

MEDIA RELEASE**MINISTER JONES IS TOTALLY WRONG ON 50 SHADES OF GREEN**

Minister Jones is both wrong in fact and totally out of court with his accusations against the conservation lobby group 50 Shades of Green.

To claim, as he did, that we're part of the National Party is a little like suggesting James Shaw is about to join Act, 50 Shades of Green spokesman Mike Butterick said.

"I find this type of political loquaciousness offensive and cheap," Mike Butterick said. "If Minister Jones has any hard proof maybe he'd like to share it.

"50 Shades of Green is a non-political organisation committed to maintaining prosperous provinces.

"Minister Jones obviously wants to achieve the opposite.

"Anyone is welcome to join our organisation regardless of colour, class, creed or political persuasion," Mike Butterick said.

"All they need is a strong belief in provincial New Zealand and be prepared to work to maintain its prosperity.

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