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**Subject:** Notifications Consent Submission: Group 542  
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**Group ID: 542**

**Consent name:** Bathurst Coal Limited

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

**Name:** Wayne Shearer

**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:** 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

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**Reasons comment:**

I am submitting to outline the positive effect the coal mine brings to the local and district

economy and the employment it provides (both direct and indirect employment) for locals in the Selwyn District. The quality coal the mine provides for major local employers such as Fonterra and the Canterbury District Health Board (Christchurch hospitals) is important as it prevents the need to import coal from the West Coast or offshore to run our essential services in the district. from my 40 years experience in mining, the Canterbury coal mine is top of class in recent years for environmental controls and minimization of its effects. the mine is fully integrated into the community and uses local suppliers. the mine actively engages with locals and trys to tweak its operations to reduce any perceived effects.

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**Consent comment:**

I wish for the consenting authorities to grant all applications.