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Mana Tohu Mātauranga o Aotearoa
New Zealand Qualifications Authority

Level 1 Geography RAS 2023

91935 Demonstrate understanding of geographic decision-making in Aotearoa New Zealand or the Pacific

Credits: Five

PILOT ASSESSMENT

Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
Describe geographic decision-making in Aotearoa New Zealand or the Pacific.	Explain geographic decision-making in Aotearoa New Zealand or the Pacific.	Examine geographic decision-making in Aotearoa New Zealand or the Pacific.

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You should attempt ALL parts of the question in this booklet.

Make sure that you have Resource Booklet 91935R.

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Make sure you have the paper Resource Booklet 91935R. This contains **new** material, as well as the resources you have viewed in class. Use these new resources as supporting evidence in your answers.

The following definitions may assist your answers:

Viewpoints: What people think about geographic issues.

Perspectives: Ways in which people view and interpret environments. Including, but not limited to: economic, social, political, indigenous, and spiritual.

Three possible options the Cook Islands Government could take to meet the future needs of the country are:

- Option A – maintain an emphasis on the tourism industry
- Option B – transition away from tourism and carry out deep-sea mining
- Option C – focus on a combination involving both tourism and deep-sea mining.

When making a decision on meeting the future needs of the Cook Islands, the government needs to consider the viewpoints of a range of people or groups.

- (b) For each group or individual below, explain the key perspective(s) that shapes their viewpoint on the future direction the country should take. Include their viewpoint in your discussion, and the concept of *mana tiaki*, the Cook Islands' tradition of guardianship and protection of resources for future generations.

Group	Their perspective/viewpoint on the Cook Islands' future direction
The indigenous Cook Islands Māori population	
Tourism operators	
Prime Minister Mark Brown	
Pacific Deep Mining Company	

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