# PERMIT FOR FILMING IN THE QUEENSTOWN LAKES DISTRICT

**SCHEDULE 1 – APPLICATION DETAILS**

**Submission Date:**

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| PRODUCTION DETAILS | |
| Typee.g. commercial, short film, feature, TV programme, documentary, music video, student, other |  |
| Descriptione.g. a 60 minute documentary about mountain biking to be screened in New Zealand in January |  |

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| CONTACT INFORMATION | |
| Contact for Council | Leasing Administrator |
| Applicant |  |
| Production Company Name |  |
| Address | Postal:Physical: |
| Contact person at Location and details | Mobile: |
| Landline: |
| Email: |
| Alternative contact person | Mobile: |
| Landline: |
| Email: |

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| LOCATION DETAILS | |
| Location Provide street address and site map. Site map must identify shoot area, camera/lighting set up, parking etc. |  |
| Action being filmed e.g. actor walking down street talking on cell phone. |  |
| Number of persons on location Must include all persons on location (e.g. crew, cast, extras, client and agency) |  |
| Shoot start date |  |
| Shoot finish date |  |
| Weather cover dates |  |
| Arrival time at location |  |
| Filming start time |  |
| Filming wrap time |  |
| Total number of days permit is valid forYour permit fee will be based on the number of days you will be filming on QLDC land. | Number of days you will be invoiced for: |
| Access requirements e.g. whether any Council gates or other structures need to be opened. |  |
| **Use of Public facilities**  e.g. whether any public toilets or other public facilities need to be used. |  |
| Parking requirements Provide Map  Number and type of vehicles and parking arrangements for all vehicles at the Location. |  |
| Details of equipmentIf none put N/A | Proposed equipment and machinery (e.g. lighting, generators, camera track etc.). |
| Significant props and/or set dressing (e.g. animals, signage, plants) |
| Temporary structures (e.g. marquees, scaffolding etc.) |
| Special effects (fire, smoke, rain, wind, guns, explosions) |
| Drones Provide details of any filming from a drone or UAV. Note QLDC requires all drone operators to hold CAA Part 102 Certification. |  |
| Sound Provide details of any amplified sound or loud noises |  |
| Security Provide details of any proposed security |  |
| Consultation List of affected persons to which information will be provided to (refer clause 24 below). |  |
| Waterways If any filming is to be done on a waterway, has the harbourmaster been contacted and has approval been gained from LINZ? |  |

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| FEES | |
| Fee | $500.00 + GST per day payable upon approval of this Permit |
| Bond - Credit Card Authorisation Form | Bond Amount: $ TBA |

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| SPECIAL CONDITIONS |
| TBC   * The applicant must follow the Government’s Guidelines in relation to Covid-19; * The applicant must register all production for tracing and monitoring on the ScreenSafe COVID-19 site, regardless of size here <https://screensafe.co.nz/covid19/registration> * Be considerate of pedestrians, members of the public and local businesses when filming on footpaths and reserve areas and minimise disruption to the public. * Public access to the footpath shall not be obstructed, and the ability for persons to use the footpath and not be forced to detour past the kerb and into formed road areas shall be assured. * This permit only authorises filming for the activities and locations specified. There shall be no filming activities on roads, or within the road corridor. This includes no filming of, or from within vehicles; or * This permit is conditional upon QLDC and APL receiving an approved Traffic management plan prior to filming. * The approved Traffic management plan is to be adhered to at all times. * This permit only authorises drone use immediately over the reserves administered by the Queenstown Lakes District Council as outlined in this permit. * Harbourmaster’s written approval to be obtained prior filming for activities on/over water; * All rubbish/recycling to be removed by the applicant and not deposited in public rubbish bins. |

**SCHEDULE 2 - RULES AND CONDITIONS**

**NOTE:** The applicant is responsible for adhering to all the following conditions unless they are applying on behalf of a production company. If the applicant is applying on behalf of a production company then that company is responsible for ensuring all the conditions below are adhered to.

1/ **No transfer:**This Permit is not transferable and must be produced on demand. Proof of identity may be required of the Applicant producing the Permit.

2/ **Location:**Filming will be restricted to the area specifically identified as the “Location” at Schedule 1 and no other land. This Permit shall only apply to land owned or administered by the Queenstown Lakes District Council (**Council**) within the Location.

3/ **Change in use:**The Applicant’s use of the Location shall be restricted to the specifics details at Schedule 1. The Applicant shall immediately inform the Property Manager of any proposed change to the details recorded at Schedule 1. Council retains the right to cancel this Permit should the notified changes result in substantial alteration to the details (in the opinion of the Council).

