

**CROWN MINERALS ACT 1991**

**Minerals Programme for Minerals (Excluding Petroleum) 2008**

**Notice of Land Closure for All Permitting for Metallic Minerals and Coal**

Notice is given that, in accordance with clause 3.9 of the *Minerals Programme for Minerals (Excluding Petroleum) 2008*, the areas identified in the attached schedule are closed to permit applications for metallic minerals and coal under the Crown Minerals Act 1991 for a period of 9 months from the date of this notice.

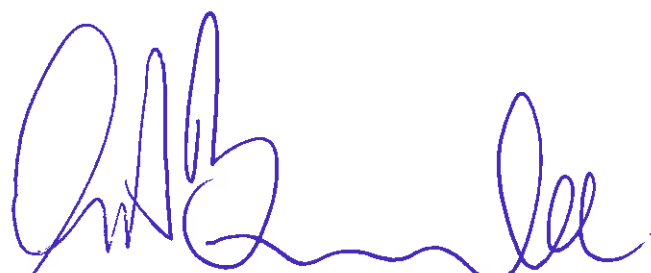
It is the Minister's intention to consider these areas of land for competitive tender allocation for mineral exploration. Further information can be obtained from:

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**DATED** this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March 2010

**SIGNED** for and on behalf of  
**HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN**  
in right of New Zealand  
by her Minister of Energy and Resources  
**GERARD ANTHONY BROWNLEE**



Signature of Gerard Anthony Brownlee