaneous	Amend the District Plan to allow harvests under Ministry of Primary Industries' approved sustainable forest management plans and permits as permitted activities in all rural zones, Significant Natural Areas and Outstanding Natural Landscapes.	Support	Allow	Clause 3.10 (6) (e) of The National Policy Statement for Indigenous Biodiversity (NPSIB), recently approved by government, makes it clear that harvests under MPI approved SFM Permits and Plans (under the provisions of the Forests Act) should be considered acceptable in SNAs. It follows that they should be treated as Permitted Activities in District Plans.
FS46.3	Tane's Tree Trust - Northland Totara Working Group	S157.004	General	General / Plan Content / Miscellaneous	Amend the District Plan to allow harvests under Ministry of Primary Industries' approved sustainable forest management plans and permits as permitted activities in all rural zones, Significant Natural Areas and Outstanding Natural Landscapes.	Support	Allow	Clause 3.10 (6) (e) of The National Policy Statement for Indigenous Biodiversity (NPSIB), recently approved by government, makes it clear that harvests under MPI approved SFM Permits and Plans (under the provisions of the Forests Act) should be considered acceptable in SNAs. It follows that they should be treated as Permitted Activities in District Plans.
FS46.4	Tane's Tree Trust - Northland Totara Working Group	S157.002	General	General / Plan Content / Miscellaneous	Amend the District Plan to allow harvests under Ministry of Primary Industries' approved sustainable forest management plans and permits as permitted activities in all rural zones, Significant Natural Areas and Outstanding Natural Landscapes.	Support	Allow	<p>The SFM Plan and SFM Permit provisions of part 3A of the Forests Act require comment but the Department of Conservation as part of the process. This enables site specific concerns about biodiversity matters or conditions to be incorporated into the details of any approved SFM Plan or Permit.</p> <p>Moreover, the level of protection of forest values including biodiversity under the requirements of SFM Plans is greater than set out in the NPSIB. Therefore, matters of biodiversity management will have been well considered and addressed in any MPI approved SFM Plan or Permit under the Forests Act. Requiring a further process under the RMA would be a double up and at a lesser level of rigor.</p>

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FS46.5	Tane's Tree Trust - Northland Totara Working Group	S157.002	General	General / Plan Content / Miscellaneous	Amend the District Plan to allow harvests under Ministry of Primary Industries' approved sustainable forest management plans and permits as permitted activities in all rural zones, Significant Natural Areas and Outstanding Natural Landscapes.	Support	Allow	The National Policy Statement on Indigenous Biodiversity (NPSIB) specifically addresses harvests under MPI approved SFMPs and acknowledges that they are consistent with maintaining biodiversity. Therefore, not to allow this submission would be inconsistent with the NPSIB, and or cast aspersions on the integrity of the govt ministries involved with administering it.
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