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Support Oppose		
Supports in Part or Opposes in Part		
State concisely whether you support or oppose the provision being submitted on, or wish to have amendments made.		
My submission is that:	. Support	
Please state your reasons for supporting/opposing/amendments sought		
My reason(s) for supporting, opposing or requesting amendments to this specific provision are:		
RNZ's emergency generators meet all the conditions of this rule and this is the rule that RNZ will rely on for the operation of its emergency generators at Gebbies Pass and Fairview. RNZ considers the conditions are appropriate and seeks that this rule is retained as notified; in particular RNZ seeks that the threshold distance of 50m is not increased.		
Although the emergency generator at Fairview	is more than 50m from any sensitive activity, an increase	

in this distance could capture nearby residences. This could mean that RNZ would either have to move its generator, provide new equipment, or apply for resource consent. RNZ notes that since the Fairview site became operational in 1984, there have been no complaints about air quality caused by

the emergency generator at this site.

Please give precise details for each provision. The more specific you can be the easier it will be for the Council to understand the outcome you are seeking.

I seek the following decisions from Environment Canterbury:

RNZ seeks that Rule 7.24 is retained as notified.

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RNZ supports this objective which provides appropriate high-level policy guidance on the importance of significant infrastructure.		
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Retain Objective 5.7 as notified.

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Retain Policy 6.11 as notified.

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Radio new zealand submissions on proposed canterbury air planRadio New Zealand Ltd 1 Radio New Zealand Ltd (<i>RNZ</i>) welcomes the opportunity to make a submission on the		

3 The sites house transmission facilities, including aerial masts, with ancillary equipment buildings and transmission buildings containing radio transmitters and backup power generators.

operates radio transmission facilities on Gebbies Pass on the Banks Peninsular, and at Fairview near

RNZ is a Crown entity established under the Radio New Zealand Act 1995. RNZ owns and

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Timaru.

4 RNZ's facilities perform a very important role in, among other things, providing news and information to the public, including performing a civil defence role. Radio is a key communication tool

in the event of natural disasters and RNZ is designated as a Lifeline Utility under the Civil Defence Emergency Management Act 2002.

General comments

- 5 RNZ's facilities include emergency power generators. These generators are tested regularly and occasionally provide backup power to RNZ's facilities in the event of an emergency or power failure in the area. In such circumstances generators may be required to operate for 24 hours or more.
- It is important that generators are able to be operated for the purposes of testing, maintenance, and for operational reasons, to ensure no interruption of RNZ's radio transmission. This can be critical in times of civil emergency if power supplies are interrupted other means of communicating information to the community may not be available.
- Although RNZ relies on designations to authorise most of its activities, it must of course comply with rules in a regional plan. When operating, the generators create a small amount of air contamination, so the rules in the CARP could have implications for RNZ's operations.

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I seek the following decisions from Environment Canterbury:

- as set out in submissions on the specific provisions.

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