

## **Attachment A**

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### **Three Waters Reform: Lists of Documents Published on the Department of Internal Affairs (DIA) Websites (June – July 2021)**

#### ***National Evidence Base – 2<sup>nd</sup> June Announcement***

The following documents, published as part of the 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2021 national evidence base information release, are available on the DIA website at:

<https://www.dia.govt.nz/three-waters-reform-programme-national-evidence-base>

1. The Minister of Local Government's 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2021 media release: Reports prove case for urgent water infrastructure reform.
2. Advancing the evidence base: background and FAQ.
3. Local Government Briefing: Three Waters Review: Release of second stage evidence base.
4. Water Industry Commission for Scotland (WICS) final report (Phase 2) – Economic analysis of water services aggregation (and supporting material).
5. Farriersweir Report – Review of WICS methodology and assumptions underpinning economic analysis of aggregation.
6. Beca report – Review of WICS Modelling Phase 2.
7. Deloitte report – Industry Development Study & Economic Impact Assessment (plus A3 summary).
8. Stand and Poor's Rating Evaluation Service.

#### ***Proposed new water services for New Zealand – 30 June announcement.***

The following documents, published as part of the 30 June proposed new water services system announcement, are available on the Department of Internal Affairs website at:

<https://www.dia.govt.nz/three-waters-reform-programme-cabinet-decisions-and-reform-proposals>:

1. The Minister of Local Government's 30 June 2021 media release: Government water reforms build economic resilience and save ratepayers money.
2. A Three Waters Reform Programme Overview (A3).
3. FAQs – Transforming the system for delivering three waters

4. An overview of the proposed water services entities.
5. A report - 'Transforming the system for delivering three water services – the case for change and summary of proposals'.
6. A 'Local Dashboard' – an online tool that allows the user to view summaries of data provided by councils in early-2021 as part of the Three Waters Reform Programme Request for information. The Local Dashboard and associated FAQs are also available from:  
[www.dia.govt.nz/Three-Waters-Reform-RFi](http://www.dia.govt.nz/Three-Waters-Reform-RFi).

***A suite of three Cabinet papers and associated regulatory impact analysis, which provide the detailed background to the proposals.***

1. *A new system for three waters service delivery*, which summarises the case for change and the overall reform package;
2. *Designing the new three waters service delivery entities*, which describes the core design features of the new water services entities, including ownership and governance structures, protections against privatisation, planning and accountability mechanisms, funding and financing arrangements, and mechanisms for consumer and community influence;
3. *Protecting and promoting iwi/Maori rights and interests*, which describes mechanisms that provide for iwi/Maori rights and interests in the new water services systems; and
4. *Regulatory Impact Analysis – Decisions on the reform of three waters service delivery arrangement* (Attachment 1)

***Support Package – July announcement***

The following documents, published as part of the with the 15 July three waters support package announcement, are available on the Department of Internal Affairs website at:

<https://www.dia.govt.nz/three-waters-reform-programme-reform-support-package>:

1. The Prime Minister and Minister of Local Government's 15 July 2021 media release: Government to provide support for water reforms, jobs and growth.
2. Three Waters Reform programme support package – funding allocation information and FAQs.
3. Head of Agreement (Crown and LGNZ) – Partnering commitment to support three waters service delivery reform.
4. The Government and Local Government New Zealand's joint position statement on Three Waters Reform.