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Kia ora Hellene,

Federated Farmers of New Zealand is happy to support the proposed changes to the scheme documents as set out in your email last week. We believe the suggested changes would satisfy achievement standards, and we would have no further amendments to add to those already proposed by the EGCC

On the subject of further comments, and without prejudice to the Federation's support for the EGCC becoming an approved scheme, Federated Farmers does have some concerns with the Electricity Commission appearing to become the decision-making body of the EGCC under the proposed changes – the EGCC has functioned very well for our members and been responsive to their needs as consumers, so we would consider it important that the EGCC continue to enjoy the flexibility to meet the changing needs of its members and consumers – we are concerned with ensuring that the shift to the Electricity Commission assuming ownership of the scheme does not adversely affect this situation

Regards,

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