



Submission on Proposed Canterbury Land and Water Regional Plan

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Form 5: Submissions on a Publicly Notified Proposed Policy Statement or Regional Plan under Clause 6 of Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991

Return your signed submission by 5.00pm Friday 5 October 2012 to:
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Trade Competition

Pursuant to Clause 6 of Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991, a person who could gain an advantage in trade competition through the submission may make a submission only if directly affected by an effect of the proposed policy statement or plan that:

- a) adversely affects the environment; and
- b) does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

Please tick the sentence that applies to you:

- I could not gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission; or
- I could gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission.

If you have ticked this box please select one of the following:

- I am directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that adversely affects the environment and does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.
- I am not directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that adversely affects the environment and does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

Signature: *Andrew Hart* Date: 2 OCT 2012

(Signature of person making submission or person authorised to sign on behalf of person making the submission)

Please note:

(1) all information contained in a submission under the Resource Management Act 1991, including names and addresses for service, becomes public information.

- I do not wish to be heard in support of my submission; or
- I do wish to be heard in support of my submission; and if so,
- If others make a similar submission, I will consider presenting a joint case with them at the hearing.

(1) The specific provisions of the Proposed Plan that my submission relates to are:		(2) My submission is that: (include whether you support or oppose the specific provisions or wish to have them amended and the reasons for your views.)		(3) I seek the following decisions from Environment Canterbury: (Please give precise details for each provision. The more specific you can be the easier it will be for the Council to understand your concerns.)
Section & Page Number	Sub-section/ Point	Oppose/support (in part or full)	Reasons	
5, 11-13	5, 39-51	oppose (full)	Based on preliminary and incomplete (so far) information, these sections virtually mean that all farming activity will be subject to onerous and unnecessary record keeping to align with a non-proven computing modelling program (Overseer.) In particular it appears that most farms will need to drastically reduce stocking rates, there will be no change of use (without resource consents) from eg. sheep to cropping or dairy, allowed or even no winter grazing on brassica crops as these will trigger additional nutrient discharges. Even a 10% increase in lambing in a good year or rainfall after fertiliser application could trigger unallowable discharges.	These clauses need to be totally re-written or scrapped as they are not based on robust science.
5, 10	5-35	oppose (part)	A sheeppond or cattleyard (not dairy) cannot guarantee effluent leaving the site (Clause 2(b))	This clause needs to be deleted.
5-2	5.4		Total Gobble,dygook (77 words)	Please explain this sentence in English!

Add further pages as required – please initial any additional pages.