Waterview Connection
Procurement Steering Group

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Assumptions

- Recommendations will be developed under existing legislation, including the Land Transport Management Act Amendment Bill.
- Decisions on funding and the final form of the project will be made outside of this investigation.
- The investigation will take into account work already undertaken by Transit New Zealand on the preferred design options and alignment; and economic assessments, including cost-benefit analysis.
Questions

• Is there a market appetite to consider the Waterview project as a PPP?

• If a decision was to be made to procure the project by way of a PPP, what should the preferred nature and scope of the PPP be?

• Are resources available in New Zealand, with or without international support, to undertake such a large project in a competitive/contestable environment?

Questions…continued

• What might be the role of tolling for Waterview, if any; for example, as a long-term demand management tool to maintain desired traffic flows?

• Does the projected completion date of 2015 for Waterview have any implications for the development of a PPP if Transit NZ progresses work in some areas pending a decision by the Government on whether to proceed with a PPP?
Submissions

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All submissions should be received by Friday 11 April 2008.