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Hello Jo.

I was asked today by the commissioners if I had engaged with Te Whatu Ora about our submission. My answer was no, just by correspondence through an OIA request beforehand.

To be honest, it hadn't occurred to me that such engagement on the submission might be helpful or possible in this hearings process.

I note that the commissioners did say they had spoken to CCC planners yesterday about our submission. I just wanted to say that if the IHP thought it might assist their work, I would be more than happy to be part of a 3-way meeting with CCC and Te Whatu Ora to seek some sort of consensus if possible, or at least clarity on the different views.

Would you please pass my comments on to the commissioners if you think that's appropriate.

Nga mihi nui.

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