

**From:** [Eden Sinclair](#)  
**To:** [Edwina White](#)  
**Subject:** FW: notification of Bathurst Coal Limited - CRC184166, CRC200500, CRC201366, CRC201367, CRC201368, CRC203016, RC185622  
**Date:** Thursday, 7 May 2020 12:38:41 PM

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Submission from Paul Becker

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**From:** Paul Becker  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 21 April 2020 11:09 AM  
**To:** Eden Sinclair  
**Subject:** Fwd: notification of Bathurst Coal Limited - CRC184166, CRC200500, CRC201366, CRC201367, CRC201368, CRC203016, RC185622

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From: <[hearings@ecan.govt.nz](mailto:hearings@ecan.govt.nz)>  
Date: Sat, 18 Apr 2020 at 08:26  
Subject: notification of Bathurst Coal Limited - CRC184166, CRC200500, CRC201366, CRC201367, CRC201368, CRC203016, RC185622  
To: .

Thank you for your submission.

If you have any questions, please get in touch with [Hearings at Environment Canterbury](#)

Below is a copy of the submission you submitted.

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**Consent name:** Bathurst Coal Limited

**Consent number:** CRC184166, CRC200500, CRC201366, CRC201367, CRC201368, CRC203016, RC185622

**Name:** Paul Becker

**Care of:**

**Mailing address 1:**

**Mailing address 2:**

**Suburb:**

**Town/City:**

**Post-code:**

**Country:**

**Mobile phone:**

**Work phone:**

**Home phone:**

**Email:**

**Contact by email:** Yes

**Is a trade competitor:** No

**Directly affected:** Yes

**Consent support/hearing details**

- CRC184166: support | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- CRC200500: support | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- CRC201366: support | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- CRC201367: support | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- CRC201368: support | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- CRC203016: support | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- RC185622: support | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing

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**Reasons comment:**

Continued employment in the Selwyn/Canterbury Region - Canterbury Coal Mine (CCM) currently employ's ~40 full-time workers from the Canterbury region which injects millions of dollars into the local economy each year. Proximity to destination - Canterbury Coal's location with respect to it's customers means that truck miles are very low, without CCM, coal would need to be trucked in from the West Coast which increases pollution for increased trucking but also has an increased risk of accidents from increased distanced travelled and interaction by trucking companies. Essential Service - In light of the recent Covid-19 pandemic, CCM was still operating as an essential service, supplying coal to the dairy industry as well as for heating in hospitals. Environmental Performance - CCM has worked hard to improve the environmental performance of its mine, by ensuring no water leaves site without being captured and processed first. Community Involvement - CCM has undertaken a number of community projects including, but not limited to, building a BMX track at Glentunnel, landscaping the Glentunnel school playground, assisting with the Glentunnel museum, and donating money to sports teams in the district. Flow on effects of the mine - As well as employing ~40 personnel, CCM supports 50+ local businesses through trades and contracting.

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**Consent comment:**

I want the consent authority to approve all consents that have been applied for.