Submission on the Proposed Canterbury Air Regional Plan

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 1 May 2015 to:
Freepost 1201
Proposed Canterbury Air Regional Plan.
Environment Canterbury
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Trade Competition

Pursuant to 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
☐ I am not directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission

Signature: R. G. Mundy
Date: 6 March 2015

(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.

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☐ 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,
I would be prepared to consider presenting your submission in a joint case with others making a similar submission at any hearing.

* * If the hearings will be held within bus travel from New Brighton, Christchurch.
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<th>C</th>
<th>(1) The specific provisions of the proposal that my submission relates to are: (Specify page number and subsection numbering for each separate provision).</th>
<th>(2) My submission is that: (State concisely whether you support or oppose each separate provision being submitted on, or wish to have amendments made and the reasons for your views.)</th>
<th>(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.)</th>
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<td>Canterbury Air Regional Plan</td>
<td>When there is a huge earthquake and, when there is no supply of electricity, water or sewerage, residents should have discretion to light an outdoor fire for cooking or for sterilisation of water.</td>
<td>That the Air Plan should include provisions for emergency situations, so that Environment Canterbury should take a practical approach to the aftermath of exceptional and extraordinary events.</td>
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<td>Air Quality</td>
<td>Residency should be able to use their practical commons sense about the Regional Council’s ban on lighting an outdoor fire, when there is a huge earthquake.</td>
<td>I enclose a letter of support from Danie Commissioner Berley.</td>
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31 July 2014

R G Mundy
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DearSubmitter

Re: Environment Canterbury Draft Annual Plan 2014/15

Thank you for your recent submission to our draft 2014/15 Annual Plan. We received 149 submissions this year, covering a wide range of activities. On 19 and 20 May 2014 the Council held public hearings in Timaru and Christchurch, at which 40 people presented their submissions in person. All written and presented submissions were considered by the Commissioners.

Consideration and decisions taken relating to the issues and requests provided in your submission follow:

**Issue AIR QUALITY**

When there is a huge earthquake, and when there is no supply of electricity, water or sewage, residents should have discretion to light an outdoor fire for cooking or for sterilisation of water. The Regional Council should not impose a total ban on lighting an outdoor fire at the very moment when outdoor cooking becomes necessary.

**Evaluation**

There are provisions in the Canterbury Air Plan (including Christchurch) that provide for these types of emergency situations. Environment Canterbury continues to take a practical approach to these types of situations after such events.

**Decision**

That the suggestion is noted with no change recommended to the draft Annual Plan 2014/15.

Thank you for your contribution to this planning process and the time taken to make your submission.

Yours sincerely

Dame Margaret Bazley, ONZ, DNZM, Hon DLit
Chairperson

Our ref: COMM/PLAN/1415
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