

Amendment to Inquiry Direction No 10 – Preparation for and Conduct of Oral Hearings

In terms of section 17(1) of the [Inquiries Act 2005 \("the Act"\)](#), which enables Lord Hardie ("the Chairman") to decide on the procedure and conduct of the Inquiry, he has directed as follows:

1. [Inquiry Direction No 10 – Preparation for and Conduct of Oral Hearings](#) ("the Direction") dated 29 June 2017 regulates the conduct of the public hearings but requires amendment to reflect more accurately the intended procedure.
2. This Amendment is effective from the day after it is made and will remain in force until it is revoked or varied.
3. In paragraph 36 of the Direction in line 1 after the word "evidence", insert: "other than the evidence of expert witnesses".
4. Except insofar as varied by the amendment specified in the preceding paragraph, the provisions of the Direction will remain in full force and effect.

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