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Mahanga Maru  
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Dear Mahanga

**PERMIT APPLICATION 56365**

On the 26 March 2015 the South Wairarapa Maori Standing Committee (MSC) made a submission to NZP&M regarding permit application 56365. The submission was acknowledged as received on the 27 March.

On the 30 March 2015 the MSC received correspondence from NZP&M stating that Block Offer 2015 had been released.

Can you advise whether permit application 56365 forms part of the Block Offer 2015 and whether the consultation by the MSC was considered for Block Offer 2015 or whether it is being considered for the permit application only and how they relate (or not).

Can you also advise when the MSC will have their submission individually responded too.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Suzanne Clark'.

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