National Policy Statements and New Zealand Coastal Policy Statement

National Policy Statements (NPSs) and the New Zealand Coastal Policy Statement (NZCPS) form part of the Resource Management Act's policy framework and are prepared by central government.

NPSs and the NZCPS contain objectives, policies and methods that must be given effect to by policy statements and plans prepared under the Resource Management Act. NPSs and the NZCPS must also be given regard to by consent authorities when making decisions on resource consent applications, alongside other considerations.

The following table provides an overview of whether any relevant review/s of the District Plan has been undertaken in relation to the NPSs and NZCPS.

National Policy Statement on Electricity Transmission 2008	The plan has been reviewed (December 2024)
New Zealand Coastal Policy Statement 2010	The plan has been reviewed (December 2024)
National Policy Statement for Renewable Electricity Generation 2011	The plan has been reviewed (December 2024)
National Policy Statement on Urban Development 2020	The plan has been reviewed (December 2024)
National Policy Statement for Freshwater Management 2020	The plan has been reviewed (December 2024)
National Policy Statement on Highly Productive Land 2022	The plan has been reviewed (December 2024)
National Policy Statement on Indigenous Biodiversity 2023	The plan has been reviewed (December 2024)
National Policy Statement for Greenhouse Gas Emissions from Industrial Process Heat 2023	This national policy statement does not apply to the plan