

Appendix B: Updated inquiry timetable for stage three of the National Freshwater and Geothermal Resources Inquiry (Wai 2358)

As per the Tribunal's *Guide to Practice and Procedure* at cl 5.3, unless a different time is stated below, all documents filed by inquiry parties are to be filed in the Tribunal's Registry by **5pm** on the day that they are due.

Milestone	Date	Who
Statement of claim from further parties to be filed (specific claims)	Friday 6 December 2024	Claimants
HEARING TWO (9 – 13 DECEMBER 2024) <i>Rotorua (Te Pākira Marae)</i>		
Joint memorandum addressing further stage three hearing requirements and issue questions	Friday 7 February 2025	Counsel
Any written cross-examination questions, or Tribunal questions in writing, for hearing two witnesses	Friday 14 February 2025	Counsel and Tribunal
Any summary or supporting documents arising from the hearing two site visits	Friday 14 February 2025	Counsel
Answers to hearing two written cross-examination questions, and Tribunal questions in writing	Friday 7 March 2025	Counsel
Supporting evidence for specific claims to be filed	Friday 28 March 2025	Claimants
Further Crown evidence in response to specific claims to be filed	Monday 7 July 2025	Crown
Reply evidence	Friday 29 August 2025	Parties
HEARING THREE (September 2025 – <i>subject to resourcing</i>) Specific claim evidence and reply evidence <i>Date and location TBC</i>		
HEARING FOUR (October 2025 – <i>subject to resourcing</i>) Crown evidence <i>Date and location TBC</i>		