UNDER the Local Government (Auckland

Transitional Provisions) Act 2010 (**LGATPA**) and the Resource Management Act

1991 (**RMA**)

IN THE MATTER of an appeal under section 158(1) of the

LGATPA against a decision of the Auckland Council on a recommendation of the Auckland Unitary Plan Independent Hearings Panel (Hearings Panel) on the proposed Auckland Unitary Plan (Proposed Plan)

AND

IN THE MATTER of Proposed Plan Hearing Topics 011

Regional Policy Statement Rural, 056 and 057 Rural and 038 Contaminated Land

BETWEEN Horticulture New Zealand Incorporated

<u>Appellant</u>

AND Auckland Council

<u>Respondent</u>

AND Federated Farmers of New Zealand

Section 301 party

NOTICE OF DISCONTINUANCE 10 MAY 2017

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Helen Atkins PO Box 1585 Shortland Street AUCKLAND 1140 TO: The Registrar of the High Court at Auckland

AND

TO: Auckland Council

AND

TO: Federated Farmers of New Zealand

This document notifies you that:

- 1. Horticulture New Zealand Incorporated gives notice that it discontinues this appeal.
- 2. The respondent and section 301 party have confirmed that there is no issue as to costs.

DATE: 10 May 2017

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