

Crown Pastoral Land Tenure Review

Lease name: LONG GULLY

Lease number: PO 055

Fish & Game Report

As part of the process of Tenure Review Fish & Game councils may provide advice on significant inherent values within the pastoral lease, and the information may be incorporated in the Conservation Resources Report. The advice is part of the information gathered and assessed for the development of a preliminary consultation document.

The report attached is released under the Official Information Act 1982.

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Long Gully Station

Otago Fish & Game Council Resource Report

General:

Long Gully is a small property located between the Clutha and Lindis Rivers. Sandy Point- and Deep Creek pastoral lease properties form the northern and eastern boundaries respectively. The majority of the creeks are ephemeral by nature, while others cease to flow lower down due to water extraction for irrigation purposes. The gullies that contain permanent water are generally small.

Sports Fishery Values:

No sports fish were found during the survey.

Game Bird Values:

The property contains some upland game-bird (California quail) habitat, although none were seen to during the survey. Anecdotal reports indicate that upland game inhabit the property. We have no information on recreational hunting on this property but access is at the discretion of the leaseholder.

Recommendations:

There are no values of importance to the Otago Fish & Game Council on this property.

Dated 14 December 2003

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Statutory managers of freshwater sports fish, game birds and their habitats