4/ **Water based filming:**This Permit does not allow any water based filming unless specifically stated and also approved by Council and the Harbourmaster and owner of the water body, and will ensure proper water safety procedures will be adhered to

5/ **Drones:**This Permit does not allow use of remote controlled aircraft (including drones) unless specified and a copy of the Unmanned Aircraft Operator Certification (Part 102) is provided. Refer to Civil Aviation Authority (CAA) website for details on certification for Drone use.

6/ **Barriers:** Where the Property Manager deems it necessary, the Applicant shall provide all barriers, fencing, and the like (which shall be free-standing) necessary for cordoning off the Location.

7/ **Nuisance:** The Applicant shall not create undue nuisance from its activities at the Location and shall immediately cease any activity which could be considered undue nuisance (in the opinion of the Council) upon request by the Council or its Property Manager. The Applicant shall not bring the reputation of the Council into question as a result of its activities at the Location.

8/ **Noise:** The Applicant shall comply with the decibel levels set out in the Queenstown Lakes District Council District Plan. If noise complaints are received then noise levels shall be reduced.

9/ **Directions:** The Applicant shall comply with all reasonable instructions given by the Council or the Property Manager at any time.

10/ **Services:** The Applicant shall be responsible for the identification of any underground/above ground services which may be affected by its activities and the obtaining of any relevant service authority’s permission to operate below/above.

11/ **Rubbish:** The Applicant shall collect and dispose of all rubbish and litter resulting from the use of the Location. If the Applicant fails to collect and dispose of all rubbish and litter by the expiry of this Permit then the Council shall be entitled to have the rubbish and litter removed and the cost of removal is to be borne by the Applicant, either by deduction from the Applicant’s credit card (up to a maximum of the Bond Amount) or payment direct from the Applicant. Any rubbish that can be recycled shall be.

12/ **Damage:** Any damage to the Location, vegetation, structures, or other property or any loss incurred by any person whatsoever resulting from the Applicant’s use of the Location, as determined by the Property Manager, is the responsibility of the Applicant and the Applicant is liable to pay all amounts as a result of such damage or loss to the Council (or as the Property Manager directs) and to do any other thing necessary to make good such damage or loss.

13/ **Repairs:** The Applicant shall be responsible for completing all physical repairs required by the Council within five days of being advised of those repairs by the Property Manager. The cost of all repairs shall be paid for by the Applicant.

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14/ **Failure to repair:** If, after five days of being advised of the repairs, the damage is not repaired to the satisfaction of the Property Manager and the Applicant gives no acceptable reason for the delay in effecting the repairs, the Property Manager will arrange for the repairs to be carried out at the expense of the Applicant and the Council may deduct from the Applicant’s credit card all costs incurred to cover those repairs up to a maximum of the Bond Amount.

15/ **Repair of roads:** Any repairs in the formed road carriageway shall be undertaken by Council’s contractors and any costs are to be an expense of the Applicant (Clause 14 above shall apply to such repairs).

16/ **Insurance:** The Applicant shall obtain public liability (inclusive of exemplary and pecuniary damages) insurance, with a reputable insurance company for a minimum sum of $2,000,000.00 for any one accident whereby the Council shall be indemnified against all actions, suits, claims, demands, proceedings, losses, damages, compensatory sums of money, costs, charges and expenses for which the Council shall or may be liable. A copy of this policy shall be provided and approved by Council prior to the Application accessing the Location.

17/ **Indemnity:** The Applicant shall keep the Council indemnified against all claims, actions, losses, and expenses of any nature which the Council may suffer or incur or for which the Council may become liable in respect of:

* + - 1. the negligent or careless use or misuse by the Applicant or persons under the control of the Applicant of the Location;
      2. any accident or damage to property or any person arising from any occurrence in or near the Location wholly or in part by reason of any act or omission by the Applicant or persons under the control of the Applicant; and
      3. anything otherwise arising directly or indirectly from the use of the Location by the Applicant.

18/ **Risk:** Council shall have no liability whatsoever for the actions of the Applicant pursuant to the granting of this Permit and the Applicant acknowledges that the Applicant occupies the Location at its own risk in all things.

19/ **Roads:** This Permit does not allow roadway filming unless specifically stated and also approved by Council roading engineers. This Permit also does not allow filming in Council carparks or authorise the closure of legal roads. For any filming carried out on legal formed roads in the Queenstown Lakes District, the Applicant must arrange for an agent approved by Council to undertake temporary traffic control and to have a traffic management plan approved in writing by Council’s engineering department prior to the commencement of filming. The Applicant is responsible for providing suitably qualified and identifiable marshals for traffic control to the satisfaction of Council.

