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Group ID: 542

Consent name: Bathurst Coal Limited

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

Name: Pauline Ponton

Care of:

Mailing address 1

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Suburb:

Town/City:

Post-code

Country:

Mobile phone: (

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Contact by email: No

Is a trade competitor: No

Directly affected: No

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

Reasons comment:

Given the current economic state of NZ, any possibility to keep, support and retain jobs

and business within NZ must be taken up, to not do so is even more detrimental to the economy than we already face. The mine and its associated suppliers/contractors provide jobs and businesses that would be crazy to not allow to continue. It would mean more people will be out of employment or looking for work that isn't there – particularly in a regional part of Christchurch. The recent Covid-19 situation has proven how NZ needs to diversify its focus away from tourism. With regards to climate change and the environment, until there is another sustainable alternative the reality is that coal must continue to be mined and supplied to its customers.

Consent comment:
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