

Request a temporary waiver

Forestry in the Emissions Trading Scheme – post-1989

ETSP89TEMPW.7

Use this form if:

- you need carbon tables created for you (known as participant-specific tables) for the emissions return at the end of a mandatory emissions return period, and
- due to circumstances beyond your control, you're unable to collect your forest information on time.

You must submit this request as soon as practicable once you realise that you need a waiver. This must be before the deadline for submitting your emissions return.

If we grant you a temporary waiver, we'll tell you which carbon tables to use for your emissions return, according to the law.

For more information, read the online guidance at www.mpi.govt.nz/the-field-measurement-approach-fma/

! You must complete every field in this form, except the ones labelled 'optional'.

1 New Zealand Emissions Trading Register (NZETR) holding account

Holding account name

Holding account number

NZ -

Carbon accounting areas (if applicable)

2 Reason for requesting a temporary waiver

Tell us why you need the temporary waiver:

There isn't enough time to establish and collect information from the new plots because of the addition or removal of land or a transfer of participation.

Circumstances beyond my control mean I cannot establish plots or collect the plot information required for carbon tables to be produced before the mandatory return is due.

3 Evidence

Applications for a temporary waiver must be accompanied by:

- a description of the steps you have taken to meet your obligations
- evidence that you have taken these steps.

Relevant documentation may include:

- copies of sale and purchase agreements showing relevant dates
- evidence of assignment of a forestry right or lease
- evidence of granting a of forestry right or lease
- evidence of expiry or termination of forestry right or lease
- letters from inventory contractors stating why they are unable to collect the information in the required timeframe.

4 Payment

The fee for submitting this application is \$412.50 (excluding GST). You will be asked to pay when you submit this form in Tupu-ake – Forestry ETS online services.

Your request will not be processed until the fee is paid.

How to submit your application

If the post-1989 forest land is registered as standard forestry:

1. Log-in to Tupu-ake – Forestry ETS online services, available at www.mpi.govt.nz/ets-online-system/
2. Select the service **Post-1989 forest land (standard) > Measure the forest > Ask for a waiver from collecting forest information.**
3. Upload the completed form when instructed.

If the post-1989 forest land is registered as permanent forestry:

1. Log-in to Tupu-ake – Forestry ETS online services, available at www.mpi.govt.nz/ets-online-system/
2. Select the service **Post-1989 forest land (permanent) > Measure the forest > Ask for a waiver from collecting forest information.**
3. Upload the completed form to the file upload on the main summary page.

Next steps

We will contact you about the outcome of your application.

If you have any questions, email ForestryETS@mpi.govt.nz or contact the climate change call centre on 0800 CLIMATE (0800 254 628).