20/ **Health and Safety:** The Applicant shall ensure that all persons present at the Location during the term of this Permit comply with The Code of Practice for Safety and Health in the NZ Film and Video Production Industry and the Code of Practice for the Engagement of Crew as outlined in the Blue Book, and the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 (HSWA) or any legislation passed in substitution of that Act. The Council considers the Applicant to be in control of the Location during the term of this Permit and the Applicant shall take all practical steps to prevent any harm occurring. The Applicant is responsible for the safety of all users of the Location during the term of this Permit. An audit may be carried out by Council at any time during the term of this Permit to ensure compliance with the HSWA.

21/ **Hazards:** Hazards may be present at the Location or may arise as a result of the Applicant’s activities at the Location. The Applicant shall, prior to entering the Location, identify and notify the Property Manager of all hazards identified and the procedures to be put in place by the Applicant to prevent/isolate such hazards. Where accidents, incidents or near misses occur at the Location the Applicant will immediately notify the Property Manager and advise the procedures that are being put in place to prevent further similar events.

22/ **Public:** The Applicant shall not cause any undue inconvenience to traffic or pedestrian flows in or around the Location and pedestrians must never be forced to step onto a roadway without adequate protection from vehicles. Building and driveway access and egress must be kept clear at all times. Undue nuisance is nuisance that is not reasonably expected from the exercising of the activity covered by this permit.

23/ **Consultation:** The Applicant shall inform residents and businesses affected by the Applicant’s use of the Location at least 48 hours prior to the activity. Such information shall include a simple text flyer delivered to each house or business in the affected area and the flyer shall include the following:

1. description of the activities to be carried out at the Location;
2. duration of the activity (including pack in pack out); and
3. name of the Applicant and contact details.

24/ **Suspension:** If the Council is not satisfied that the Applicant is complying with its obligations under this Permit then it may temporarily suspend this Permit for such period of time until the Council decides that the Applicant is complying with its obligations. The Applicant shall cease all activities at the Location during any period of suspension.

25/ **Compliance:** This Permit is not a consent under any other statute, regulation or bylaw affecting the Location or its use and the Applicant shall, prior to entering the Location, obtain all necessary consents (including resource consents), licences and other permits necessary to allow it to carry out filming pursuant to this Permit. In the event that the Applicant fails to hold such valid consent, licence or permit, then the operation of this Permit shall be suspended until such time as the Applicant holds such valid consent, licence or permit, and the Applicant will vacate the Location during such suspension.

26/ **Restricted access:** If due to any fire, storm, earthquake, emergency or disaster, whether man-made or not, or for any other reason the Location is not available, the Council’s liability under this Permit is limited to refunding the Fee to the Applicant.

27/ **Regulatory function:** Nothing in this Permit shall be read as limiting or otherwise affecting the proper and valid undertaking or exercise of any regulatory or statutory power or function by the Council or any part of its operations.

28/ **No binding contract:** The Council shall not be obliged to grant this Permit until such time as:

1. it receives the fully completed and executed Permit from the Applicant; and
2. the terms of the Permit are approved by Council (in it sole discretion).

29/ **Right to deduct:** The Council shall be entitled to deduct from the Applicant’s credit card any costs incurred in remedying any breach of the terms of this Permit and/or the provisions of the Reserves Act 1977 by the Applicant up to a maximum of the Bond Amount. This is without prejudice to the Council’s right to exercise any other remedy available to it at law (including but not limited to the right to enforce penalties for offences committed under the Reserves Act 1977).

30/ **Bond Credit Card Authorisation Form:** If required by Council, The Applicant shall complete and sign the Bond Credit Card Authorisation Form annexed to this Permit prior to submitting this Permit to Council for approval. By entering into this Permit and the Bond Credit Card Authorisation Form, the Applicant expressly and irrevocably authorises Council to deduct all amounts payable by the Applicant, and all costs incurred by Council, under this Permit (including but not limited to those charges specified in conditions 11 to 15) from the Applicant’s Credit Card, up to a maximum of the Bond Amount noted above.

I HAVE READ ALL RULES AND CONDITIONS OF THIS PERMIT AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY THEM.

Signature of Applicant:

Approved on behalf of Council:

Granted pursuant to: This permit is granted pursuant to:

1. a licence to occupy from Council where the land within which the Location is located is owned by Council; and/or
2. sections 54(1)(d), 56(1)(b), 57(1), 58A(1), 60, 61(1) of the Reserves Act 1977 (as applicable) where the land within which the Location is located is a subject to the Reserves Act 1977 and Council is the administering body. The provisions of that Act in relation to the Location shall apply as it they were set out in full in this Permit.