

Southland

A case study-based training exercise
in policy analysis for the agricultural
and rural sector



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