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SUBMISSION TO THE TRANSPORT AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE ON THE BUILDING (OVERSEAS BUILDING PRODUCTS, STANDARDS, AND CERTIFICATION SCHEMES) AMENDMENT BILL

Thank you for the opportunity to present this submission on the Building (Overseas Building Products, Standards, and Certification Schemes) Amendment Bill.

The Queenstown Lakes District Council (QLDC) seeks to ensure that adequate legal protection is provided for building consent authorities when relying in good faith on standards and certification schemes for overseas building products.

In that regard, QLDC supports the intent of amendments to section 392 of the Building Act 2004 to extend existing protection for building consent authorities from civil proceedings to the use of overseas-certified building products.

QLDC would not like to be heard at any hearings that result from this consultation process.

Thank you again for the opportunity to comment.

Yours sincerely,



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