From: <u>ECInfo</u>

To: Mailroom Mailbox

**Subject:** FW: Long-Term Plan submission form [#46] EMAIL:04932695

**Date:** Tuesday, 31 March 2015 2:47:05 p.m.

Importance: Low

Hello

This email came in through our Customer Services email. Can you please workflow?

Nga mihi

Christine

**Customer Services** 

----- Original Message ------

From: Larson Deborah

**Received:** 30/03/2015 3:54 p.m.

To: ECInfo; Environment Canterbury; Services Customer; Services Customer;

Webmaster@ecan.govt.nz

**Subject:** Long-Term Plan submission form [#46]

Your name \* Deborah Larson

Address \*

Postcode

Contact phone number \*

Mobile number

**Email** 

Date Sunday 29 March 2015

Your submission

Air Quality

I live in Kaikoura and am concerned about our air quality especially in the winter. I have spoken to our local Ecan office regarding my concerns. Clean air doesn't seem to be very important here and as a result lots of people are obviously still using older wood burners quite freely.

Our air quality in winter can be horrendous. You hope it blows in a particular direction so you can hang your washing outside, do some gardening or even take a walk.

I wonder what all the overseas tourists think when they visit here in the winter.

A recent survey was sent from our council and they wanted to know our thoughts on people smoking outside in public places e.g. parks. You don't have a choice when it comes to old dirty wood burners though. If you live next door to one you simply can't hang your washing out or attempt to tidy the outside of your property. Made especially worse if you are prone to respiratory problems such as asthma.

What do you want Environment

Get tough on enforcing removal of old wood burners.

Canterbury to do?

Prosecute for not complying (one written warning only) Have air quality monitoring.