

Attachment B

Relevant sections of the Local Government Act 2002 relating to engagement with Māori and public notification of proposed new community leases

81 Contributions to decision-making processes by Māori

- (1) A local authority must—
 - (a) establish and maintain processes to provide opportunities for Māori to contribute to the decision-making processes of the local authority; and
 - (b) consider ways in which it may foster the development of Māori capacity to contribute to the decision-making processes of the local authority; and
 - (c) provide relevant information to Māori for the purposes of paragraphs (a) and (b).
- (2) A local authority, in exercising its responsibility to make judgments about the manner in which subsection (1) is to be complied with, must have regard to—
 - (a) the role of the local authority, as set out in [section 11](#); and
 - (b) such other matters as the local authority considers on reasonable grounds to be relevant to those judgments.

138 Restriction on disposal of parks (by sale or otherwise)

- (1) A local authority proposing to sell or otherwise dispose of a park or part of a park must consult on the proposal before it sells or disposes of, or agrees to sell or dispose of, the park or part of the park.
- (2) In this section,—

dispose of, in relation to a park, includes the granting of a lease for more than 6 months that has the effect of excluding or substantially interfering with the public's access to the park

park—

 - (a) means land acquired or used principally for community, recreational, environmental, cultural, or spiritual purposes; but
 - (b) does not include land that is held as a reserve, or part of a reserve, under the [Reserves Act 1977](#).

Section 138: substituted, on 28 June 2006, by [section 13](#) of the Local Government Act 2002 Amendment Act 2006 (2006 No 26).