Appendix – Hearing 9 filing milestones for the North-Eastern Bay of Plenty (Wai 1750) District Inquiry

North-Eastern Bay of Plenty District Inquiry (Wai 1750) Hearing 9 filing milestones: 8 to 12 June 2026		
Filing	*Who*	*Filing date*
Any new technical evidence for hearing 9 (prior approval of leave to file must have been granted)	Lead counsel	12 March 2026
Hearing 9 tangata whenua (non-technical) briefs of evidence	Claimant counsel/ unrepresented claimants	30 April 2026
Hearing 9 technical witness summaries (should not exceed 30 minutes to present unless prior leave granted)	Lead counsel	14 May 2026
Requests to cross-examine hearing 9 technical witnesses with time and topic indications	Claimant and Crown counsel	19 May 2026
Questions of clarification for hearing 9 witnesses		
Draft hearing 9 timetable and any site visit requests	Co-ordinating counsel	21 May 2026
Opening submissions to be presented at hearing 9	Claimant counsel/ unrepresented claimants	26 May 2026
Hearing 9 witness responses to questions of clarification	Counsel for witnesses	
Final hearing 9 timetable	Co-ordinating counsel	
Bundles of documents for cross-examination at hearing 9	Counsel granted leave to cross-examine	28 May 2026
Hearing 9	**8 – 12 June 2026**	
Post-hearing questions in writing for hearing 9 witnesses	Counsel granted leave and Tribunal panel	25 June 2026
Post-hearing 9 filing	Counsel/unrepresented claimants	30 June 2026
Hearing 9 witness responses to post-hearing questions in writing	Counsel for witnesses	9 July 2025