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I would be very grateful if you could acknowledge receipt of this submission.  
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With regards,  
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**Submission to the Draft Designated Salmonid Bye-Law**

The objective of this law is to ensure that the lakes referenced in Schedule 1 which are important and unique habitats for salmonid species are protected and managed exclusively as salmonid fisheries. By virtue of this, I wish to make the following submission to the Draft Designated Salmonid Waters Bye Law:

Under No.3, the waters listed under Schedule 1, Column 2 must be expanded to include specific reference to the tributaries and distributaries of the seven lakes, as these are part of the SAC and critical to the operation and conservation objectives of the seven lakes.

Under No. 4, the word '*primarily*' should be removed and replaced by the words '*solely*' or '*exclusively*' as the word primarily will cause ambiguity in relation to conservation objectives and the subsequent management and operation of these lakes as protected salmonid fisheries.

Under No. 7, the wording should be changed to state that the Minister may, before approval, *only* amend stock management plans under clear scientific basis and not as a result of lobbying, Ministerial discretion or for any financial basis.

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