Group ID: 542

Consent name: Bathurst Coal Limited

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

Name: Chris O'Leary

Care of: Kai Point Coal Company Ltd

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Contact by email: Yes

Is a trade competitor: No

Directly affected: No

Consent support/hearing details

- CRC184166: support | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC200500: support | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC201366: support | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC201367: support | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC201368: support | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC203016: support | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- RC185622: support | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing

Reasons comment:

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Consent comment:

approve consents with realistic conditions attached

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Submission in **Support** of

POINT

Bathurst Coal Ltd's resource consent application to the Selwyn District Council and Environment Canterbury for resource consents in respect of Canterbury Coal situated near Coalgate, to cover current and future operations.

Submitter: Kai Point Coal Company Ltd, Contact: Chris O'Leary, General manager,

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- Bathurst is well respected within the mining community and will comply with the practical conditions agreed upon to manage their operation at Coalgate.

KPC support's Bathurst's application and will present at the hearing.

Chris O'Leary General Manager KPC